CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—ASSEMBLY

FORTY-SIXTH SESSION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, January 5, 1925

Pursuant to the requirements of the constitution of the State of California and the law, at the hour of twelve o'clock meridian, the Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of California was called to order by Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the forty-fifth session.

In conformity with law, the following officers of the forty-fifth session were also present: C. William Booth, Minute Clerk, and William J. Leflar, Sergeant-at-Arms.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Chief Clerk, prayer was offered by Bishop Wm. H. Moreland of Sacramento.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Chief Clerk announced the following appointments of attaches for the temporary organization of the Assembly:

Pages, Theodore Reindollar, Margaret Hartranft, Frank Vinson.
Stenographers, Madge Cross, Norma M. Brown.
Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms, C. E. Whiteside, Danny Whelan, Chas. H Wilkinson.

CERTIFICATE FROM SECRETARY OF STATE.

The Chief Clerk read the following certificate of duly elected members of Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

I, Frank C. Jordan, Secretary of State of the State of California, do hereby certify that the following is a complete list of those duly elected at the general election, held on the fourth day of November, A. D. 1924, to represent the people of the State of California as Members of the Assembly of said State at the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of said State, as appears from the statement of vote, received from the county clerks of the county or counties and the registrar of voters of the city and county of San Francisco, comprising the several Assembly Districts of the State of California, said statement of vote being a record of and on file in my office, viz:

MEMBERS OF THE ASSEMBLY-ELECT

Name	Number of District	County or counties comprising district
J J Murphy	First	Del Norte, Siskiyou.
John W Runner	Second	Humboldt
Roscoe J Anderson	Third	Shasta, Trinity.
N V Wemple	Fourth	Plumas, Lassen, Modoc, Sierra.
Van Bernard	Fifth	Tehama, Glenn, Colusa.
Charles B Melville	Sixth	Mendocino,
Charles H Deuel	Seventh	Butte.
F B Noves	Eighth	Yuba, Sutter, Yolo.
Cora M Woodbridge	Ninth	Nevada, Placer.
Robt B McPherson	Tenth	Solano.
Frank L Coombs	Eleventh	Napa, Lake.
Hubert B Scudder	Twelfth	Sonoma.
D P. Anderson	Thirteenth	Sonoma.

MEMBERS OF THE ASSEMBLY-ELECT—Continued.

Name	Number of District	County or counties comprising district
Roy J. Nielsen	Fourteenth	Sacramento.
Percy G. West	Fifteenth	Sacramento
H. E. Dillinger	Sixteenth	Amador, El Dorado, Alpine, Calaveras.
Chas F. Reindollar	Seventeenth	Marin
Robert P. Easley	Eighteenth	Contra Costa.
Bradford S. Crittenden	Nineteenth	San Joaquin.
Tom H. Louttit	Twentieth	San Joaquin.
Fred C. Hawes	Twenty-first	San Francisco
Thomas A. Mitchell	Twenty-second	San Francisco.
Joseph F. Burns	Twenty-third	San Francisco.
Walter J. Schmidt	Twenty-fourth	San Francisco.
Wm. B. Hornblower	Twenty-fifth	San Francisco.
Ray Williamson	Twenty-sixth	San Francisco.
Leland R. Jacobson	Twenty-seventh	San Francisco.
Edgar C. Levey	Twenty-eighth	San Francisco
Harry F. Morrison	Twenty-ninth	San Francisco.
Robert B. Fry	Thirtieth	San Francisco.
Albert A. Rosenshine	Thirty-first	San Francisco.
James A. Miller	Thirty-second	San Francisco.
Charles A. Oliva	Thirty-third	San Francisco.
Wm. P. Jost	Thirty-fourth	Alameda.
Homer R. Spence	Thirty-fifth	Alameda.
Edward J. Smith	Thirty-sixth	Alameda.
Eugene W. Roland	Thirty-seventh	Alameda
J. Croter	Thirty-eighth	Alameda
M. J. McDonough	Thirty-ninth	Alameda
Harold C. Cloudman	Fortieth	Alameda.
Anna L. Saylor	Forty-first	Alameda.
Frank L. Ekswaid	Forty-second	San Mateo.
George C. Cleveland	Forty-third	Santa Cruz.
T. M. Wright	Forty-fourth	Santa Clara.
C. C. Spalding	Forty-fifth	Santa Clara.
Esto B. Broughton	Forty-sixth	Stanislaus.
Maurice B. Browne	Forty-seventh	Mariposa, Tuolumne, Mono, Inyo.
F. E. Dayton	Forty-eighth	Monterey, San Benito.
E. G. Adams	Forty-ninth	Merced, Madera.
Chas. A. Foster	Fiftieth	Fresno.
Herbert McDowell	Fifty-first	Fresno.
S. L. Heisinger	Fifty-second	Fresno.
S. V. Wright	Fifty-third	San Luis Obispo.
Frank Johnson	Fifty-fourth	Kings
Frank W. Mixter	Fifty-fifth	Tulare.
Grace S. Dorris	Fifty-sixth	Kern
Isaac Jones	Fifty-seventh	San Bernardino.
Archibald E. Brock	Fifty-eighth	San Bernardino.
Edgar O. Campbell	Fifty-ninth	Santa Barbara.
Walter H. Duval	Sixtieth	Ventura
Frank C. Weller	Sixty-first	Los Angeles.
Walter J. Little	Sixty-second	Los Angeles.
Sidney T. Graves	Sixty-third	Los Angeles.
Harry Lyons	Sixty-fourth	Los Angeles.
Thomas L. Dodge	Sixty-fifth	Los Angeles.
William M. Byrne	Sixty-sixth	Los Angeles.
Eleanor Miller	Sixty-seventh	Los Angeles.
Harry F. Sewell	Sixty-eighth	Los Angeles.
Jerome V. Scofield	Sixty-ninth	Los Angeles.
Frank F. Merriam	Seventieth	Los Angeles
Henry E. Carter	Seventy-first	Los Angeles.
Willard E. Badham	Seventy-second	Los Angeles.
Howard W. Davis	Seventy-third	Los Angeles.
Frederick M. Roberts	Seventy-fourth	Los Angeles.
Mark A. Pierce	Seventy-fifth	Los Angeles.
S. C. Hartranft	Seventy-sixth	Orange
Alfred C. Murray	Seventy-seventh	Riverside.
A. C. Finney	Seventy-eighth	Imperial.
Byron J. Walters	Seventy-ninth	San Diego.
Edwin A. Mueller	Eightieth	San Diego.

WITNESS my hand and the Great Seal of the State of California at office in Sacramento, this twelfth day of December, A. D. 1924

[SEAL] FRANK C. JORDAN, Secretary of State.

ROLL CALL OF COUNTIES.

The Chief Clerk directed that as the roll of counties was called the members-elect, representing such counties, should proceed to the clerk's desk and take and subscribe to the oath of office.

MEMBERS SWORN IN.

As required by section 239 of the Political Code, the clerk called the roll of counties in alphabetical order, and the following members-elect appeared before the bar of the Assembly, presented their certificates of election and duly qualified by taking and subscribing to the following oath, administered by William M. Finch, Presiding Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

OATH OF OFFICE.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of the State of California, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of member of the Assembly for the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California, according to the best of my ability.

Harold C. Cloudman, J. Croter, Wm. P. Jost, M. J. McDonough, Mrs. Anna L. Saylor, Edward J. Smith, Homer R. Spence, Eugene W. Roland, H. E. Dillinger, Charles H. Deuel, Van Bernard, Robert P. Easley, J. J. Murphy, Charles A. Foster, S. L. Heisinger, Herbert McDowell, John W. Runner, A C. Finney, Maurice B. Browne, Mrs. Grace S. Dorris, Frank Johnson, Frank L. Coombs, N. V. Wemple, Willard E. Badham, William M. Byrne, Henry E. Carter, Howard W. Davis, Thomas L Dodge, Sidney T. Graves, Walter J. Little, Harry Lyons, Frank F. Merriam, Miss Eleanor Miller, Mark A. Pierce, Frederick M. Roberts, Jerome V Scofield, Harry F. Sewell, Frank C. Weller, E. G. Adams, Charles F. Reindollar, Charles B. Melville, F. E. Dayton, Mrs Cora M. Woodbridge, S. C. Hartranft, Alfred C. Murray, Roy J. Nielsen, Percy G. West, Isaac Jones, Archibald E. Brock, Edwin A. Mueller, Byron J. Walters, Joseph F. Burns, Robert B. Fry, Frederick C. Hawes, William B. Hornblower, Leland R. Jacobson, Edgar C. Levey, James A. Miller, Thomas A. Mitchell, Harry F. Morrison, Charles A. Oliva, Albert A. Rosenshine, Walter J. Schmidt, Ray Williamson, Bradford S. Crittenden, S. V. Wright, Frank L. Ekswand, Edgar O Campbell, C. C. Spalding, T. M. Wright, George C. Cleveland, Roscoe J. Anderson, Robert B. McPherson, Hubert B. Scudder, D. P. Anderson, Miss Esto B. Broughton, Fred B. Noyes, Frank W. Mixter, Walter H. Duval.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Chief Clerk announced that the next order of business was the election of officers for the forty-sixth session of the Assembly, and declared that nominations for the office of Speaker of the Assembly were now in order.

NOMINATIONS FOR SPEAKER.

Mr. Robert B. McPherson of Vallejo placed in nomination for Speaker Hon. Frank F. Merriam of Long Beach.

Nomination of Hon. Frank F. Merriam was seconded by Frank C. Weller of Glendale and Roscoe J. Anderson of Redding.

Mr. Albert A. Rosenshine of San Francisco placed in nomination for Speaker Hon Isaac Jones of Ontario.

Nomination of Hon. Isaac Jones was seconded by T. M. Wright of San Jose.

NOMINATIONS CLOSED.

Mr. Frank L Eksward moved that nominations for Speaker be now closed.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Harry Lyons.

Motion carried.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF SPEAKER.

The roll was called with the following result:

For HON. FRANK F. MERRIAM of Long Beach—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jost, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Merriam, Mixter, Murphy, Noves, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—40.

For HON. ISAAC JONES of Ontario—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Croter, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—39.

The Chief Clerk announced the vote of the Assembly, and declared Hon. Frank F Merriam the choice of the Assembly for Speaker.

MOTION TO MAKE ELECTION UNANIMOUS.

Mr. Isaac Jones moved that the election of Hon. Frank F. Merriam for Speaker of the Assembly be made unanimous.

Mr. Homer Spence seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF ESCORT.

The Chief Clerk appointed Messrs. Roscoe J. Anderson, Frank C. Weller and Robert B. McPherson a special committee to escort Speaker-elect Hon. Frank F. Merriam to the chair.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Upon arriving at the bar of the Assembly Speaker-elect Hon. Frank F. Merriam took and subscribed to the following oath administered by William M. Finch, Presiding Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Speaker of the Assembly to the best of my ability.

NOMINATIONS FOR SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE.

The Speaker declared the election of Speaker pro tempore next in order, and called for nominations.

Mr. Frank L. Coombs of Napa nominated Hon. Homer R. Spence of Alameda.

Nomination of Hon. Homer R. Spence was seconded by Mr. C. C. Spalding of Sunnyvale.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For HON. HOMER R SPENCE of Alameda—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval,

Easley, Ekswarď, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—76.

Hon. Homer R. Spence being the choice of the Assembly for Speaker pro tempore, the Speaker declared him duly elected.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF ESCORT.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Frank L. Coombs, Sidney T. Graves and Albert A. Rosenshine a special committee to escort Speaker pro tempore Hon. Homer R. Spence to the bar of the Assembly.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Upon arriving at the bar of the Assembly, Speaker pro tempore Hon. Homer R Spence took and subscribed to the following oath, administered by William M. Finch, Presiding Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and discharge the duties of the office of Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly to the best of my ability.

NOMINATIONS FOR CHIEF CLERK.

The Speaker now declared the nomination and election of Chief Clerk of the Assembly in order.

Mr. Sidney T. Graves of Los Angeles nominated Mr. Arthur A. Ohnimus of San Francisco.

The nomination of Mr. Arthur A. Ohnimus was seconded by Mr. James A Miller of San Francisco.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF CHIEF CLERK.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS of San Francisco—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswarď, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—77.

Mr. Arthur A. Ohnimus, being the choice of the Assembly, was declared duly elected Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Mr. Arthur A. Ohnimus appeared before the bar of the Assembly, and took and subscribed to the following oath of office administered by William M. Finch, Presiding Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and discharge the duties of the office of Chief Clerk of the Assembly to the best of my ability.

NOMINATIONS FOR MINUTE CLERK.

The Speaker declared the next order of business the nomination and election of Minute Clerk of the Assembly.

Mr. Van Bernard of Butte City placed in nomination for Minute Clerk of the Assembly Mr. Louis F. Erb of San Francisco.

Mr. Wm. B. Hornblower of San Francisco seconded the nomination of Mr. Louis F. Erb.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF MINUTE CLERK.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For LOUIS F. ERB of San Francisco—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Mr. Louis F. Erb, having received a majority vote of the Assembly, was declared duly elected Minute Clerk of the Assembly, and was directed to appear before the bar of the Assembly, where he took and subscribed to the following oath of office administered by William M. Finch, Presiding Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and discharge the duties of the office of Minute Clerk to the best of my ability.

NOMINATIONS FOR SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

The Speaker declared the next order of business the nomination and election of Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly.

Mr. Percy G. West of Sacramento placed in nomination Mr. W. J. Leflar of Sacramento.

Mr. Roy J. Nielsen of Sacramento seconded the nomination of Mr. W. J. Leflar.

Mr. Edgar C. Levey of San Francisco placed in nomination Mr. Chas. H. Wilkinson of San Francisco.

Mr. Hornblower seconded the nomination of Mr. Wilkinson.

Mr. Henry E. Carter of Los Angeles placed in nomination Mr. C. E. Whiteside of Los Angeles.

Mr. Thomas L. Dodge of Los Angeles seconded the nomination of Mr. Whiteside.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For W. J. LEFLAR of Sacramento—Browne, Deuel, Dillinger, Eksward, McPherson, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, and West—9.

For CHAS. H. WILKINSON of San Francisco—Adams, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—36.

For C. E. WHITESIDE of Los Angeles—Anderson, D. P., Anderson R. J., Badham, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—33

No candidate having received a majority of the vote cast, the Speaker ordered another vote taken.

WITHDRAWAL OF NOMINEE.

Mr. West, with the consent of his second, withdrew the name of W. J. Leflar.

The roll was called with the following result:

For CHAS. H. WILKINSON of San Francisco—Adams, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—42.

For C. E. WHITESIDE of Los Angeles—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—36.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Mr. Wilkinson, having received a majority vote of the Assembly, was declared duly elected Sergeant-at-Arms, and was directed to appear before the bar of the Assembly, where he took and subscribed to the following oath of office administered by William M. Finch, Presiding Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and discharge the duties of the office of Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly to the best of my ability.

NOMINATIONS FOR CHAPLAIN.

The Speaker declared the next order of business the nomination and election of Chaplain of the Assembly.

Mr. Roy J. Nielsen of Sacramento placed in nomination for Chaplain of the Assembly Rev. William H. Hermitage of Sacramento.

Mr. B. S. Crittenden of Tracy seconded the nomination of Rev. William H. Hermitage.

Mr. Chas. A. Foster of Fowler placed in nomination for Chaplain of the Assembly Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee of Oakland.

Mr. J. Croter of Oakland seconded the nomination of Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee of Oakland.

Nominations closed.

ELECTION OF CHAPLAIN.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For REV. WM. H. HERMITAGE of Sacramento—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Graves, Heisinger, Jones, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Runner, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—26.

For DR. RUDOLPH I. COFFEE of Oakland—Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Merriam, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland,

Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—49

The Speaker thereupon declared Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee the duly elected Chaplain of the Assembly.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Chief Clerk announced that in accordance with the power vested in him by the statutes he had appointed Mr. C. William Booth of Oakland Assistant Clerk of the Assembly at the per diem provided by law, and respectfully asked that the Assembly confirm said appointment.

The question being upon the confirmation of the appointment.

The roll was called, with the following result:

For C. WILLIAM BOOTH of Oakland—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED.

Whereupon the Speaker declared Mr. C. William Booth duly appointed Assistant Clerk, and directed him to appear before the bar of the Assembly, where he took and subscribed to the following oath of office, administered by William H. Finch, Presiding Justice of the Third District Court of Appeal:

I solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and discharge the duties of the office of Assistant Clerk to the best of my ability.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Roberts:

Resolved, That a select committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Assembly is organized and awaits any communication he may have to make to it.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Roberts, Browne and Walters as such committee.

By Mr. Carter:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a select committee of three to inform the Senate that the Assembly is now duly organized, having elected the following statutory officers:

1. Speaker, Hon. Frank F. Merriam.
2. Speaker pro tempore, Hon. Homer R. Spence.
3. Chief Clerk, Arthur A. Ohnimus.
4. Minute Clerk, Louis F. Erb.
5. Sergeant-at-Arms, Charles H. Wilkinson.
6. Chaplain, Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Carter, Brock and Murphy as such committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The following message from the Senate was received and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate is now duly organized and ready to proceed with the business of the State, having elected the following statutory officers

President pro tempore—Hon. Arthur H. Breed
Secretary of the Senate—Joseph A Beek
Sergeant-at-Arms—Joseph A. Nolan.
Minute Clerk—Harold J Powers.
Chaplain—Rev. Wm. E Harrison.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Badham:

Resolved, That the Assembly rules of the forty-fifth session of the Legislature be, and the same are hereby adopted as the temporary rules of this House until otherwise ordered, with the following changes, to wit: 1925 to be inserted in lieu of 1923, wherever that figure appears.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Remdollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—None.

TEMPORARY RULES OF THE ASSEMBLY

CONVENING AND ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Hours of Meeting.

1. The sessions of the Assembly shall be daily (Sundays excepted), beginning at nine o'clock and thirty minutes a m After the constitutional recess, a recess shall be taken daily at the hour of twelve o'clock noon until the hour of one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the House

Speaker to Call House to Order.

2. The Speaker, or, in his absence, the Speaker pro tempore, shall take the chair precisely at the hour appointed for meeting, and shall immediately call the House to order. In the absence of both the Speaker and Speaker pro tempore, the Chief Clerk, or an assistant, shall call the House to order, whereupon a Chairman shall be elected from among the members to preside.

Order of Business.

3. The order of business of the Assembly shall be as follows.

1. Roll Call
2. Prayer by the Chaplain.
3. Reading and Approval of the Journal
4. Presentation of Petitions
5. Reports of Standing Committees
6. Reports of Select Committees
7. Messages from the Governor
8. Messages from the Senate.
9. Introduction and Reference of Bills.
10. Motions and Resolutions.
11. Special Orders of the Day.
12. Unfinished Business of the Preceding Day.
13. Business on Special File, Second Reading, and Third Reading of Bills

14. Business on General File, Second Reading, and Third Reading of Bills.
15. Announcements of Committee Meetings
16. Adjournment.

Priority of Business.

4. All questions relating to the priority of business shall be decided without debate.

Motion to Adjourn.

5. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, except during roll call. The Clerk shall enter on the Journal the name of any member moving an adjournment, also the hour at which the motion was made and adjournment taken.

When a motion is made and seconded to adjourn, it shall be in order for the Speaker, before putting the question, to permit any member to state any fact to the

DUTIES OF THE SPEAKER.

Speaker to Preserve Order; to Decide Points of Order; and May Speak to Same.

6. The Speaker shall preserve order and decorum; may speak to points of order in preference to other members, rising from his seat for that purpose; and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House by any member, on which appeal no member shall speak more than once, unless by leave of the House.

Speaker to Have Direction of the Hall; May Call Any Member to the Chair.

7. The Speaker shall have general direction of the hall. He shall have a right to name any member to perform the duties of the Chair, but such substitutions shall not extend beyond an adjournment. He shall have the control and direction of the journals, papers and bills of the Assembly. He shall have the power to see that all officers of the Assembly perform their respective duties, and may assign places to properly accredited newspaper representatives.

Speaker to Sign Resolutions, etc., Attested by the Clerk.

8. All acts, addresses, and joint resolutions shall be signed by the Speaker, and all writs, warrants, and subpœnas issued by order of the House shall be under his hand, attested by the Clerk.

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSEMBLY.

Committees to be Appointed by Speaker.

9. All committees shall be appointed by the Speaker, unless otherwise ordered by the House.

Standing Committees.

10 The standing committees of the Assembly shall be as follows:

1. A Committee on Agriculture, to consist of seventeen members.
2. A Committee on Attaches, to consist of seven members.
3. A Committee on Banking, to consist of nine members.
4. A Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to consist of seven members.
5. A Committee on Civil Service, to consist of nine members.
6. A Committee on Claims, to consist of seven members.
7. A Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to consist of nine members.
8. A Committee on Conservation, to consist of nine members
9. A Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to consist of nine members.
10. A Committee on Contested Elections to consist of seven members.
11. A Committee on Contingent Expenses, to consist of five members.
12. A Committee on Corporations, to consist of nine members.
13. A Committee on County Government, to consist of fifteen members.
14. A Committee on Direct Legislation, to consist of seven members.
15. A Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to consist of thirteen members.
16. A Committee on Education, to consist of thirteen members
17. A Committee on Elections, to consist of eleven members.
18. A Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, to consist of five members.
19. A Committee on Federal Relations, to consist of seven members.
20. A Committee on Fish and Game, to consist of fifteen members.
21. A Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy to consist of eleven members.
22. A Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to consist of thirteen members.
23. A Committee on Insurance, to consist of eleven members.
24. A Committee on Irrigation, to consist of twenty-one members.
25. A Committee on Judiciary, to consist of twenty-one members.
26. A Committee on Labor and Capital, to consist of thirteen members.
27. A Committee on Libraries, to consist of seven members.
28. A Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to consist of eleven members.
29. A Committee on Manufactures, to consist of seven members.
30. A Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to consist of nine members

31. A Committee on Mileage, to consist of five members.
32. A Committee on Military Affairs, to consist of nine members
33. A Committee on Mines and Mining, to consist of nine members.
34. A Committee on Motor Vehicles, to consist of twenty-one members.
35. A Committee on Municipal Corporations, to consist of thirteen members.
36. A Committee on Normal Schools, to consist of seven members.
37. A Committee on Oil Industries, to consist of nine members.
38. A Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to consist of thirteen members.
39. A Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to consist of nine members
40. A Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to consist of nine members.
41. A Committee on Public Morals, to consist of eleven members.
42. A Committee on Public Utilities, to consist of eleven members
43. A Committee on Reapportionment, to consist of twenty-one members.
44. A Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to consist of fifteen members.
45. A Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of five members.
46. A Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to consist of seven members.
47. A Committee on Roads and Highways, to consist of fifteen members.
48. A Committee on Rules, to consist of seven members, including the Speaker.
49. A Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to consist of thirteen members.
50. A Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to consist of seven members.
51. A Committee on Universities, to consist of seven members.
52. A Committee on Ways and Means, to consist of twenty-one members.

Special Standing Committees.

11. In addition to the regular standing committees of the Assembly, there shall be special standing committees, as follows

1. A Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of five members, as provided in the Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly.
2. A Committee on Introduction of Bills after the Constitutional Recess, to consist of three members.

Schedules for Committee Meetings.

12. The Speaker shall be empowered to propose to the Assembly such schedules for regular meetings of the standing committees as shall permit a full attendance of their members without conflict of committee engagements

Quorum of Standing Committees.

13. Each standing committee shall determine its own quorum and the number of affirmative votes necessary to report a bill out of committee; *provided*, that not less than one-half the number of members constituting such committee shall in any case constitute such quorum, nor shall less than the affirmative votes of a majority of such committee be sufficient to report a bill out of committee.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Appropriations of Money to Be Considered in Committee of the Whole.

14. All bills making appropriations of money may be considered in a Committee of the Whole House while on second reading by demand of five or more members.

Proceedings of Committee of the Whole House.

15 In forming a Committee of the Whole House, the Speaker, as chairman or a chairman to be named by the Speaker, shall preside. Bills committed to a Committee of the Whole House shall, in Committee of the Whole, be read by sections. All amendments shall be noted and reported to the Assembly by the chairman. After being reported to the Assembly, the bill shall again be subject to amendment before a vote on the report is taken.

Rules in Committee of the Whole.

16. The rules of the Assembly shall be observed in Committee of the Whole, as far as may be applicable, except limiting the time of speaking, and except that the ayes and noes need not be taken.

Motion to Rise Decided Without Debate.

17. A motion that the committee rise shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

SPECIAL DUTIES OF CERTAIN COMMITTEES

Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment.

18 It shall be the duty of the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment to compare all bills, constitutional amendments, and concurrent and joint resolutions, ordered or considered engrossed by this House with the engrossed copies thereof; and, before they pass out of the possession of this House, see that the engrossed

bill is a true copy of the original, with such amendments as may have been made thereto, and said committee shall see that all engrossed bills are reported back in the order in which they were ordered engrossed.

Engrossing and Enrolling Bills

19. The Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk shall engross and enroll the bills, constitutional amendments, and joint and concurrent resolutions which shall come to his hands for such purposes, in compliance with the provisions of section 539 of the Political Code, and in the order of time in which the same shall be acted upon by the House. All Assembly bills, constitutional amendments and joint and concurrent resolutions shall be engrossed before final action is taken on them in the Assembly, and the report of such engrossment must be made to the Assembly on a day previous to the day on which such final action is taken.

Reports of Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment.

20. It shall be in order for the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment to report at any time.

Committee on Ways and Means.

21. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Ways and Means to take into consideration all reports of the State officers and State boards or State commissions, and all propositions relative to the revenue of the State, as may be referred to them by the Assembly; to inquire into the state of the revenue and expenditures of the State, and report from time to time their opinion thereon. All bills for the appropriation of money, which were not at first referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, shall be reported to the House by the committees having them under consideration, and shall thereupon, *without motion, be referred to the Committee* on Ways and Means; and said committee shall consider and report thereon the amount of appropriation required. The Committee on Ways and Means shall, from time to time, at least once in two weeks, report to the House the exact condition of legislation involving appropriations, and the aggregate amount of all the proposed appropriations pending.

Committee's Report on Sine Die Adjournment.

22. Concurrent resolutions for adjournment sine die shall in all cases, whether originating in the House or coming from the Senate, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. That committee shall report upon any such concurrent resolution not later than the next legislative day, and with regard to the status of the general appropriation bill and tax levy.

Committee on Contested Elections.

23. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Contested Elections to examine and report upon the certificates of election or other credentials of such members returned to serve in this House, as may have their seats contested, and to take into their consideration all such petitions and other matters touching elections and returns as shall or may be presented or come into question, and be referred to them by the House, or the Speaker thereof.

Committee on Attaches.

24. The Committee on Attaches shall assign the committee clerks and the official stenographers of the House to the various committees and, on recommendation of the Chief Clerk, shall have the authority to reassign any clerk or attache under him to special duties or other committees when the necessity arises.

The Committee on Attaches, in cooperation with the Chief Clerk and Sergeant-at-Arms, shall exercise general supervision over and shall systematize the work of all attaches.

The Committee on Attaches shall see to it that attaches shall not receive their per diem until they have been sworn in, and that the per diem of attaches shall be forfeited for each day on which they are absent from their duties without excuse from the authority delegated by the committee.

All assignments of committee clerks and stenographers made by the Committee on Attaches under this rule shall be reported to the House and entered in the Journal.

DUTIES OF ASSEMBLY OFFICERS AND ATTACHES

Duties of Chief Clerk.

25. The Chief Clerk shall have charge and supervision of all the clerical business of the Assembly. He shall perform the duties imposed on him by law and the rules of the Assembly. Subject to the provisions of Rule 67, he and his assistants shall read from the desk only such matter as the Speaker shall direct. He shall have the supervision of all the clerks and assistants at the desk, of all bill clerks, bill filers, stenographers, and of all committee attaches, and all pages, and shall be responsible for their performance of and regular attendance upon their duties and shall have power to suspend any such clerk or attache under him for dereliction of duty, and shall report to the Committee on Attaches such suspension and the cause thereof.

Said suspended clerk or attache shall not receive any pay during the time of such suspension. The Committee on Attaches shall have the power to relieve the attache or clerk of his suspension, and shall have the power, subject to the approval of the House, to remove any clerk or attache for incompetency or for wilful neglect of duty. The Chief Clerk shall not permit any records or papers to be taken from the desk, or out of his custody, by any person except a chairman of a committee; but he shall deliver any bill or paper to be printed to the Superintendent of State Printing, and all bills ordered engrossed or enrolled to the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, and take receipts therefor.

Duties of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

26. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall attend the House during its sittings, execute the commands of the Speaker of the House, and serve all processes issued by authority thereof directed to him by the Speaker. He shall be sworn to keep the secrets of the House. He shall also have supervision over the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms and gatekeepers, and shall be responsible for their performance of and regular attendance upon their duties, and shall have power to suspend any such attache under him for dereliction of duty, and shall report to the Committee on Attaches such suspension and the causes thereof. Said suspended attache shall not receive any pay during the time of such suspension. The Committee on Attaches shall have power to relieve the attache of his suspension and shall have the power subject to the approval of the House, to remove any attache for incompetency or for wilful neglect of duty. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall place copies of all bills, joint and concurrent resolutions, constitutional amendments, and journals and histories, when printed, on the desks of members at least one hour previous to the opening of the session.

Expenses of Sergeant-at-Arms.

27. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall receive his actual traveling expenses for himself or a special messenger when executing any process issued by the House or by any officer or committee thereof.

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms to Be Doorkeeper.

28. The Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms who is designated to be the doorkeeper shall be sworn to keep the secrets of the House.

Compensation of Attaches.

29. No attache of the Assembly shall demand or receive from any person any compensation other than that provided by law for services performed as such attache.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Introduction and Reading of Bills.

30. Any member desiring to introduce a bill shall rise in place and address the Speaker, and upon being recognized shall present the same. It shall then be numbered and read the first time at the clerk's desk and referred to a standing committee, and be printed, and a copy placed upon the desk of each member. Every bill shall be read at length on three several days previous to its passage, unless in case of urgency two-thirds of the House shall, by vote of ayes and noes, dispense with this provision. The Speaker shall give notice at each reading, whether it is the first, second or third reading. All bills to appropriate money for contingent purposes shall be presented by the Committee on Ways and Means. The chairman or clerk of each committee of the Assembly shall notify the author of any bill or proceeding pending before such committee of the hour and place of hearing or acting upon such bill or proceeding.

Joint and Concurrent Resolutions and Constitutional Amendments.

31. Joint and concurrent resolutions shall be treated the same as bills: *provided*, that they shall be read but once, and that after they have been reported by a committee, *and provided, further*, that the ayes and noes shall not be called upon the adoption of concurrent resolutions, except those presenting charter amendments, unless regularly demanded, or required by statute or the constitution. Proposed amendments to the constitution shall be treated the same as bills, *provided*, they shall be read but once, and only after they have been reported by a committee. All bills, constitutional amendments, and joint and concurrent resolutions may be amended by a majority of those voting.

Procedure on First Day of Introducing Bills.

32. In each legislative session on the first day when bills are introduced, under the "Order of Business" or "Introduction and Reference of Bills," the roll shall be called from A to Z and then back again from Z to A, and as each member's name is called, he shall have the privilege of introducing one bill, constitutional amendment, joint or concurrent resolution. After these two roll calls, bills constitutional amendments, joint or concurrent resolutions shall be introduced by members on recognition of the Speaker, as provided by the rules of the Assembly, and all bills, constitutional amendments or joint or concurrent resolutions introduced before the

standing committees of the Assembly are appointed, shall be referred to committees, references to take effect when the committees shall be appointed.

Introduction of Bills by Committee.

33. Any committee may introduce a bill appertaining to any subject coming within its consideration, whereupon it shall be read the first time and placed upon the proper second-reading file. When such bill is designed to be a substitute for one or more Assembly bills, the bills for which it is such a substitute shall, by a majority vote of the House, be deemed withdrawn, and shall not appear upon the file. Upon the introduction of a bill by a committee, it shall be numbered as a new bill, read, ordered printed, and placed upon the Assembly file for further action.

Introduction of Bills After Constitutional Recess.

34. Immediately upon convening after the constitutional recess the Speaker shall appoint a standing Committee on Introduction of Bills, to consist of three members

All motions for leave to introduce bills after the constitutional recess shall be sent to the desk in writing, under the order of "Introduction of Bills," and at no other time. The motion shall give the title of the bill, and shall be accompanied by the bill. The bill shall thereupon be referred to the Committee on Introduction of Bills

Joint and concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments shall not be referred to the Committee on Introduction of Bills, and shall not require a vote to authorize their introduction

The committee shall examine bills referred to it with particular reference to the question as to whether there is already any bill in either House of the same character which might be amended to effect the results sought, and generally as to the advisability of introducing the measure.

The committee shall report upon each bill so referred to it on the same legislative day. The report shall be made at the conclusion of the consideration of the Senate Special File.

The committee may, in its discretion, incorporate more than one bill in the resolution to grant leave to introduce, incorporating in the resolution the title of each bill in full, and the roll shall be called upon the adoption of the resolution and no resolution to introduce any such bill shall be adopted without the consent of three-fourths of the members of the Assembly.

If a division of the question is demanded upon the introduction of any particular bill, the division shall be allowed, and the roll called separately upon the bill. The author of any bill shall have not more than ten minutes within which to speak to the question of the introduction of his bill and the Committee on Introduction of Bills may have the same time for reply.

Reference of Bills.

35 At the time of introduction the Speaker shall first indicate to what committee a bill or resolution ought to be referred, and it shall be so referred, unless upon a motion, without debate, the Assembly by a majority vote refer it to some other committee. A motion to re-refer a bill shall be debatable as to the propriety of such re-reference

Order of Reference.

36. When a motion is made to refer any subject, and different committees shall be proposed, the question shall be taken in the following order:

The Committee of the Whole House.
A Standing Committee.
A Select Committee.

Referring With Special Instructions.

37. No amendment shall be received for discussion at the third reading of any bill; but it shall at all times be in order, before the final passage of such bill, to move its commitment to a select committee, under special instructions to amend

Reference of Senate Bills.

38. When a Senate bill has been received by the House with a message announcing that the same has passed the Senate, such bill shall be referred to a standing committee: *provided, however*, that when a Senate bill is received the provisions of which are stated by a member to be identical with those of an Assembly bill which has already been considered and reported by a committee of the Assembly, such Senate bill shall be referred to the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment for comparison, which committee shall report on the next legislative day whether or not said bill is identical with the Assembly bill, and if reported identical, shall be read the second time, be substituted for the Assembly bill (the latter being considered withdrawn), shall take the latter's place on the Assembly file, and be considered as having received the same recommendation of the Assembly committee; *provided*, that the fact that the bills are identical shall be entered in the Journal

Bills to Be Reported Back to Committees.

39. All committees shall act upon bills, constitutional amendments and resolutions referred to them as soon as practicable, and when acted upon each bill shall be reported back to the Assembly forthwith, and the chairman of each committee is charged with the observance of this rule; *provided*, that the Assembly may at any time, by a majority vote of all its members, recall a bill, constitutional amendment or resolution from any committee.

ORDER OF CONSIDERING BILLS.

Order of Making File.

40 Upon the introduction of bills they shall be read the first time, and referred to committees as provided in Rule 30 When reported back they shall be placed upon the general file, to be kept by the Clerk, as follows All bills when reported to the House by the committees, except such bills as are by the report re-referred to another committee, shall be placed at the foot of the second-reading file, in the order in which the reports are made, and after the second reading they shall be placed at the foot of the third-reading file, in the order of reading, and precedence shall be given in the consideration of bills in the following order: Second-reading file and third-reading file, unless otherwise ordered by unanimous consent or by two-thirds vote of the House. The bills upon third reading shall be considered in the order in which they appear upon the file, unless otherwise ordered by unanimous consent or by vote of majority of the members present, such vote to be taken by roll call; *provided*, that if a bill is passed on file for any reason, other than the absence of the author by leave of the Assembly, note of the fact shall be made in the General File, and when passed on file a second time the bill shall be ordered to the foot of the file, and notice of the fact of the bill having been passed on file prior to the order placing it at the foot of the file shall be omitted from the General File The Clerk shall post, in a conspicuous place in the chamber, a daily statement of the bills on the General File, setting forth the order in which they were filed, and specifying the alterations arising from the disposal of business each day.

Order Making Special File.

41 The Clerk shall, from time to time, make up a file, to be known as the Special File, on which he shall place bills relating to appropriations for the support of the State government and State institutions, revenue, election laws and constitutional amendments, in the order named, and in the order in which the same may be reported to the Assembly, and he shall place no other bills thereon, nor shall any bill on the General File be substituted for any bill thereon.

Ordering Bills to Third Reading.

42. After being read the second time bills shall be ordered by the Speaker to third reading (or, in the case of Assembly bills, to engrossment and third reading). When any member makes objection to any bill thus being ordered to third reading, the final question for such bill shall be, "Shall the bill be ordered to third reading?"

Bills Considered During Last Seven Days.

43 No Assembly bill shall be passed by the Assembly within seven days of the time set for adjournment sine die of the two houses of the Legislature, unless permission to vote on such bill be granted by a three-fourths vote of the Assembly after being recommended by the Speaker of the Assembly.

QUESTIONS AND MOTIONS.

Precedence of Motions During Debate.

44. When a question is under debate, or before the House, no motion shall be received but: To adjourn; to lay on the table; for the previous question; to postpone to a day certain; to commit or amend; to postpone indefinitely; which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are named, but the first three shall be decided without debate; and no motion to postpone to a day certain, to commit, or to postpone indefinitely, being decided, shall again be allowed on the same day and at the same stage of the proceedings A motion to strike out the enacting clause of a bill shall have preference over a motion to amend, and, if carried, shall be considered equivalent to its rejection. A dilatory motion shall not be considered intervening business within the meaning of parliamentary usage.

Division of Questions.

45. Any member may call for a division of the question, which shall be divided if it comprehend propositions in substance so distinct that, one being taken away, a substantive proposition shall remain for the decision of the House. A motion to strike out being lost, shall preclude neither a motion to add to nor a motion to strike out and insert.

Substitute.

46. A motion to substitute shall be deemed and held to be a motion to amend, and be treated in all respects as such.

Subjects Different from the One Under Consideration.

47. No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted as an amendment.

Question Indefinitely Postponed.

48. When a question is postponed indefinitely, the same shall not again be introduced during the session.

PROCEDURE OF DEBATE

Motions to Be Stated by Speaker, and If Desired Shall Be Reduced to Writing, or May be Withdrawn.

49. No motion shall be debated until the same be seconded and distinctly announced by the Speaker, and it shall be reduced to writing, if desired by the Speaker, or any member, and be read by the Clerk, before the same shall be debated. A motion may be withdrawn, by leave of the House, at any time before amendment or decision.

Order in Speaking to Questions

50. Every member, when he speaks, shall, standing in his place, address "Mr. Speaker," and when he has finished he shall sit down. No member shall speak more than twice during the consideration of any one question, of whatever nature, on the same day and at the same stage of proceedings, without leave being granted, except the author of a bill or resolution, or mover of a question, who shall have the right to close the debate. No member shall be allowed to speak more than fifteen minutes upon any question except by leave of the House, and except further, the author shall be allowed fifteen minutes to open and fifteen minutes to close

Speaker to Decide Who Is Entitled to the Place.

51. When two or more members shall rise at once, the Speaker shall name the member who is first to speak.

Calling Members to Order When Transgressing Rules.

52. If any member, in speaking or otherwise, transgresses the rules of the House, the Speaker shall, or any member may, call to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain, and if called to order by a member, such member shall immediately state the point of order. If the point of order be sustained by the Chair, the member shall not be allowed to proceed, but if it be not sustained, then he shall be permitted to go on. Every such decision from the Chair shall be subject to an appeal to the House, but no discussion of a question of order shall be allowed, unless an appeal be taken from the decision of the Chair.

Called to Order for Offensive Words in Debate

53. If any member be called to order for offensive words spoken in debate, the person calling him to order shall report the words excepted to, and they shall be taken down in writing at the Clerk's table; and no member shall be held to answer, or be subject to censure of the House, for language used in debate, if any member has spoken or other business has intervened after the words spoken and before exception to them shall have been taken.

THE PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Previous Question Demanded.

54. The previous question shall be put only when demanded by five members.

Manner of Putting the Previous Question.

55. The previous question shall be in this form, "Shall the main question be now put?" And its effect, when sustained by a majority of the members present, shall be to put an end to all debate and bring the House to a vote on the question or questions before it.

Questions of Order After Previous Question Is Ordered.

56 All incidental questions of order arising after a motion is made for the previous question, and pending such motion or previous question, shall be decided (whether on appeal or otherwise) without debate; *provided*, that after the previous question shall have been ordered, ten minutes shall be allowed for explanation of the matters covered by the previous question, of which five minutes shall be given to the member moving the previous question, and five minutes to those opposed thereto.

VOTING BY ASSEMBLY.

Calling Ayes and Noes.

57. The ayes and noes shall be taken on the final passage of all bills, and when called for by five members on other questions, and every member within the bar of the House, when his name is called, shall (unless for special reasons he be excused) declare openly and without debate, his vote In taking the ayes and noes, and upon call of the House, the names of the members shall be taken alphabetically, and the Clerk shall enter on the Journal the names of those demanding the ayes and noes.

Members at Clerk's Desk.

58. No member, or other person shall remain by the Clerk's table while the ayes and noes are being called, or while the votes are being counted.

Voting on Question When Interested.

59. No person shall vote on any question in the result of which he is personally interested or involved.

Division and Count of House.

60. Upon a division and count of the House on any question, no person without the bar shall be counted.

Explaining or Changing Vote

61. No member shall be allowed to explain his vote or discuss the question while the ayes and noes are being called, and no member shall be allowed to change his vote after the vote is announced by the Chair.

Election by House.

62. In all cases of election by the House, the vote shall be taken viva voce.

Notice of Reconsideration of Vote

63. On the day succeeding that on which a final vote on any bill, constitutional amendment, or resolution has been taken, said vote may be reconsidered on the motion of any member, *provided*, a notice of intention to move such reconsideration shall have been given on the day on which such final vote was taken, by a member voting with the successful side, and it shall not be in order for any member to move a reconsideration on the day on which such final vote was taken. Said motion of reconsideration shall have precedence over every other motion, except a motion to adjourn. No notice of reconsideration shall be in order on the day preceding the last day of the session. No motion to reconsider shall be adopted, except upon a roll call, and it shall require forty-one votes to adopt the motion.

MESSAGES, PETITIONS AND PAPERS

Messengers May Be Introduced

64. Messengers may be introduced at any stage of business except while a question is being put, while the ayes and noes are being called, while the ballots are being counted, or while a member is addressing the House.

Messages from the Governor and Senate.

65. Messages from the Governor and from the Senate may be considered at any time by vote of the House or by unanimous consent.

Petitions to Be Presented With a Brief Statement of Contents.

66. Whenever petitions, memorials, or other papers addressed to the House are presented by a member, a brief statement of the contents thereof shall be made verbally by the introducer. They shall not be debated on the day of their being presented, but shall lie on the table, or be referred, as the House shall determine.

Reading of Papers

67. When the reading of a paper is called for, except petitions, and the same is objected to by a member, such reading shall be determined by a vote of the House, without debate, upon brief statement of its substance by the Speaker.

THE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Persons Admitted to the Floor.

68. No persons except Senators, State officers, Governors and ex-Governors of the states, members of Congress, Judges of the Supreme, Appellate and Superior Courts, ex-Senators and ex-Assemblymen, members of the press when accredited by their respective journals, attaches when actually engaged in work for the Assembly or a member thereof, and the wife or child of a member, shall be admitted within the Assembly Chamber, except in the gallery, during the sessions of the Assembly, *provided, however*, any other guest of any member may be admitted to the floor of the Assembly, but to no other part of the floor than to a seat at the desk of said member, and *provided, also*, that such admission of said guest shall be only by written permission of said member, countersigned by the Speaker, such permission being good only for the sessions of the day on which it is given, the names of such member and guest to be entered in the Journal when specifically requested by such member. At the convening of the Assembly in the morning, or after recess, all present except those covered by this rule shall retire from the floor of the Assembly. No one except the Sergeant-at-Arms or his deputies shall be allowed to remain in the lobby behind the rail at any time

No Lobbying in the Assembly Chamber.

69. No person engaged in presenting to the Assembly or its committees any business, or claim, or legislation, shall be permitted to engage in such business in the Assembly Chamber, or be permitted on the floor of the Assembly at any time while the Assembly is in session, unless seated beside a member upon his invitation, and any person transgressing this rule shall be removed from the floor of the

Assembly and be debarred from the privilege of the floor during the remainder of the entire session The Speaker is charged with the enforcement of this rule. This rule can not be suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the entire Assembly.

Speaker May Order the Galleries and Lobby Cleared.

70. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the galleries or lobby, or whenever he shall deem it necessary, the Speaker (or Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House) shall have power to order the same to be cleared

Smoking in the Assembly Chamber

71. No smoking shall be allowed within the Assembly Chamber during the session of the House; *provided*, that during night sessions, this rule may be suspended by a vote of the majority of the members present, without notice or reference to committee.

Use of Assembly Chamber.

72 The Assembly room shall not be used for any public or private business other than legislative, except by consent of a majority of the House

LEGISLATIVE PRINTING.

Printing of Bills.

73 One thousand five hundred copies of all bills, and as many additional copies as the House shall order, shall be printed The Chief Clerk or Sergeant-at-Arms shall be required to certify to the receipt by the House of all such printed matter and quantity thereof

Printing Extra Number of Bills, Etc

74 A proposition to print an extra number of any document or other matter shall lie on the table one day for consideration, unless otherwise ordered by consent of the House

Form for Printed Amended Bills.

75 All bills amended, either in committee or on the floor of the House, shall be immediately reprinted, the omission of any matter to be indicated by the insertion of heavy parentheses and all proposed additions to be enclosed in heavy brackets.

Printing of Maps.

76 Maps accompanying documents shall not be printed under the general order to print, without the special direction of the House

Filling Blanks.

77 In filling up blanks the least sum and shortest time shall be put first

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Protest of Members.

78 It shall be in order for any member or members to protest against the action of the House, and have such protest entered in the Journal.

Personal Explanation.

79 Any member may rise to explain a matter personal to himself, with leave of the Chair, but shall not discuss a question in such explanation

Right to Address Assembly

80 No one except a member of the Assembly shall be permitted to address the Assembly except in the Committee of the Whole

Call of the House.

81 Upon a motion being carried for a call of the House the Speaker shall immediately order the doors to be closed, and shall direct the Clerk to call the names of the absentees as disclosed by the last previous roll call. Thereupon no one shall be permitted to leave or enter the Assembly Chamber except by written permission of the Speaker, or except such members as are taken into custody as herein provided Those members who are found to be absent and for whom no excuse or sufficient excuses are made, may, by order of those present, be taken into custody, as they appear or may be sent for and then taken into custody by the Sergeant-at-Arms wherever found, or by special messenger to be appointed for that purpose In the absence of a quorum, a majority of the members present may order a roll call of the House and compel the attendance of absentees in the manner above provided No recess can be taken during a call of the House, *provided, however*, that during a call of the House it may consider and transact any matter or business that the members then present shall unanimously decide to consider, but no call of the House shall be had, during the call of the House, on any matter so taken up or considered while the House is under call When a call of the House is ordered, pending the completion of a roll call, the pending roll call shall

become unfinished business, the consideration of which shall be continued until further proceedings under the call of the House are dispensed with, when it will forthwith become the order of business before the Assembly.

Members Absenting Themselves.

82 No member shall absent himself from attendance at a session of the House without the leave of the House, and no member shall obtain leave of absence, or be excused without a vote of two-thirds of the House, or by unanimous consent.

Fees for Witnesses.

83. Witnesses summoned to appear before the House or any of its committees shall be paid as follows: For each day a witness shall attend, the sum of three dollars, for each mile he shall travel in coming to and going from the place of examination, the sum of ten cents. No mileage shall be paid, except where the witness has actually traveled for the purpose of giving testimony.

No Committee Expenditures Permitted.

84 No member of any committee shall be permitted to incur any expense by visiting any part of the State on official business, except that the Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means shall, during the constitutional recess, be allowed his actual expenses while on such business.

RULES OF PROCEDURE

Parliamentary Rules.

85. The rules of parliamentary practice contained in Robert's Rules of Order shall govern the House in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Standing Rules and Orders of the House and the Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly.

Suspending and Changing Rules

86. No standing rule or order of the House shall be rescinded or changed without a vote of two-thirds of the members of the Assembly, and one day's notice being given of the motion therefor, *provided*, that the Committee on Rules may at any time, except during a roll call, report a temporary rule providing for the consideration of any bill on the files of the House belonging to either of the following classes:

1. Bills affecting the State government, its revenues, its various departments or commissions or appropriations therefor
2. Bills affecting county and township governments, or roads and highways
3. Bills affecting town, city, city and county governments, or the municipal affairs of the same.
4. Bills amending election or primary election laws
5. Constitutional amendments
6. Bills amending or repealing the codes, or sections thereof

Such temporary rule shall provide when a bill so selected shall be taken up for consideration, and the time when final vote shall be taken thereon and pending amendments thereto, if there be any.

It shall always be in order to call up for consideration such report. The same shall be subject to amendments by the House

On the adoption of such temporary rule by the House by a two-thirds vote thereof, if the bill be on third reading, and by a majority vote of the members elected to the House, if otherwise, such bill shall thereupon be made the special order for the time fixed therein.

A rule or order may be suspended temporarily by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, except Rule 43 and that portion of Rule 30 relating to third reading of bills. A motion or resolution proposing to increase or diminish a standing committee shall not be adopted until the same has been referred to the Committee on Rules

The Committee on Rules may also, at any time, report a temporary rule or regulation When such temporary rule or regulation shall have been adopted by a two-thirds vote of the House it shall have the effect, for the time being, of a standing rule, and if such temporary rule shall be in conflict with a standing rule it shall supersede said standing rule for the time being, and shall be enforced by the Speaker

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Smith:

Resolved, That the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Chief Clerk of the Assembly in the sum of thirty ($30 00) dollars to be used as the post-office revolving fund, and the Treasurer is directed to pay the same

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

By Mr. Duval:

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly or the Bookkeeper to the Sergeant-at-Arms, be and they are hereby authorized to receipt to the Controller for all warrants for the payment of members, officers, and attaches of the Assembly.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be and he is hereby directed to procure from the State Purchasing Department, on requisition, for the use of the members of the Assembly, all necessary stationery and supplies

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

By Mr. McDonough:

WHEREAS, Divine Providence has seen fit to call from earthly labors our late fellow member of the past five sessions of the Assembly, Frank W. Anderson, of Oakland; and

WHEREAS, Frank W. Anderson, through his continuous service since 1915, displayed a faithfulness, attention to duty, and uniform kindness which has endeared him to the hearts of the members and all who knew him, and

WHEREAS, We desire to indicate by some token our sympathy for his bereaved parents and relatives;

Therefore, be it resolved, That when the Assembly adjourns this day, it do so out of respect to the memory of the late Frank W. Anderson, and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause these resolutions to be suitably engrossed and transmitted to the family of our late member.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. McDonough, unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The select committee appointed to wait upon the Governor reported as follows:

That they had delivered the Assembly's message and the Governor had informed them he would deliver his message, personally, to the Senate and Assembly, in joint convention, Wednesday, January 7, 1925, at 11 a.m.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO THE FLOOR OF THE ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Adams, Hon. John M. Griffin and Hon. Guy Windrem, former members of the Assembly from Madera, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Hon. Ed. Lewis of Marysville, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Byrne, Hon. Otto J. Emme of Los Angeles, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege

of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

ADJOURNMENT.

At two o'clock and seventeen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until 10 o'clock a.m. Tuesday, January 6, 1925, out of respect to the memory of the late Frank W. Anderson, a member for the past five sessions of the Assembly.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, January 6, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fly, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Badham, its further reading was dispensed with.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved by the Assembly, That a committee of three members be appointed to make arrangements for the meeting of the Senate and the Assembly in joint convention for the purpose of inviting the Governor to the Assembly Chamber to deliver his message.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Eksward adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In conformity with the provisions of the above resolution, the Speaker appointed the following committee: Messrs. Eksward, Sewell, and Smith.

ADJOURNMENT

At ten o'clock and fifteen minutes a.m., on motion of Mr Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Wednesday, January 7, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, January 7, 1925

At ten o'clock and thirty minutes a m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Ohva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Graves, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced the receipt of the following communication from the Surveyor General and ordered that the same be printed in the Journal:

OFFICE OF SURVEYOR GENERAL,
SACRAMENTO, January 5, 1925.

To the Legislature of the State of California

Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 800, Statutes of California, 1917, I beg to report that the registrars of titles under "The Torrens Law" in the sixteen counties of the State in which registrations of land have been made up to August 1, 1924, advised me as follows

Alameda County—

Relative to the total number of registrations or certificates of title issued, will advise that there were no new certificates issued—only transfers during 1924

In 1923 the registrar reported 94 certificates issued, including all transfers, up to August 1, 1923.

Fresno County—

The registrar of Fresno County made no report this year, but in 1923 he reported that two certificates were issued up to August 1, 1923.

Humboldt County—

The total number of Torrens certificates of title issued up to August 1, 1924, is 182

Imperial County—

Our total number of Torrens certificates up to August 1, 1924, is 244.

Kern County—

We have four registrations Torrens Act and this office has issued 43 certificates to August 1, 1924.

Los Angeles County—

The total number of certificates issued under the Land Registration Act (Torrens) up to August 1, 1924, was 28,853, and the total number of documents filed for record in said department from August 1, 1923, to August 1, 1924, was 19,217.

Orange County—

Nine hundred five parcels of land have been registered under the Land Title Law of California in this county; and 3496 certificates of title issued up to August 1, 1924.

Riverside County—

The total number of certificates issued in this county up to August 1, 1924, are 120, and no new decrees issued since February 6, 1923, and as the number of said certificates was 110, you will see that we have only issued 20 continuation certificates since that date.

San Bernardino County—

The total number of registrations under the Registered Land Title Law, up to August 1, is 475.

San Diego County—

The total number of certificates of title issued up to August 1, 1924, is 2187.

San Francisco County—

During the entire life of the Torrens Act there have been filed in this department but five original decrees. Nine certificates of title have been issued.

Santa Barbara County—

We have 176 certificates of title to date.

Santa Cruz County—

There has been one registration under the Torrens system in our office and we have issued ten certificates of title.

Sonoma County—

Up to August 1, 1924, there had been 219 certificates of title issued, 230 documents filed and no new registrations, leaving the total separate parcels of land registered as 84.

Tulare County—

Total number of certificates issued, 38.

Ventura County—

The registrar of Ventura County made no report this year, but in 1923 he reported that one certificate was issued up to August 1, 1923.

The Torrens Act provides that, upon the original registration of any land, a sum equal to one-tenth of one per cent of the assessed value of the land, including permanent improvements thereon as the same were valued for county taxation the last time said land and permanent improvements or either thereof were assessed for county taxes next preceding the filing of the petition, shall be collected by the Registrar and paid to the State Treasurer to be credited to the "Torrens Title Assurance Fund." The books of the State Treasurer show that on August 1, 1924, the "Torrens Title Assurance Fund" contained State of California Harbor Improvement 4 per cent bonds having a face value of $23,000, which were purchased for the benefit of said fund, for the sum of $22,253.19, and that the amount of cash in said fund on August 1, 1924, was $1,605.56.

Respectfully submitted.

W. S. KINGSBURY,
Surveyor General.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to introduce a bill at this time.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following bill was introduced:

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 266 of the Political Code, relating to the method of paying salaries of the members of the Legislature and making the same an urgency measure.

Bill read first time.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

The regular committees not having been appointed, the Speaker appointed Messrs. McPherson, Coombs, Graves, Wright, T. M., and Mrs. Saylor as a special committee to consider Assembly Bill No. 1 and to report to the Assembly tomorrow, January 8, 1925.

Assembly Bill No. 1 referred to special committee.

RECESS.

At eleven o'clock a. m., on motion of Mr Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess for the purpose of meeting with the Senate in Joint Convention.

IN JOINT CONVENTION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,

SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, January 7, 1925.

At eleven o'clock a m., the Senate and Assembly met in Joint Convention for the purpose of receiving the biennial message of Governor Friend Wm. Richardson.

Hon. Frank F Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, directed the Chief Clerk of the Assembly to call the roll of Assemblymen.

ASSEMBLY ROLL CALL.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—78.

The Speaker of the Assembly declared a quorum of the Assembly present.

Lieutenant Governor C. C. Young, President of the Senate, directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of Senators.

SENATE ROLL CALL.

The roll was called by Secretary Joseph A Beek, and the following answered to their names:

Senators Allen, Baker, Boggs, Breed, Canepa, Chamberlin, Christian, Creighton, Crowley, Dennett, Evans, Fellom, Gates, Gray, Handy, Harris, Hollister, Ingram, Inman, Johnson, A. B., Johnson, M B., Jones, Kline, Lewis, Lyon, Maloney, Murphy, Nelson, Pedrotti, Powers, Rush, Sample, Sharkey, Slater, Taylor, Tubbs, West, and Young—38

The President of the Senate declared a quorum of the Senate present.

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF ESCORT.

The President of the Senate announced that the Senate had appointed Senators Chamberlin, Crowley and Nelson, and Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, appointed Assemblymen Eksward, Sewell and Smith, as a joint committee to wait upon His Excellency Governor

Friend Wm. Richardson to inform him that the Joint Convention was now in session and to escort him to the convention

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF ESCORT.

The joint committee of escort of the Senate and Assembly appeared at the bar of the House and announced the presence of His Excellency Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor of the State of California.

PRESENTATION OF GOVERNOR FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON.

Hon. Arthur H Breed, President of the Senate pro tempore, presented Governor Friend Wm Richardson to the Joint Assembly. The Governor then delivered his first biennial message as follows:

FIRST BIENNIAL MESSAGE OF GOVERNOR FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON.

To the Senate and the Assembly of the State of California

Economy has been the watchword in state government during the past two calendar years. Every endeavor has been made to conduct affairs on an economical, efficient and businesslike basis The results show that twelve million dollars has been saved as promised the people, and that from a deficit, when I took office, there is now a surplus of six million dollars. The practice of economy has resulted in increased efficiency in the various state departments. Economy came into the management of the state government in 1923 as an unwelcome guest to the bosses of the old political machine and the spendthrifts who had for years kept piling higher and higher the burden upon the taxpayers Every inch in the progress of the economy campaign has been contested vigorously and viciously by the political bosses, their tax-eating parasites, and spendthrifts generally. At the end of the first fiscal year, June 30, 1924, there was a large balance on hand in the various funds and this deprived the critics of further material for attack Economy has proved successful. All of the various functions of the state have been maintained at a high state of efficiency and still there is a balance unexpended The program of economy has been and will be continued. Your cooperation and support at the coming session is earnestly desired Having demonstrated during the past two years that economy and efficiency can go hand in hand, there can be but little opposition and that will come from selfish interests and political manipulators.

BUSINESS IN GOVERNMENT.

During the past two years I have endeavored to give the people a business and not a political administration Appointments have been made on merit and not because of political pull The present state administration has no political machine or political organization Whenever an official under the former administration was found to be doing efficient work he has been retained. I feel particularly proud of the men from the previous administration whom I have retained and of the new men I have inducted into office. While having no political organization, I have built up a business organization unequalled for efficiency in the history of the state Every department of the state is functioning well The results prove it. I have taken an active interest in the various functions of government I have visualized myself as business manager of the state and not as a political "boss" distributing patronage to incompetent favorites, or a pseudo monarch issuing illegal proclamations on trivial subjects I have attended carefully to state business. I have visited all of the various state institutions and know of their workings. I have visited frequently the state departments in the state offices in Los Angeles and San Francisco and have conferred with the department heads From these inspections my conclusions are that the machinery of the state was never working more efficiently or satisfactorily.

COST OF MISFORTUNES.

The year 1924 was a trying one for this state, but the farmers, fruit men, stock men, resort owners, business men and citizens faced the various problems resolutely. Among the extraordinary situations which arose and which caused the people of the state great loss were: An unusually dry year, an unexpected visitation of the foot and mouth disease, a few forest fires mostly in United States reserves, a slight shortage of water for irrigation, a deficiency of water power for electric energy caused by the dry year, and an epidemic of some kind, unfortunately called a "plague," and last, and more deadly than all these, the flames of yellow journalism which lighted up the world with false, exaggerated and lurid tales. When I speak of yellow journalism I refer to a few metropolitan newspapers. An overwhelming majority of the press of the state is honest and helpful to California. It publishes free of charge thousands of columns of news telling of the charms of California's climate, its grand scenery, its many recreational places, its fertile soil and its various opportunities. Gutter journalism of the yellow type thrives chiefly on lying and exaggeration. The injurious publication in California of this class of journals has

held back the full advancement of the state, its tentacles having spread throughout the commonwealth and injured directly or indirectly every industry except that of selling faked news to a deluded public.

The foot and mouth disease has cost the state and nation directly nearly six million dollars. Its effect upon other industries, due to the exaggerated stories of the yellow journals, has cost the people of California many millions more. A few forest fires last summer were fanned by these journals until many of our people were panic stricken and resort and hotel business was paralyzed. This false news was spread to other states and untold damage has been inflicted upon California. The epidemic referred to above has resulted in a few deaths, mainly among the Mexican population, but yellow journals did not neglect another opportunity to injure the state by lurid and sensational fabrication. Even the recent Owens River aqueduct episode has been misrepresented to the detriment of the state. But the citizens of California have met all of these misfortunes bravely and successfully. They now have the issue of yellow journalism to solve and that can be easily solved by subscribers and advertisers demanding truth in the news columns. The publishers of these gutter journals care nothing for caustic criticism, but they have one vital organ, and that is the counting room. Action on this organ will quickly produce reform.

HIGHWAY FINANCING.

How to finance future highway construction is one of the big problems facing your body. The money from highway bond issues has been exhausted and if new work is to be continued more money must be raised. The two cent per gallon rate placed upon gasoline at the last session was for repairing and reconstructing state highways and not for new roads. There is now in the state system 6500 miles of highway of which some three thousand miles are of local character and should never have been placed in the system. These roads, commonly called "pork barrel" roads, are viewed with disapproval by the large centers of population which have to pay most of the money for their construction. Some of these local roads have been placed in the system by legislative action, while some of the most unnecessary are there by vote of the people. How to get these roads out of the state system is a problem for you to consider and it is a vital problem because the great centers will not continue to vote money if it is to be used upon roads not properly a part of the state system. The highway commission has found that the great pressure placed upon it for road work has usually been for work of the "pork barrel" variety.

APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES.

During the past two years I have appointed twenty-nine judges, which is a number unprecedented in the state. One of these was the chief justice of the supreme court, two were associate justices of the supreme court, three were justices of appellate courts, and twenty-three were judges of superior courts of various counties. I spent a great deal of time and earnest effort in making these appointments and have made them regardless of political or personal considerations. My sole desire has been to give the people first-class judges of the best legal attainments, highest character, and ability to work, in order that respect for the laws may be sustained. In the recent election, all of these judges with one exception were elected by the people.

LEGISLATIVE APPORTIONMENT.

The constitution of the state plainly provides that the legislature shall, at its first session after each census, adjust the districts and reapportion the representation so as to preserve them as nearly equal in population as may be. This plain duty was neglected by the legislature in 1921. The legislature in 1923 again failed to adjust the districts. I called attention to the importance of redistricting in a special message in ample time for the legislature of 1923 to act. Districting the state into forty senatorial and eighty assembly districts is not a simple matter, for, while population is the basis and the districts must be as nearly equal as may be, still these districts must be of contiguous territory, and no county or city can be divided unless given two or more districts. The legislative committees will have a difficult task before them in adjustments to conform to county and city boundaries and in adjusting and describing the various districts, but this should not deter them in obeying the mandate of the constitution. Since the 1910 census, on which districts are now adjusted, there has been a great shift in population, resulting in gross inequality in the population of the various districts.

LAW ENFORCEMENT.

The enactment of laws is of little importance if they are not enforced. Criminal prosecution for law violation has been placed by the constitution and the statutes in the hands of county officials. County grand juries, county district attorneys, county sheriffs and superior (county) judges, are elected by the people and charged with the duty of enforcing the law, both civil and criminal. This gives the people direct local self-government. Juries are selected from the citizens of the immediate vicinity. The governor has no power to prosecute violations of the law except what moral force he may be able to exert. The governor is not a super-sheriff or a super-district attorney. Although the constitution says the governor shall "see that the

laws are faithfully executed," the legislature has wisely conferred the power of prosecution upon the officials of counties where the people may take part in the process and closely watch its operation County officials who fail to do their duty may be recalled by the voters. Various departments of the state are authorized to investigate law violation, but they must depend upon county officials for the prosecution of offenders. In order to see that the laws are faithfully executed I have kept in close touch with various state agencies having power to check law violation, and have cooperated with them in every way.

QUALITY OF LEGISLATION

Your work as legislators will be judged by its quality and not by its quantity For the past decade the statutes have been so bulky as to stagger even men trained in the law who attempt to maintain familiarity with them In 1923 there was a forty-eight per cent decrease in the number of laws enacted as compared with the 1921 statutes It is hoped that the 1925 legislature will produce a still smaller volume The legislator who introduces the fewest bills should be given the most credit by his constituents Your body is a deliberative one, and the more carefully you consider proposed legislation the more good you can accomplish That a hundred bills of doubtful value shall die on your files or in committee is better than that one bad bill, due to hasty methods, should become a law Let calm deliberation be your method and not the hectic rush that has many times characterized legislative methods in the past

DIRECT PRIMARY LAW

The direct primary law again proved its value in the recent election. In nearly every instance the people defeated candidates for reelection to the legislature who had stood against economy In a general way this law has fully vindicated itself, having made it possible to elect men to office who are unpledged to political bosses or organizations. That the most powerful political machine ever known in California was defeated two years ago was due to the fact that the successful candidate for governor at that time had the protection of this statute. The direct primary law has also made it possible for me to conduct the affairs of state on a business basis, since under it no pledges to any political machine or organization are necessary for success While this law has proved its benefits and should be safeguarded in all its essential particulars, still it may be possible to amend it in a way that will improve its operation and at the same time protect the people

CHILD LABOR AMENDMENT

The child labor amendment to the federal constitution will, if ratified, permit congress to enact legislation to protect the children of the nation. While California has ample laws to protect minors from being injured by hard labor and unsanitary conditions, still there are states in the union where the child is being exploited for the benefit of industry It must be assumed that congress will enact wise legislation to carry into effect this constitutional amendment and hence there is little ground for the objections that are being raised against this amendment. I feel that California must keep in the front rank in humane legislation and that this amendment should be ratified by your body at the earliest possible time

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

The people have indicated their willingness to contribute liberally to the cause of education because it tends to promote better citizenship, but they do insist that their money shall be wisely expended. The education of the children of the state is a matter of most vital importance and California ranks high in educational standards. The public school system of California offers as good training to the children of the state as can be found anywhere in the nation. Education should embrace good morals, patriotism and thrift as well as book learning. The public schools of the state should be run in an efficient and economical manner, and the voters in the various school districts should be given greater control over school affairs.

ACTIONS ON PRISONERS

Believing that it is my duty to sustain the laws and uphold the verdicts of juries and the decisions of judges, I have issued few pardons and those only when the merit of the cases fully warranted. Twenty acts of executive clemency have been done by me but only four men have been released from the state's prisons and two from the county jails. Of the four released from state prisons, three were upon the recommendation of the district attorney of Los Angeles County, who admitted the men had been wrongfully convicted and were innocent of the crimes charged. The two released from county jails were chiropractors, whose technical law violations had been legalized by the affirmative vote of the people through an initiative measure. In a separate message I will submit details of the pardons issued, with full and complete reasons. While it has been the policy in the past to report to you in the briefest detail, I feel that you should have the complete reasons. The matter of pardons is a grave and arduous duty which I have tried to exercise for the protection of society generally

PUNISHMENT FOR CAPITAL CRIME.

During the past two years only one person condemned to death has had his sentence commuted, and in this case it was ascertained by me that the prisoner was under eighteen years of age at the time of the murder and that his execution would violate a statute prohibiting execution of persons of that age, although the facts fully justified his execution had he been of age. I have made a careful examination of the evidence in each case where men have been condemned to execution and have fully satisfied myself of the sufficiency of the evidence to warrant the verdict of the jury and the sentence of the judge. Under the criminal statutes the only protection of the citizen against the murderer, and the only real punishment is execution. The term, "life imprisonment," as used in the law, is a mere expression since prisoners can be released after seven years. In fact life imprisonment may mean less time in prison than a manslaughter conviction. I feel it is my duty to stand firmly by the law and not to permit sentiment or political influence or hysterical journalists to prevent a warning being given to would-be criminals.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS.

The great increase in the number of fatal automobile accidents points to the need for vigorous action on your part. The protection of human life is the first duty of the state. The lives of children and old people are particularly menaced by reckless automobile drivers. Drivers who are incompetent or physically defective should be prohibited from driving automobiles on the public highways.

EXECUTIVE PROCLAMATIONS.

The law gives the governor power in certain specific cases to issue proclamations. I have confined myself strictly to the law, and have declined to issue proclamations which are unauthorized by statute. The issuing of unauthorized proclamations by city, county or state officials is an unwarranted assumption of kingly power which should be prevented by statute. The people should know that a proclamation is a serious matter, authorized and backed up by the full power of the state, county or city government, and that it is not some illegal pronunciamento of some farcical day. Unauthorized proclamations tend to discredit genuine legal proclamations and confuse people who desire to conscientiously obey the laws.

DEPOSITS OF PUBLIC MONEY.

The new deposit act passed in 1923 has increased the revenues of the state more than one hundred thousand dollars annually. This act was drawn by me in 1921 and after passing both houses of the legislature by nearly a unanimous vote failed of executive approval. At the 1923 session the bill was again passed by the legislature and signed by me. It has not only increased the state revenue but it has added many hundreds of thousands of dollars to the treasuries of the various counties and cities.

BOARD OF CONTROL.

This department has been my main support in putting into effect the economy budget. The members of the board have worked unceasingly to keep down expense and see that economy and efficiency are practiced. For nearly a year the board has been composed of only two members, who are entitled to credit for their splendid service to the state and for the large saving they have made for the taxpayers. Economy has ever been their watchword. In the message accompanying the budget I will go into their work more fully.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

All of the state departments are important, but none is more important than the Department of Agriculture. It comes in contact with the material producers of the state without whose products there could be no life or civilization. This department, with its manifold duties, requires a man of superior ability and energy, and fortunately the department has such a man. He has been held over from the previous administration on account of his worth and freedom from political domination. He has made a record of which the state and the department may be proud. That his department has been able to run more efficiently and economically than under previous administrations is due to the fact that he has been absolutely free from political domination. Every man in his department is serving upon his merit.

The wide range of agricultural products in California has made necessary the maintenance of this department and it is admitted to be the most efficient of any department of the kind in the nation. The maintenance of efficient quarantine service, proper standardization, inspection of soil products, protection of animal industry, furthering of dairy husbandry, and other functions, as well as a general service to the people, demand the careful consideration of the department.

The general status of agriculture is now materially improved in spite of the continuance of drouth conditions and the visitation of the foot and mouth disease during the past year. An investigation made by the University of California, aided

by this department, has determined that a general depression in business occurred beginning in March and reached its worst stage in June of last year. This loss amounted to 18 per cent in June and had an injurious effect on business in general. An analysis of the facts shows that one-third of this depression can fairly be charged to unwarranted embargoes by other states due to unfavorable publicity, and the other two-thirds to drouth and local disturbances.

The most serious event of the year was the outbreak of the foot and mouth disease, first discovered in Oakland, February 17, 1924. After most strenuous efforts on behalf of the state department of agriculture and the federal department, this disease has been completely eradicated in all parts of the state, with the possible exception of Tuolumne County, where the situation is being very closely watched. It is barely possible that sporadic outbreaks may again occur, but if they do the state and federal governments are well organized to meet the situation and combat it quickly When this disease first broke out in Oakland last year, it was a great surprise even to trained veterinarians, as heretofore no disease of this kind had appeared on this coast. From the best available information the disease was introduced in foodstuff on board a government transport landing at Mare Island.

As evidence of the strict economy practiced in this department, it is shown that for the last fiscal year the overhead decreased despite the fact that the work of the entire department increased.

MOTOR VEHICLE DEPARTMENT.

During the past year the Motor Vehicle Department registered 1,321,368 vehicles. As a result of economical administration it has been enabled to turn over to the California Highway Commission and the counties for road purposes a surplus over and above operating expenses of approximately six hundred thousand dollars. Through the establishment of duplicate indexes in Los Angeles and San Francisco, and the installation of a twenty-four hour telephone service in the Sacramento and Los Angeles offices, a prompt and efficient service has been afforded the police and county officials of the state. This modern, up-to-date method was substituted for the inefficient registration list formerly employed and has resulted in a saving to the department of fifty thousand dollars a year. The superintendent of this department has had Service for his watchword and has spared no pains to be of service to the automobile public. Through his efforts, with the United States postal department, plates, when accompanied by the registration cards, may now be mailed through the Sacramento office as fourth-class matter. This action alone will save the state nearly ten thousand dollars per annum. The department employs three hundred and fifty people regularly, augmenting the number to seven hundred during the renewal period, and operates branches in Oakland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego and Fresno. It maintains its head office at Sacramento and distributes plates through fifty clubs and agencies located in smaller cities and towns. It has a traffic officer squad of one hundred and thirty men located in forty counties It keeps a three-way file on every automobile, a duplicate record in each of its branch offices, and handles in its Sacramento office from two to five thousand letters daily. Its mail during the renewal season runs from five to six sacks per day. Twenty-six carloads of plate licenses are necessary for the automobiles of the state.

There was a reduction in expenditures during the year 1923 over the year 1922 of twenty-five per cent and at the same time the efficiency of the department was increased. The legislature in 1923 reduced the license fee on automobiles and established a gasoline tax. A complete system of registration has been inaugurated so that the ownership of motor-driven vehicles may be easily and quickly established. This department has been run on a civil service basis without any political interference whatever, and too much credit can not be given to the superintendent for his splendid service at a small compensation.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

The governor is ex officio regent of the University of California and president of the board of regents. I have made it a point to attend the sessions of the board and during the past two years I have attended practically every meeting, in contrast to former executives who rarely attended In this way I have become familiar with the business of this great educational institution and have obtained valuable first-hand information. As one-eighth of the net budget is expended on the university, it deserves the governor's careful attention. I must commend the members of the board of regents, the president of the university, and the university comptroller for their earnest and active interest in the welfare of students who desire higher education. Every effort has been made to conduct the university on an economical basis and the result shows that the economy budget has not injured efficiency in any manner.

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

The three commissioners and the engineer of this department have done good work as is shown by the results. All of these appointments were made on merit and without regard to politics. The department is now on an efficiency basis and roads are being constructed which will stand the test. The commissioners are business

men of high standing and character The engineer was selected by me solely on merit and has proved his worth.

BANKING DEPARTMENT

This is another function designed to protect the people The banks are carefully inspected so that there may be no loss to the depositors who place their money in them. This department has never been conducted on a higher plane of service and efficiency than during the past two years The superintendent is able, honest and courageous and has ever kept in mind the best interests of the people and the necessity for their protection. Substantial economies have been effected.

CIVIL SERVICE

The Civil Service Department has never worked more efficiently and rendered greater service than during the past two years The budget appropriation while reduced has proved ample and the splendid work of the commission has been of great value to the state. This department has been maintained for the first time in its history absolutely free from political pressure or influence. Civil service, while having its defects, is vastly superior to the old spoils system. It is a protection to the employees of the state It has been of great benefit to me in establishing a business administration. I have stood strongly against all efforts to break down the efficacy of the civil service. Civil service employees who become inefficient should be promptly recommended for dismissal by the various department heads in order that the state as well as the employees shall be properly protected. During the past two years there have been three elections in the State of California and not a single dollar of assessment has been levied against any civil service employee, or for that matter any noncivil service employee, in the State of California. This is in striking contrast to the old political methods where civil service employees were openly assessed The investigations of the assembly committee at the last session of the legislature showed that the old political machine had openly violated the civil service law and had been in the 1922 elections notorious in its assessment of state employees.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION.

The new commissioners appointed by me have greatly increased the efficiency of this department and at the same time have saved the taxpayers a large sum of money. Every effort has been made to serve those who are injured in the trades and the payment of benefits has been greatly accelerated The new commissioners are young, active and energetic men who are giving close attention to their work and serving the public to the best of their ability. The operating expenses of this department have been reduced from $805,000 for the previous biennium to an estimate of about $500,000 for the present biennium. For the past fiscal year the commission has decided 2898 cases. Of these only 2.2 per cent were appealed to the supreme and appellate courts for review, and only 3 of 1 per cent were decided against the commission. This establishes a remarkable record in compensation administration.

The state compensation fund which is operated under the direction of the commission has had a most gratifying business experience in the last two years, the premium business for the past fiscal year being the largest in the history of the fund, amounting to more than five and one-half million dollars, and exceeding that of the last previous fiscal year by 10.8 per cent.

The henchmen of the old political machine have made every effort to discredit and injure both the commission and the fund, so it is remarkable that there should have been any increase at all Political traitors connected with the fund and the commission have resigned and gone out into private companies in order to injure and harass the fund. The fund is operated for the benefit of the people who work in various avocations, and it is gratifying to know that it has the support of the general public.

INSURANCE COMMISSION.

This department has been conducted efficiently and economically, and for the first time in its history is free from political manipulation. The commission was the citadel of the boss of the old discredited political machine. The citadel and the boss have been demolished To protect the people has been the effort of the present able commissioner The business of this department has increased 13 per cent, while the cost of running it has decreased 18 per cent. The present commissioner has put the department on an absolutely business basis.

STATE LIBRARY

California has one of the finest libraries in the world. Here is to be found a collection of really worthwhile books. The state library is a dignified collection of real books which give real service to their readers. The people of Sacramento and the state are particularly fortunate in having this remarkable library at their command. This department is ably conducted by experts free from political domination of any kind The economy budget applied to this library has proved a success and efficiency has been maintained.

IMMIGRATION AND HOUSING.

This department has been doing a big humane work and those who serve on the commission without pay are deserving of especial praise I have noted that nonsalaried officials frequently do more work than the salaried The economy budget has not hampered the functions of this department.

STATE PRINTING OFFICE.

The state does its own printing and the results of the past year show that one hundred and fifty thousand dollars has been saved the taxpayers over the cost had the work been done in private printing plants. The state printing office has, during the past two years, been put on a high plane of efficiency and has justified its existence. Too much credit can not be given the superintendent, who, at a meager salary, has performed a service worth several times the amount paid.

CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

This department is rendering a great and humane service to the people As a member ex officio I have attended the sessions and observed its splendid work There is no longer any friction between this department and others, due to the able and efficient secretary and the broadminded attitude of the new members I have appointed.

BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS.

The State Board of Dental Examiners has been reorganized by appointing five new members to replace members whose terms had expired. The board has been placed on a more efficient basis and an endeavor will be made to help the people, only a small per cent of whom have any dental work done. Examinations are being held upon merit, free from political influence The minutes of this board show that in previous years the boss of the old political machine was accustomed to attend the sessions of the board and to control its decisions The complete story of the mechanism of this machine may never be known, but its slimy trail has been discovered in many departments

BUILDING AND LOAN DEPARTMENT.

This department has been operated in a very efficient manner during the past two years, first under the old commissioner and the last year under the new commissioner There has been an increase of nearly one hundred per cent in the business of the office and a consequent decrease in assessments placed upon associations which support the department The salaries paid the commissioner and his employees are lower than those paid in any department of the state service for similar work.

ATHLETIC COMMISSION.

At the recent election the people, by initiative, created another commission, the Athletic Commission, thus showing public approval of commissions. This act repeals former prohibitions against prize fights, permits twelve-round fights, and places all fights, boxing matches and wrestling bouts under the supervision of this commission. While the cost of maintaining this commission will be collected from those operating under its permits, still the taxpayers will ultimately pay this as well as all other taxes In appointing the commission, I exercised great care in selecting men of high standing and character and of knowledge All three are reputable business men, skilled in the supervision of athletic contests, who will endeavor to conduct prize fights on as high a plane as possible. The commission has appointed an able and honest secretary Regardless of my personal convictions with respect to the moral effect of prize fighting, I have bowed to the will of the people, and have appointed a commission that will give the new law every opportunity to function. If there is a failure the commission can not be blamed

RECLAMATION BOARD.

At the end of 1922 work on the reclamation board had practically shut down because of the total failure of the credit of the previous board. I made possible the reorganization of this board by appointing a majority of new members The board, before reorganization, had made contracts for 3,700,000 yards of levees on a warrant basis. After reorganization, legislation was introduced and passed allowing operation on a cash basis, and the contracts were then amended to permit payment of cash This work has been completed at a saving to date of $133,203.98. Besides these levees, rights of way have been secured, a pumping plant has been installed levee work accomplished bridges constructed, and litigation, which has been encountered at every step, successfully fought The total construction expenditures for the twenty-one months ending 1924, was $929,510 72, being an increase of 60 per cent over the work done by the old administration during a similar period In spite of this great increase in construction work there has been a decrease in the overhead expenses of the board of 44 per cent The overhead under the previous administration was 23 per cent, while under the present administration it has been reduced

to 8 per cent This reduction in the cost of operation has not been accomplished by the reduction of salaries of employees, but on the contrary salaries have in a number of instances been increased.

The reclamation board when I took office was one of the worst business tangles that confronted me in any department, and I desire particularly to commend the members of this board for their splendid cooperation in placing this department on a business basis and making it run economically and efficiently.

CORPORATION DEPARTMENT.

This department has been doing a valuable work in protecting the people, as far as the statute permits, against bogus stock schemes. While handicapped in some cases by the failure of district attorneys and other county officials to prosecute law violators, still the good accomplished warrants the cost of the department and indicates the necessity for an increase in the power of the commissioner. The present commissioner has been held over from the previous administration and has proved his worth While the cost of operating the department has decreased 6 per cent, the number of orders issued has increased 40 per cent and the number of agents' licenses issued has increased 220 per cent This is a particularly trying department to conduct, as corrupt promoters have used every endeavor to circumvent the commissioner These men have repeatedly threatened to injure the commissioner, have sued him for libel, have sought to have him indicted, and have harassed him in every way I have stood behind the commissioner and sustained his policy of running down rascals

STATE INSTITUTIONS.

The state institutions are in control of a director who has been particularly efficient. Under his department are the state hospitals at Patton, Norwalk, Napa, Stockton, Agnew and Mendocino, the state home at Eldridge, and the schools at Whittier, Ventura and Ione. While the economy budget reduced the allowance for these institutions, still savings were made without decreasing the service to the inmates or injuring the administration. In fact, business principles have made a marked improvement in their administration The gross annual cost per person in these institutions under the former administration was $306.81. This amount has been reduced to $284.42 per annum, meaning a total saving of nearly three hundred thousand dollars annually, while the quality of the food and clothing has been improved Here economy and efficiency have gone hand in hand with increased comfort for patients

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

This department has been reorganized by the statutes of 1923 and is operated with perfect freedom from political control. I have taken an active interest in its affairs and have frequently conferred with its head. This department is composed of the Division of Engineering and Irrigation, Division of Water Rights, and Division of Architecture It has been of great assistance in the matter of the organization and operation of irrigation projects and in the examination and construction of impounding works The Division of Water Rights as successor to the water commission, is now recognized as an important branch of the state government, and is functioning with ability and fairness. The increase in the business of this division has been eight per cent while the cost of operaton has been decreased twenty-three per cent. The Division of Architecture is pursuing its important task of constructing new buildings and repairing old ones in an efficient manner.

STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

This board is composed of twelve members appointed by the Governor and serving without compensation. The state has been particularly fortunate in securing the services of intelligent, high-class men who are conversant with the various agricultural industries of the state and representative of the various sections. The State Fair annually held at the capital is one of the finest that is held in any state in the Union Last year, notwithstanding the foot and mouth disease and the resulting absence of all cloven-footed animals, the fair was a greater success than ever and reflected particular credit on the directors. I have taken an active interest in their work and have cooperated with them in every way.

ADJUTANT GENERAL

During the past two years the National Guard of California has been increased from 3575 members to more than 5500, and this great increase has been accomplished notwithstanding the budget was twenty-five per cent lower than under the former administration. The new adjutant general was appointed by me on the plebiscite method and absolutely because of his merit. His efficient work has reflected credit upon the state. This department is now, for the first time in the history of the state, absolutely free from political domination.

LABOR DEPARTMENT.

This department is run in the interest of those who toil. At its head is a man who has a sympathetic interest in his work. Much good has been accomplished in protecting from exploitation those who can not protect themselves. In the matter of wage collections alone, the department has justified itself The economy budget made it possible for the commissioner to remove from the pay roll certain useless political parasites and thus increase the efficiency of the department.

MINING BUREAU.

This department has been managed in a very efficient and economical manner, and, notwithstanding the decrease in its allowance, has been able to run more efficiently than formerly. The new mineralogist is thoroughly skilled in his work and deserving of praise.

REAL ESTATE COMMISSION.

This commission is organized for the protection of the people against dishonest real estate schemes, and the commissioner has proved his courage and vigor and has prosecuted law violators as fully as the law will permit.

FISH AND GAME COMMISSION.

This department has been able to conduct its affairs on the economy budget in an efficient and businesslike manner The savings effected in overhead has made it possible for the commission to build up a surplus and this surplus will be expended in building new fish hatcheries and in other improvements. The policy of economy has proved worth while. I have cooperated with the department in every way to put it on an efficient basis and to assist in seeing that fish and game are protected from commercialized exploitation. Every dollar of fees derived from the sportsmen has been, and will continue to be, expended in the interests of game preservation in California. No attempt has ever been made to take a dollar of the fund of the Fish and Game Commission and tranfer it to the general fund, notwithstanding the continued prevarication of yellow journals upon this subject.

WOMEN'S WELFARE WORK.

The women of the state have always taken an active part in all humanitarian measures. With the development of society many new problems have arisen calling for solution. Women, by their sympathetic interest in all such matters, are well qualified to consider these questions. I therefore suggest that you authorize me to appoint a committee representing different sections of the state and the various groups of women who are interested in welfare work, to the end that a thorough study be made of the entire field and well considered recommendations be presented to the legislature.

LAND SETTLEMENT.

When I took office I found that the land settlement operations at Delhi Colony were in a very bad condition, and it was nearly a year before I could, under the law, make the necessary changes to put it on a business basis The new president of the board is a man of practical experience and sympathetic ideas who has done a wonderful work in aiding the colonists and putting the settlement on a business basis. The feelings of the settlers can best be shown by calling attention to the fact that an expensive oil painting of a former director was taken out of the community hall at Delhi by enraged settlers, cut from the frame, and hung in effigy on the state highway. This act must be condemned by all law-abiding citizens, but is recorded here solely to indicate the sentiment of the people over the failure of the former management.

DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY.

The majority of the members of this board have been appointed by me and the department is being conducted in an intelligent and efficient manner. The State of California has no forests and no forest land except a grove in Mendocino County and another grove in the Big Basin in Santa Cruz County. This department has cooperated with the national government in helping to protect the forests and assisting the national government in its efforts to preserve the great area of forests in the state which are in the national reserves. This department has been given all the funds that it has requested to meet any emergency.

HARBOR COMMISSION.

The Harbor Commission of San Francisco has under its control one of the most important ports in the nation. Here the state has an immense investment and employs hundreds of men and expends thousands of dollars This department is now absolutely on a business basis. Money is being expended on bids after fair competition, supplies are being bought on the bid system, and the employees, with very few exceptions are on the civil service list. Never in the history of California has the harbor been so well managed and so well conducted as at the present time. This board has made a creditable record for economy and efficiency. The state budget allowance for the first year was $1,626,982.88, and a balance of $221,374.30 remains

to its credit at the end of the year, June 30, 1924. All sources of revenue show decided increases over the preceding year, particularly in rents, dockage and tolls, while the operating expenses for the same period show a decrease of $38,349, as compared with the operating expenses of the previous year. In the operation of the Belt Railroad the net revenue for the fiscal year exceeds the revenue of the previous year by $18,437.20, due to decrease in operating expenses, for which the belt line superintendent is entitled to full credit.

When the new commission took charge there was found an alarming decay in timber and disintegration in exposed works which had to be given early attention. During the first year betterments in the Ferry building, including California marble floors laid in the waiting rooms occupied by railroad companies, called for expense amounting to $63,759. Renovations in the interior of the building have transformed it from a dismal and uninviting assembly enclosure into a restful place in all sections, with light coloring and cheerful effects in decorations, most pleasing to the many thousands of commuters and travelers. Construction of a vehicular subway through which all traffic will be diverted from the crossing of Market street in front of the Ferry building and sent both ways a distance of four blocks, leaving the crowded street open for pedestrians, is a great achievement.

Other improvements made by the board to encourage activity on the waterfront and assist the shipping industry are the opening and successful operation of a grain terminal, repaving the Embarcadero with smooth surfacing; reconstruction of the Belt Line Railroad, extending and covering piers, repairing Ferry slips and making room for more ships in the southern extension of the harbor, building new pier No. 50, one of the three planned, reclamation of a large area of submerged lands along Islais Creek for commercial uses, and carrying forward a general plan to reclaim 280 acres of waterfront owned by the state. Meantime the well-organized forces of the commission have been giving good service to the shipping public, winning general praise for splendid business management and for the encouragement of commerce. Every dollar of revenue collected by the commission will be expended for the benefit of the harbor. Notwithstanding my frequent reiteration of this statement, certain San Francisco newspapers continue to misrepresent me. Their chronic lying is a habit they are unable to shake off.

VETERANS' WELFARE BOARD.

The interests of those who fought to preserve the nation in the World War, and who now desire to acquire farms and homes have been cared for in an intelligent and sympathetic manner by the Veterans' Welfare Board. My sole appointee on this board is the secretary who is in fact the manager. He is young, honest and capable and has the best interests of the veterans at heart. If this good work is continued further a new bond issue must be provided. In this matter the state advances its credit and return payments are made easy for the veteran farmers and home-builders. The present plan under a business administration has proved successful.

PROGRESSIVE LEGISLATION.

The charitable, humane and progressive laws of the state have been carefully guarded and protected by the various departments having to do with their administration. The budget allowances have been found ample for the full operation of the departments, but, should occasion warrant, assistance will be given from the emergency fund. California has become noted for its welfare legislation in the interests of the whole people. Such laws will be preserved and protected and any attack upon them will be resisted by me. During my career as a public official I have stood consistently for these laws and their sympathetic administration.

OTHER DEPARTMENTS.

There are other departments which have made an efficient and businesslike showing during the past two years but which I have neither the time nor the space to consider at this time. There are other subjects also which I would like to discuss, but will probably take them up with you in special messages from time to time during the session.

I want to assure you of my loyal support and desire to cooperate with you in every way for the best interests of the state, for the continuance of the present business policies of the state government, and for the maintenance in every department of the state of the principles of economy. Boiled down into one word, my policy has been economy, and will continue to be ECONOMY.

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of the State of California.

Dated January 7, 1925.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, at twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Senator Rush, the President of the Senate declared the Joint Convention adjourned sine die.

IN ASSEMBLY.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened Speaker Merriam in the chair.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Carter, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Thursday, January 8, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, January 8, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Bishop William H. Moreland of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. McPherson its further reading was dispensed with.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Smith, Mr. Rex Smith of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Rosenshine, Mr. Hamilton H. Dobbin of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS'S READING.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were received and read:

STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA, January 7, 1925.

Hon. Bradford S. Crittenden,
Assembly Chamber, State Capitol,
Sacramento, California.

I favor the prompt ratification of the Child Labor Amendment. I can not be present much before Monday. Classify me as for the amendment. Duplicate wire sent Weller.

TOM H. LOUTTIT

Also:

PLACERVILLE, CALIFORNIA, January 7, 1925.

State Assembly,
Capitol, Sacramento, California.

Greetings from the Placerville Lions' Club.

M. T. KELLY, President.

H. B. THOMAS, Secretary.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

The following petitions were presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Little:

Resolved, That we, members of the Faculty of the Warren G. Harding High School in regular meeting assembled on December 2, 1924, do hereby unanimously endorse this proposed amendment, that we urge Parent Teacher Associations and civic bodies, lodges and clubs having the welfare of the child at heart, to adopt similar resolutions to the end that all our legislators may be behind the pending child labor amendment and demand its prompt ratification by our State Legislature

ANGUS L. CAVANAGH, Principal.

Also:

Resolved, That the Los Angeles District of the California Federation of Women's Clubs send a letter to each Senator and Assemblyman of the 1925 Legislature urging them to work for this proposed bill of ratification, and that a petition, signed by the individual members of every club in the district, be presented to the legislators, accompanied by a letter from or presented in person by our District President and the Chairman of Child Welfare; and that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of the Executive Board of the district.

LAURA McNEIR HERD,
And 41 others

By Mr. McPherson:

The Solano County Farm Bureau in regular session on the fifth day of January, 1925, having under consideration the proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 20, giving to Congress the power to limit, regulate, and prohibit the labor of persons under the age of eighteen years, does hereby

Resolve, That this question most directly interests the farming communities and the power which is proposed to be lodged in Congress could be converted into a ruinous policy, and we are earnestly opposed to the yielding of any such power upon the simple promise that it would not be used.

J. H. MURRAY,
President, Solano County Farm Bureau.

By Mr. Murphy:

Resolved, That this Grange, Happy Camp No. 395, opposes the ratification of the proposed constitutional amendment restricting child labor and we urge our representative in the California Legislature to use all honorable means to secure its rejection by that body.

It is further ordered, That a copy of this resolution, signed by the Master and Secretary, and with the seal of Grange attached be forwarded to Hon. J. J. Murphy for action.

Reported favorably.

MRS. ARTHUR ATTEBERY,
JAMES B. NESBIT,
Resolutions Committee.

IVY M. HIGH, Secretary.
RALPH GORDON, Master.

By Mr. Noyes:

Resolved, That the Farm Buerau of Yolo County hereby asks its representatives in the Senate and Assembly to insist upon the right of the people of the State to have a proposition submitted to them that will equalize the apportionment of the State, and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be forwarded to the State Federation, to our representatives in the Legislature and to the press.

RICHARD C. CASSEL, President.

Attest: MINNIE KLEVEN, Secretary.
Dated January 3, 1925.

By Mr. Hartranft:

To our Legislative Representatives.

We, teachers in the Santa Ana City schools, desire to see this State ratify the Child Labor Amendment.

GLADYS P CAMPBELL
And 134 others.

By Mr. Coombs:

The following organizations have gone on record as being opposed to the ratification of the child labor amendment:

National Grange.
State Grange.
Napa County Grange.
National Farm Bureau.
State Farm Bureau.
Napa County Farm Bureau.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Messrs. Anderson, R. J., and Coombs:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be authorized to receive from the members of the Assembly a mailing list of all bills, resolutions and histories, to be directed to libraries, chambers of commerce and other public centers, for general inspection This list to be limited to fifteen names each, and shall be forwarded to the legislative bill room for regular mailing

That in addition thereto, the Chief Clerk shall send fifty copies of said bills, resolutions and histories to the State Commander of the American Legion or to such posts as he may name

Resolution read. and on motion adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

I have received from the Honorable Charles E Hughes, Secretary of State, a certified copy of a resolution of Congress entitled "Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States" which is as follows:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled (two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which, when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States, shall be valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the Constitution

"ARTICLE —

"SECTION 1. The Congress shall have power to limit, regulate, and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age.

"SECTION 2. The power of the several states is unimpaired by this article except that the operation of State laws shall be suspended to the extent necessary to give effect to legislation enacted by the Congress."

I hereby transmit the same to you for your ratification or rejection.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of California.

January 8, 1925

I, FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor of the State of California, hereby certify that the attached document is a true and correct copy of House Joint Resolution, No. 184, passed by the sixty-eighth Congress of the United States of America, at its first session as certified to me by the Honorable Charles E Hughes, Secretary of State of the United States of America

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at Sacramento, this 8th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of the State of California.

Attest: FRANK C JORDAN,
Secretary of State.
By ROBERT V. JORDAN, Deputy.

No. 2685

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

To All Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting.

I CERTIFY That the copy hereto attached is a true copy of a Resolution of Congress, entitled "Joint Resolution Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States," the original of which is on file in this department.

In testimony whereof I, Charles E. Hughes, Secretary of State, have hereunto caused the Seal of the Department of State to be affixed and my name subscribed by the Chief Clerk of the said Department, at the City of Washington, this sixth day of June, 1924

[SEAL]

(Signed) CHARLES E. HUGHES,
Secretary of State.

By EDWIN C. WILSON,
Chief Clerk

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

H. J. Res 184.

SIXTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA;

At the First Session, begun and held at the City of Washington on Monday, the third day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled (two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the constitution of the United States, which, when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states, shall be valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the constitution:

"ARTICLE —.

"SECTION 1. The Congress shall have power to limit, regulate, and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age

"SEC. 2. The power of the several states is unimpaired by this article except that the operation of state laws shall be suspended to the extent necessary to give effect to legislation enacted by the Congress."

F. H. GILLETT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ALBERT B. CUMMINS,
President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

I certify that this Joint Resolution originated in the House of Representatives.

WM. TYLER PAGE, Clerk.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Weller asked for and was granted unanimous consent to introduce a joint resolution at this time.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following joint resolution was introduced:

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Joint Resolution No 1—Relative to the ratification of an amendment to the constitution of the United States, proposed by the Congress of the United States of America, relating to child labor

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT TO SUSPEND RULES.

Mr. Weller asked for unanimous consent to suspend the rules and take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, at this time, without reference to committee.

Mr. Cleveland objected.

The question being on the suspension of the rules

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Schmidt moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Schmidt, Fry, Morrison, Miller, J. A., and Burns, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion for the call of the House

The roll was called, and the motion for the call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—30.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Nielsen, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

The roll of absentees was called, and the motion to suspend the rules and consider Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 at this time without reference to committee carried by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Melville, Murphy, Scudder, Spence, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—18.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER ONE.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1—Relative to the ratification of an amendment to the constitution of the United States, proposed by the Congress of the United States of America, relating to child labor

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

MOTION TO DEFER ACTION.

Mr. Adams moved that final action on Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 be deferred until Friday, January 16, 1925.

Motion seconded.

MOTION TO EXTEND HOUR OF RECESS.

Mr. Eksward moved that the hour of recess be extended.

Motion carried.

The question being on the motion by Mr. Adams to defer action.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL

On request of Messrs. Bernard, Heisinger, Mitchell, Schmidt and Graves the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to defer action on Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1

The roll was called and the motion to defer action lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Murphy, Oliva, Scudder, Spence, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—25.

NOES—Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce,

Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and thirteen minutes p. m., on motion of Mr. Coombs, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p. m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p. m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Booth reading.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER ONE—(RESUMED).

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1—Relative to the ratification of an amendment to the constitution of the United States, proposed by the Congress of the United States of America, relating to child labor.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

MOTION TO DEFER ACTION AND SUBMIT TO THE PEOPLE.

The following written motion was made by Messrs. Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Wemple, Murphy and Melville:

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States of America has adopted a proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States, to-wit, Amendment No. 20, providing that the Congress may prohibit all persons under eighteen years of age from doing any useful work, and

WHEREAS, Said proposed amendment has been, by the Secretary of State of the United States, transmitted to the Governor of the State of California for ratification or rejection by the Legislature of said State of California, and

WHEREAS, The Governor of the State of California has this day transmitted said proposed amendment to the Senate and Assembly of the State of California for its approval or rejection, and

WHEREAS, Said proposed amendment if ratified by three-fourths of the states of the Union would result in surrendering to the federal government a sovereign power, now residing in said states and reserved to them, and

WHEREAS, The proposal to confer upon the Congress rights and powers of legislation properly belonging to the states is revolutionary and contrary to the form and theory of our government; and

WHEREAS, The State of California, pursuant to its sovereign powers, has placed upon its statute books a law regulating child labor, by which statute minors under the age of fifteen years are prohibited from engaging in gainful employment, and

WHEREAS, Said law is expressive of the will of the people of this State and should not be altered, changed, or amended without ascertaining the will of the people, and

WHEREAS, The people of this State have adopted the referendum as a means of expressing their will in regard to matters affecting the people of this State; and

WHEREAS, The people of the State of California have had no opportunity to express their will or desire in respect to surrendering this sovereign power to the federal government; now, therefore,

Be more That the Assembly of the State of California defer action on Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 until the will of the people shall have been ascertained by means of a referendum to be submitted to the people before or at the general election in November, 1926.

The question being on the motion to defer action and submit to the people.

POINT OF ORDER.

Mr. Eksward arose to the following point of order: That the motion was out of order.

RULING BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker ruled that the point of order was not well taken.

The question being on the motion to defer action and submit to the people.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Murphy, Heisinger and Wemple, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to defer action and submit to the people.

The roll was called, and the motion lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Coombs, Foster, Heisinger, Melville, Murphy, Spalding, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—10.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Rule 71 be suspended.

Motion carried.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1.

The roll was called and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Melville, Murphy, Spence, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—9.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1

Relative to the ratification of an amendment to the constitution of the United States, proposed by the Congress of the United States of America, relating to child labor.

WHEREAS, The sixty-eighth Congress of the United States of America, at its first session, has adopted House Joint Resolution No. 184, two-thirds of each House concurring therein, proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States, in the following words, to wit

"Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States."

"*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled* (two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the constitution of the United States, which, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several states, shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the constitution.

"ARTICLE —.

"Section 1. The Congress shall have power to limit, regulate, and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age.

"SEC. 2. The power of the several states is unimpaired by this article except that the operation of state laws shall be suspended to the extent necessary to give effect to legislation enacted by the Congress."

And

WHEREAS, Said proposed amendments will be valid as part of the constitution of the United States when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several states; therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the Legislature of the State of California, jointly, at its forty-sixth session, commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, a majority of all the members elected to each house of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, that the said proposed amendment be and the same is hereby ratified by the Legislature of the State of California

Resolved, further, That certified copies of the foregoing preamble and resolution be forwarded by the Governor of the State of California to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State of the United States, the President of the Senate of the United States and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States

EXPLANATIONS OF VOTE.

The following explanations of vote were received and ordered printed in the Journal:

On consideration of this child labor amendment, my natural inclination has been in its favor, however, recently considerable opposition has arisen in the agricultural sections of the country, these sections fearing that its operation would prove disastrous, not only to the agricultural interests, but also to the home life of the nation My constituents are divided upon the issue, many favor the adoption while others are opposed.

This morning, when the motion was made to put the measure through without reference to committee, I objected upon the ground that a matter of such vital importance should be given proper consideration. That motion prevailed by 58 votes, which was more than the necessary two-thirds.

A motion then made to give eight days' time to hear those who might be opposed to the amendment in my mind was fair, and I favored it, but it also was defeated. A resolution also to refer the matter to a vote of the people of the State having been rejected, we are now upon the passage of the ratification, and as every effort to have a hearing or to postpone the action on ratification has failed and now there remains nothing for me but to vote my personal view, therefore, believing that Congress will be fair and careful in such an important matter, I am voting for ratification.

S. L HEISINGER.

My vote being recorded among the "ayes" was brought about due to my changing my vote from "no" to "aye" prior to the announcement of the vote with the intention of moving for a reconsideration on the next legislative day Upon learning that the Senate had remained in session with the expectation of being able to vote upon the resolution this afternoon I did not move for a reconsideration. The vote having been announced in the meantime prevented me from changing back to "no" as I had originally voted.

VAN BERNARD.

MOTION TO PRINT SPEECH IN JOURNAL.

Mr McPherson moved that the speech delivered by Mr. Coombs relative to the child labor amendment be printed in the Journal of Friday, January 9, 1925.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO PRINT SPEECHES IN JOURNAL.

Mr. Wright, T. M., moved that the speeches of Mrs Saylor and Mr Spence relative to the child labor amendment be printed in the Journal of Friday, January 9, 1925

Motion carried

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was received and read:

By Mr. Coombs:

Resolved, That rule number ten pertaining to standing committees be amended by adding thereto an additional committee, numbered fifty-three and known as "A Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures," to consist of five members, whose duty shall be to investigate public revenues and their sources, public expenditures, as well as all matters pertaining thereto, or which are of interest in governmental affairs.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Coombs asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up the above resolution, at this time

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—Adams, and Jost—2.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

The following report of special committee was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your special committee to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1—An act to amend section two hundred sixty-six of the Political Code relating to the method of paying salaries of the members of the Legislature and making the same an urgency measure—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 1, at this time.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 266 of the Political Code relating to the method of paying salaries of the members of the Legislature and making the same an urgency measure.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 1 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each House is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second, and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Eksward moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 266 of the Political Code relating to the method of paying salaries of the members of the Legislature and making the same an urgency measure.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 1 of the title after the word "salaries" insert the words "and mileage".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, after the word "they" insert the word "shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 8, strike out the words "shall be paid".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 8, strike out the word "ten", insert in lieu thereof the word "twelve".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 9, strike out the comma after the word "weekly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 8, after the word "session" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 13, after the word "even" insert the word "numbered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 15, after the word "month" strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 1, lines 15 and 16, strike out the words "such salaries shall be payable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 1, line 18, after the word "regular" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 1, line 18, after the word "regular" strike out the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 1, line 18, after the word "special" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 1, line 18, after the word "special" insert the words "or extraordinary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 1, line 20, after the word "session" strike out the period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 1, line 20, after the word "session" insert the following: "to be paid upon the convening of the legislature."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 1, line 21, after the word "act" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 1, line 25, after the word "constitution" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "state" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 1, line 24, after the word "shall" insert a comma.

Bill read second time, amendments adopted, and considered engrossed.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 266 of the Political Code relating to the method of paying salaries and mileage of the members of the Legislature and making the same an urgency measure.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Lyons:

Resolved, That the action of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly for the forty-fifth session, in employing necessary assistance for the organization of the Assembly for the forty-sixth session, be and the same is hereby ratified and approved, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the following named persons for the items and the amounts set opposite their respective names, upon the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Treasurer is directed to pay the same

Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, 4 days at $10	$40
William Monahan, Assistant Clerk, 4 days at $9	36
Madge Cross, Stenographer, 2 days at $5	10

Resolution read.

Mr Lyons moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J, Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and forty minutes p. m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a. m., Friday, January 9, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, January 9, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Rev. Robert Burns McAulay of Sacramento.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Hawes, Messrs. Mitchell, Burns, Fry, Levey, Rosenshine, Oliva, Williamson, Hornblower and Jacobson were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Scofield, Messrs. Smith, Roland, McDonough, Cloudman and Croter, and Mrs. Saylor were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Eksward, Messrs. Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Coombs, Wright, T. M., Spalding, McPherson and Roberts were granted leave of absence for the day.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Lyons, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR REGARDING ACTS OF EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

I am submitting to you herewith a statement of the various acts of executive clemency done by me during my term of office with full reasons for each act. I have not followed the precedent of giving you abbreviated notes, as I believe you should know all of the reasons actuating me in exercising this very important power.

Every request for executive clemency has been given thoughtful and sympathetic consideration. All cases of capital punishment have been looked into carefully whether request has been made or not. I have made it a rule to require arguments and statements regarding pardons to be submitted in writing so that they may be calmly perused and be a part of the public record. This policy has placed the humblest prisoner without friends on a basis of equality with the one able to employ competent counsel, and thus has spared the executive the pain of frenzied oratory and emotional eloquence.

As soon as a case has a complete record it has been acted upon promptly, and cases have not been held back for decision in order to be released on particular days for

spectacular effect. Most of the cases denied have appeared to be more proper for parole than for pardon. The parole system has proved its value and should have the support of all good citizens. It has restored many men to society and made them useful citizens. The paroled man has a better chance than the released criminal who has served his term. The paroled man has the aid of the parole officers and the prison board, while the released criminal has usually no one to guide or help him.

I have exercised twenty acts of executive clemency, but only four men have been released from the state's prisons and two from the county jails. Of the four released from the state's prisons three were upon recommendation of the District Attorney of Los Angeles County, who admitted that the men had been wrongfully convicted and were innocent of the crimes charged. The two released from county jails were chiropractors whose action in practicing without licenses seems to have been legalized by affirmative vote of the people upon an initiative amendment.

I have exercised but few acts of executive clemency, as I have found that the verdicts of juries and the decisions of judges can be relied upon, as being just and right. When juries err it is usually in being too lenient with the person accused. I have exercised great care in these matters because I believe it the prime duty of the Governor to uphold the officers of the law and to protect society by convincing criminals and would-be criminals that they can not escape punishment in California and that the era of the sob sister of both sexes is at an end.

The acts of executive clemency can be classified as follows:

Released from state prison	4
Released from county jail	2
Restriction removed	1
Insane nonresident deported	1
Restored to citizenship	5
Commutations of sentence	4
Short reprieves	3

Here follows the list of acts of executive clemency with the reasons therefor fully set forth.

PARDONED FROM STATE'S PRISON.

CLARKE MORTON was pardoned November 8, 1923. He plead guilty to the crime of rape in the county of San Mateo on the second day of April, 1923, and was sentenced under the indeterminate sentence law to be imprisoned from six months to fifty years. On the twenty-seventh day of October, 1923, the Board of Prison Directors fixed his sentence at one year.

Morton, although a boy barely nineteen years old at the time of being sentenced, had a wife and a small baby in Oregon. He was working in Redwood City with his wife's consent, and was attempting to establish a home for his family at the time he met the complaining witness. This witness subsequently charged another young man with the same offense, but he was acquitted. Morton would probably have been acquitted if he had stood trial.

The Judge, District Attorney and Sheriff of San Mateo County, as well as former employers and others, speak well of him and strongly recommend that he be pardoned. It is sufficient to quote from the letters of the District Attorney and Sheriff. District Attorney Franklin Swart writes as follows:

> "I believe this is the first instance in which I have addressed the Governor directly in recommending a pardon of a man who has been sentenced to San Quentin. This young man pleaded guilty under a charge of statutory rape and was thereafter sentenced by our Superior Court. At the same time there was a charge pending against another man on a similar charge. The latter was tried and there seemed no question as to his guilt, but the circumstances surrounding the complaining witness and her mother were such that a good jury absolutely refused to convict this man, who in fact had been intimate with the girl in question before Clarke Morton had even seen her. She was a very attractive looking young girl, raised by a mother who perhaps meant well, but who in her handling of the girl was a first-class fool. She threw the girl in contact with men in such a way that a young man could hardly escape. Clarke Morton was working at the time as a dispenser in a candy store. I had been taking lunch at this store and had had occasion to watch the young man for some weeks.
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> "I do not hesitate to say that he should not be in the penitentiary. I felt this so much just after the trial of the other man referred to, that I directed a letter to the Prison Board and asked that the matter be presented in a proper way in order to have this young man spared from a long prison term.
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> "I want you to understand that I never knew the young man before. I don't know any of his relatives and I wrote the letters in his behalf upon my own suggestion. The present letter is requested by an attorney who now represents Mr. Morton, but it expresses the same views which I expressed voluntarily to the Prison Board when the defendant was without any attorney or any representative here.
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> "I appreciate more than anyone your attitude toward the ordinary petition for the pardon of a dangerous man, but this is one case in which I feel that you

should give the most careful consideration, and as the prosecuting officer in the case, I freely tell you that I think this young man should not be in the penitentiary."

Sheriff H. W. Lampkin writes as follows:

"On or about February 1st of this year I became acquainted with Clarke Morton, who was employed by John Trahan in his restaurant and confectionery business at Redwood City, and had almost daily occasion to observe the boy in his conduct of the business and his treatment of the people who came into the restaurant. He always conducted himself in a gentlemanly manner and gave every evidence of having been raised right at home. He was pleasant and courteous to the customers and undoubtedly increased the trade of his employer.

"During the time that he was in Redwood City, I never heard anything but good things of him and of the manner in which he deported himself. No complaints were ever made of his conduct and I formed a very high opinion of the boy during the time that I knew him. His conduct while an inmate of our county jail was of the highest order and he never gave us the slightest cause for complaint.

"The girl involved in this case was married to a man in this county within two weeks after the date of the occurrence of the offense charged in this case, and is living in San Mateo County now with her husband. I hope that Clarke Morton's application to you for executive clemency will receive favorable consideration at your hands, for through my thorough acquaintance with the circumstances and facts of this case, I feel that a great injustice is being done the boy to have him further incarcerated at San Quentin."

Now, therefore, in conformity with the recommendations above referred to and because of the character of Clarke Morton, the fact that he has sufficiently paid for his offense, that he is in no sense a criminal, and that he will return to care for his wife and child, I do hereby pardon him.

PARDONED ON RECOMMENDATION OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY WHO ADVISED PRISONER WAS INNOCENT.

SALVADOR MENDIVAL, San Quentin Prison No. 37157, was pardoned May 2, 1924. He, with Jose Hernandez and Broulio Galindo, was convicted of the crime of robbery in Los Angeles and on November 6, 1922, was given an indeterminate sentence of 1 to 10 years. He was immediately transported to San Quentin, where he has ever since remained.

Mendival, with Hernandez and Galindo and a fourth Mexican, who afterwards died, was arrested and charged with the robbery of the National Bank of Arcadia a few hours after that bank had been robbed. The evidence presented against them at the time of trial was circumstantial and no direct connection was ever shown between the defendants and the crime charged. After their conviction and sentence, a thorough investigation was made by Sheriff William I. Traeger and District Attorney Asa Keyes of Los Angeles County, which convinced them that Mendival and his companions had no connection with the crime and were wrongfully convicted.

District Attorney Asa Keyes and his deputy, W. Maxwell Burke, who personally conducted the trial, strongly recommend that Mendival and his companions be pardoned, and writes as follows:

"All three, Salvador Mendival, Jose Hernandez, and Broulio Galindo, stoutly protested their absolute innocence * * * They continued to protest their innocence in a dramatic way at the time of sentence. * * * They even amongst themselves protested their innocence.

"These men were tried on September 27, 1922, and after they had gone to the penitentiary, one Jack Thomas appeared in Mr. Burke's office and told him that four other men had told him that they, and not the Mexicans, had committed the robbery at Arcadia; practically at the time of the trial four men were arrested in Los Angeles upon a liquor charge, and at the same time there were counterfeit government strip stamps found at the house. The four men were lodged in jail and Major McReynolds of the United States Internal Revenue Service made an investigation in regard to these men and discovered that these men, particularly one Frank Sullivan and one W. F. McMahon, were two of the men that Jack Thomas had implicated as having in their possession certain of the United States bonds which were stolen from the Arcadia bank; also, there was discovered by the District Attorney and by a Mr. Johnson, a Burns Detective Agency employee, that Sullivan had used one of these United States bonds stolen from that bank in the purchase of illicit liquor. There did not seem to be enough information to hold any of these men for trial at that time, and they were released. Later, Mr. Al Manning, who was Deputy Sheriff and Superintendent of the Criminal Division of the Sheriff's office, was relieved of his position summarily, and Mr. Harry Wright was put in charge. When Mr. Wright took possession of Mr. Manning's office,

be discovered in the drawer of the desk about $600 worth of American Express Company checks unsigned These were proven to be a part of the securities taken from the Arcadia Bank

"Upon investigation it was found that one Tom Gray, who was one of the four heretofore implicated by Thomas and McReynolds, had buried those checks in a Mason jar in a flower bed upon a ranch of one Sam Lawrence in Artesia, about twenty miles from Arcadia. About the same time a convict by the name of Harold Brownlee, who is now in San Quentin for robbery, was being used by Al Manning as a stool pigeon; that Brownlee told Al Manning that those four men, to wit, Frank Sullivan, W. F. McMahon, Eddie Burns and Tom Gray, had confessed to him that they, and not the Mexicans, were the ones who had robbed the Arcadia Bank.

"In the meantime, the American Express Company had detailed an investigator to trace their checks, which had been stolen from this bank, and a part of which had been cashed at Tia Juana and San Diego, through a bank. It was then discovered that one Hubert Kittle and one David McGregor had received these checks from Frank Sullivan, either directly or indirectly, and had cashed them, or a part of them, under the name of G. McDonald, forging that name in two places upon these checks. Incidentally, Kittle and McGregor have been indicted, and their trial for receiving stolen property is now pending, and Hubert Kittle has made a partial or complete confession of this matter implicating directly Frank Sullivan, Tom Gray, W. F. McMahon and Eddie Burns.

"Some time in March, 1924, one J. B. O'Neill was arrested for robbing a bank at Norwalk in Los Angeles County, and confessed, and in his confession also told that Frank Sullivan had requested him to participate in the Arcadia Bank robbery some time in April of 1922, but that he refused, and later Frank Sullivan told O'Neill that he, Sullivan, together with Burns, Gray and McMahon, had robbed the Bank of Arcadia. In his confession he also told how Sullivan and his wife had helped rob the bank in Norwalk, particularly in helping the actual robbers to escape from the scene, and that Sullivan had received one-third of the proceeds of that robbery. None of these bonds, so far as I have been able to discover, were ever recovered by the bank, or the insurance company.

"Upon all of this information being presented to the Grand Jury of Los Angeles County, six men were indicted for the robbery of the Arcadia Bank, to-wit Frank Sullivan, Tom Gray, Eddie Burns, W. F. McMahon, E. S. McCardia and Sam Fair."

Sheriff William I. Traeger strongly recommends that they be pardoned and writes as follows:

"At the time the four defendants were arrested no moneys or securities were found in their possession, or, in other words, nothing other than the firearms, that would lead the officers to believe that they were the men who committed the crime.

"Although the four defendants were found guilty by a jury, I was somewhat skeptical as to whether or not we had actually apprehended the guilty parties, and, being of this frame of mind, I personally thought it necessary and so instructed, that the investigation be continued, and, although this investigation was rather continuous, I was unable to properly unravel the mystery and cloak myself with sufficient evidence to make further arrests that would bring about convictions, until here recently.

"Mrs. Lelia Sullivan, Hubert M Kittle, and David G. McGregor, having been apprehended, the latter two, Kittle and McGregor, each made statements connecting each other with possession of the stolen property in the county of Los Angeles, and the encashment of American Express Company's travelers' checks at Trajuana, Mexico, and San Diego, California, also showing the connection of Frank J. Sullivan, Tom Gray, Eddie Burns, Wm. McMahon, and E. S. McCardie as the actual participants in the bank robbery.

"I then began to accumulate further information, which resulted in actual evidence that proved beyond any doubt that the Mexicans who were arrested and are serving time for having robbed the First National Bank of Arcadia on April 5, 1922, were innocent of that charge, and the men who have been previously mentioned herein are the actual participants, and the guilty parties, and shall be apprehended and prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

"Recently the officials and some of the bank employees of the First National Bank of Arcadia, who were connected with the First National Bank of Arcadia on April 5, 1922, and who, to some degree, identified the Mexicans who were apprehended and who are at the present time serving a sentence, are now to a certain degree skeptical as to their identification of the Mexicans, and especially one employee who made verbal statements that the men who actually held up the bank were not Mexicans at all, and furthermore, he stated during a recent interview with him, that at the time the four Mexicans were brought into the bank by the officers for identification, he had a mental reflection as to the contrast between the men brought back by the officers and the men who held up the bank, particularly as to their height, the men brought back to the bank being considerably shorter than the participants. This man's name is Martell Stover.

"At this time, while I am dictating this memorandum, I have just been advised that Hubert M. Kittle, who was out on bail, has just committed suicide, which might be taken as a substantial indication of his guilt, inasmuch as it seems that he preferred death rather than to stand trial.

"* * * the Mexicans are not guilty of the Arcadia Bank robbery: that the men and women now indicted are the ones who committed the robbery, and I therefore recommend that you pardon Salvador Mendival and Broulio Galindo, who are serving a sentence of twenty-five years at Folsom, and Jose Hernandez, serving a ten-year sentence at San Quentin, for the crime for which they are now serving the sentences above enumerated."

Mendival's companions, Hernandez and Galindo, having been twice convicted of felonies, can not be pardoned by me at this time. Section 1 of article VII of the constitution provides that in such case a pardon must be first recommended by the Supreme Court. This recommendation has not been received to date

Now, therefore, in consideration of the recommendations above referred to, which show that he was not guilty of the robbery charged, I do hereby pardon Salvador Mendival

PARDONED AND DEPORTED ON RECOMMENDATION OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY WHO ADVISED PRISONER WAS INNOCENT.

JOSE HERNANDEZ, Folsom Prison No. 12208, was pardoned May 26, 1924. He, with Salvador Mendival and Broulio Galindo, was convicted of the crime of robbery in Los Angeles, and on November 6, 1922, was given an indeterminate sentence of 1 year to life He was immediately transported to Folsom, where he has ever since remained

Hernandez, with Mendival and Galindo and a fourth Mexican, who afterwards died, was arrested and charged with the robbery of the National Bank of Arcadia a few hours after that bank had been robbed. The evidence presented against them at the time of trial was circumstantial and no direct connection was ever shown between the defendants and the crime charged. After their conviction and sentence, a thorough investigation was made by Sheriff William I. Traeger and District Attorney Asa Keyes of Los Angeles County, which convinced them that Hernandez and his companions had no connection with the crime and were wrongfully convicted.

District Attorney Asa Keyes and his deputy, W. Maxwell Burke, who personally conducted the trial, strongly recommend that Hernandez and his companions be pardoned, and write as follows

"All three (Salvador Mendival, Jose Hernandez, Broulio Galindo) stoutly protested their absolute innocence. * * * They continued to protest their innocence in a dramatic way at the time of sentence. * * * They even amongst themselves protested their innocence.

"These men were tried on September 27, 1922, and after they had gone to the penitentiary, one Jack Thomas appeared in Mr. Burke's office and told him that four other men had told him that they, and not the Mexicans, had committed the robbery at Arcadia: practically at the time of the trial four men were arrested in Los Angeles upon a liquor charge, and at the same time there were counterfeit government strip stamps found at the house. The four men were lodged in jail and Major McReynolds of the United States Internal Revenue Service made an investigation in regard to these men and discovered that these men, particularly one Frank Sullivan and one W. F. McMahon, were two of the men that Jack Thomas had implicated as having in their possession certain of the United States bonds which were stolen from the Arcadia Bank: also, there was discovered by the District Attorney and by a Mr Johnson, a Burns Detective Agency employee, that Sullivan had used one of these United States bonds stolen from that bank in the purchase of illicit liquor. There did not seem to be enough information to hold any of these men for trial at that time and they were released. Later, Mr. Al Manning, who was Deputy Sheriff and Superintendent of the Criminal Division of the Sheriff's office, was relieved of his position summarily, and Mr Harry Wright was put in charge When Mr. Wright took possession of Mr. Manning's office, he discovered in the drawer of the desk about $600 worth of American Express Company checks unsigned. These were proven to be a part of the securities taken from the Arcadia Bank.

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"Some time in March, 1924, one J. B. O'Neill was arrested for robbing a bank at Norwalk in Los Angeles County, and confessed, and in his confession also told that Frank Sullivan had requested him to participate in the Arcadia Bank robbery some time in April, 1922, but that he refused, and later Frank Sullivan told O'Neill that he, Sullivan, together with Burns, Gray and McMahon, had robbed the Bank of Arcadia. In his confession he also told how Sullivan and his wife had helped rob the bank in Norwalk, particularly in helping the actual robbers to escape from the scene, and that Sullivan had received one-third of the proceeds of that robbery. None of these bonds, so far as I have been able to discover, were ever recovered by the bank, or the insurance company.

"Upon all of this information being presented to the Grand Jury of Los Angeles County, six men were indicted for the robbery of the Arcadia Bank, to wit: Frank Sullivan, Tom Gray, Eddie Burns, W. F. McMahon, E. S. McCardia and Sam Fair."

Sheriff William I. Traeger strongly recommends that they be pardoned and writes as follows:

"At the time the four defendants were arrested no moneys or securities were found in their possession, or, in other words, nothing other than the firearms, that would lead the officers to believe that they were the men who committed the crime.

"Although the four defendants were found guilty by a jury, I was somewhat skeptical as to whether or not we had actually apprehended the guilty parties, and, being of this frame of mind, I personally thought it necessary and so instructed, that the investigation be continued, and, although this investigation was rather continuous, I was unable to properly unravel the mystery and cloak myself with sufficient evidence to make further arrests that would bring about convictions, until here recently.

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"* * * the Mexicans are not guilty of the Arcadia Bank robbery; that the men and women now indicted are the ones who committed the robbery, and I therefore recommend that you pardon Salvador Mendival and Brouho Galindo, who are serving a sentence of twenty-five years at Folsom, and Jose Hernandez, serving a ten-year sentence at San Quentin, for the crime for which they are now serving the sentences above enumerated."

Hernandez, having been twice convicted of a felony, could not be pardoned under section 1, article VII of the constitution, until such pardon was recommended by a majority of the Justices of the Supreme Court. This recommendation has been received

Now, therefore, in consideration of the recommendations of the members of the Supreme Court, and other recommendations above referred to, which show that he was not guilty of the robbery charged, I do hereby pardon Jose Hernandez. This pardon is being granted with the understanding that Hernandez be delivered to the United States immigration officials, and that he be deported to Mexico.

PARDONED ON RECOMMENDATION OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY WHO ADVISED PRISONER WAS INNOCENT.

BROULIO GALINDO, Folsom Prison No. 12286, was pardoned September 30, 1924. He, with Salvador Mendival and Jose Hernandez, was convicted of the crime of robbery in Los Angeles, and on November 6, 1922, was given an indeterminate sentence of one year to life. He was immediately transported to Folsom, where he has ever since remained

Galindo, with Mendival and Hernandez and a fourth Mexican, who afterwards died, was arrested and charged with the robbery of the National Bank of Arcadia a few hours after that bank had been robbed The evidence presented against them at the time of trial was circumstantial and no direct connection was ever shown between the defendants and the crime charged After their conviction and sentence, a thorough investigation was made by Sheriff William I. Traeger and District Attorney Asa Keyes of Los Angeles County, which convinced them that Galindo and his companions had no connection with the crime and were wrongfully convicted

District Attorney Asa Keyes and his deputy, W. Maxwell Burke, who personally conducted the trial, strongly recommend that Galindo and his companions be pardoned, and write as follows:

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"At the time the four defendants were arrested no moneys or securities were found in their possession, or, in other words, nothing other than the firearms, that would lead the officers to believe that they were the men who committed the crime.

"Although the four defendants were found guilty by a jury, I was somewhat skeptical as to whether or not we had actually apprehended the guilty parties, and, being of this frame of mind, I personally thought it necessary and so instructed, that the investigation be continued, and, although this investigation was rather continuous, I was unable to properly unravel the mystery and cloak myself with sufficient evidence to make further arrests that would bring about conviction, until here recently.

"Mrs. Lelia Sullivan, Hubert M. Kittle, and David G. McGregor, having been apprehended, the latter two, Kittle and McGregor, each made statements connecting each other with possession of the stolen property in the county of Los Angeles, and the encashment of American Express Company's travelers' checks at Tijuana, Mexico, and San Diego, California, also showing the connection of Frank J. Sullivan, Tom Gray, Eddie Burns, Wm. McMahon, and E. S. McCardie as the actual participants in the bank robbery.

"I then began to accumulate further information which resulted in actual evidence that proved beyond any doubt that the Mexicans who were arrested and are serving time for having robbed the First National Bank of Arcadia on April 5, 1922, were innocent of that charge, and the men who have been previously mentioned herein are the actual participants, and the guilty parties, and shall be apprehended and prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

"Recently the officials and some of the bank employees of the First National Bank of Arcadia, who were connected with the First National Bank of Arcadia on April 5, 1922, and who, to some degree, identified the Mexicans who were apprehended and who are at the present time serving a sentence, are now to a certain degree skeptical as to their identification of the Mexicans, and especially one employee who made verbal statements that the men who actually held up the bank are not Mexicans at all, and, furthermore, he stated during a recent interview with him, that at the time the four Mexicans were brought into the bank by the officers for identification, he had a mental reflection as to the contrast between the men brought back by the officers and the men who held up the bank, particularly as to their height, the men brought back to the bank being considerably shorter than the participants. This man's name is Martell Stover.

"At this time, while I am dictating this memorandum, I have just been advised that Hubert M. Kittle, who was out on bail, has just committed suicide, which might be taken as a substantial indication of his guilt, inasmuch as it seems that he preferred death rather than to stand trial.

"* * * the Mexicans are not guilty of the Arcadia Bank robbery; that the men and women now indicted are the ones who committed the robbery, and I therefore recommend that you pardon Salvador Mendival and Broulio Galindo, who are serving a sentence of twenty-five years at Folsom, and Jose Hernandez, serving a ten-year sentence at San Quentin, for the crime for which they are now serving the sentences above enumerated."

Galindo, having been twice convicted of a felony, could not be pardoned under section 1, article VII of the constitution, until such pardon was recommended by a majority of the justices of the Supreme Court. This recommendation has been received.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the recommendation of the members of the Supreme Court, and the other recommendations above referred to, which show that he was not guilty of the robbery charged, I do hereby pardon Broulio Galindo.

RESTRICTIONS OF PREVIOUS PARDON REMOVED.

On January 13, 1923, the limitation upon the pardon of Dr. William Card was removed by me. Card was convicted in the Superior Court in the city and

county of San Francisco on July 7, 1918, of the crime of murder in the second degree and was sentenced to serve a term of from ten years to life imprisonment in San Quentin Prison. On January 8, 1923, a pardon was issued to him by the Honorable William D. Stephens, Governor of California, which pardon was conditioned upon Card leaving the State of California immediately upon his release from state prison, and never returning to the state.

It appeared to me that it would be a dangerous precedent for California to banish its criminals to other states, and that if we adopted such a policy the forty-seven other states might banish their criminals to California. The power of a governor in this matter is unquestioned, and if a governor can banish from California he could banish to a particular state. The question of the merits of the pardon issued by my predecessor was not at issue for the reason that I had the right to assume that the pardon was issued for good reasons and for worthy purposes. The only question that confronted me was that of removing the restriction of banishment.

In addition to the bad policy of banishing prisoners to other states, it appeared to me to be an unfair handicap upon Card to exile him from his own state and thus make it difficult to support his wife and family. For these reasons on January 13, 1923, I amended the pardon of January 8, 1923, issued by Governor Stephens, by removing the restriction.

CHIROPRACTOR PARDONED FROM COUNTY JAIL.

H. C. SAUNDERS, a chiropractor, was pardoned August 2, 1923. He was convicted in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the county of Orange, for practicing chiropracty without a license or certificate to do so, and was sentenced by Superior Judge R. Y. Williams of that county to be imprisoned in the county jail of that county for a period of 120 days. The defendant is now confined in the county jail of Orange County.

As the people by their vote at the last election made the practice of chiropracty legal, I believe I am expressing the will of the people by pardoning the defendant, and I do hereby pardon the said H. C. Saunders.

CHIROPRACTOR PARDONED FROM COUNTY JAIL.

J. E. WILLIS, a chiropractor, was pardoned August 2, 1923. He was convicted in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the county of Tulare on the second day of March, 1922, of practicing chiropracty without a license or certificate to do so, and was sentenced by Superior Judge W. B. Wallace of that county on the sixth day of March, 1922, to be imprisoned in the county jail of that county *for a period of five months. The defendant appealed from this conviction* to the Appellate Court of the Third Appellate District and that court affirmed the judgment of the Superior Court on the thirtieth day of June, 1922. The defendant is now confined in the county jail of Tulare County.

As the people by their vote at the last election made the practice of chiropracty legal, I believe I am expressing the will of the people by pardoning the defendant, and I do hereby pardon the said J. E. Willis.

RESTORED TO CITIZENSHIP WHILE ON PAROLE.

EDWARD MCCAMISH was pardoned November 1, 1923. He was convicted of the crime of murder in the first degree in the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, and on the twenty-eighth day of September, 1897, was sentenced to life imprisonment. He served continuously from that time until the ninth day of April, 1910, when he was paroled by the Board of Prison Directors, from which date until the present time he has been under parole, reporting regularly to the parole officer.

McCamish's conduct on parole has been exemplary as evidenced by the report of State Parole Officer Ed. H. Whyte, and by letters of recommendation which have been received from practically all his employers, as well as from the Mayor, Chief of Police, and police officers of the city of Berkeley, in which city he has spent most of his time since being paroled. Part of Whyte's statement is as follows:

> "McCamish's conduct since his release on parole has been exemplary and he has complied with the parole rules to the letter. To every one employing him, McCamish has given entire satisfaction.
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> "He has filed his monthly report promptly each month since his release, and it has been a pleasure to note each month an increase in his savings. At the present time McCamish has to his credit in savings the sum of $3,490, which to my way of thinking is the best indication of his industry, thrift and good intentions. I know of no other way to describe his record than to say he has made good in all respects, and feel that after all those years of excellent conduct he is deserving of a pardon."

Under the indeterminate sentence law, McCamish, undoubtedly, would have been given his full freedom long ago by the Board of Prison Directors, but this law was not passed until recently, and hence the board has had no power to take such action.

Now, therefore, in conformity with the recommendations above referred to, and *because of his exemplary conduct for more than twenty-six years, thirteen in prison*

and thirteen and one-half years on parole, and because of the fact that a technicality of the law prevents him from being given his freedom by the Board of Prison Directors, I do hereby pardon the said Edward McCamish.

RESTORED TO CITIZENSHIP AFTER PAROLE AND EXPIRATION OF TERM.

ARTHUR E. MOUFFE was pardoned December 14, 1923. He was sentenced from Los Angeles County on the 12th day of December, 1918, to be imprisoned under the indeterminate sentence law for the crime of forgery. On December 20, 1919, the Board of Prison Directors fixed his sentence at eighteen months with immediate parole. On the 12th day of March, 1920, his sentence expired, and he was given a certificate of discharge.

Mouffe's forgery was committed against his employers, the Union Oil Company of California at Los Angeles. Upon his release from prison he returned to his old home and has remained there ever since. His conduct in prison and while on parole was exemplary, and ever since his release he has proved himself to be a good citizen. These facts are testified to by numerous persons who have known Mouffe since his release, as well as by his employers. The officials of the Union Oil Company of California are among those who have petitioned that he be restored to citizenship. C. W. Ralph, director of sales and transportation of that company, writes in part as follows:

"The writer was authorized some weeks ago by W. L. Stewart, president, and E. W. Clark, executive vice president, to act for the Union Oil Company in the matter of request for executive clemency in the case of the above mentioned. Since his parole I have made it my personal business to follow up the activities of this young man, so that when we were satisfied he had learned his lesson that we might in every possible way assist him to start along new lines.

"I am very glad of the opportunity to state that Mr. Mouffe has conducted himself in a manner which is a credit to himself, his family and friends, that he has provided, to the best of his ability, for his family and he has earned the confidence of his present employer, and on requesting the Union Oil Company of California to endorse his application for clemency, we wish to say that we are pleased of this privilege and will willingly reemploy this young man should he desire to enter our service. We believe this is the disposition that should be shown by the former employers of those who err and who show an honest desire to once again take up their burdens and conduct themselves along proper lines.

"We believe this young man has earned the confidence of his fellow citizens and we sincerely hope that after a review of his application, you will conclude to grant his request.

"If there is any further information desired, kindly advise.

Respectfully yours,

UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA.
(Signed) C. W. Ralph."

Mouffe's former employer writes as follows:

"Having known Mr. A. E. Mouffe, of 5091 So. Pacific Boulevard, Huntington Park, California, both before and since his unfortunate experience I am of the opinion that he is a fit and worthy person to be restored to citizenship.

"Mr. Mouffe was formerly employed by me and I can not speak too highly of his services.

Yours truly,

THE GRANT FORGE SHOP.
(Signed) John Grant."

Mouffe's present employer writes as follows:

"A. E. Mouffe has been working under the writer's personal supervision for the past four years as steel heat treater and general forge shop work. I have always found him a good, steady, obedient and reliable workman, faithful in the discharge of his duties. He is a man of the highest character, and very good to his family. Am proud to have him in this plant, and would be pleased to have more men like him.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) R. B. ADAMS,
Superintendent, Wilson & Willard Mfg. Co."

Now, therefore, in conformity with the recommendations above referred to, and because of his excellent conduct in prison, while on parole, and since his release, which conduct shows him to be entitled to be restored to citizenship, I do hereby pardon Arthur E. Mouffe.

RESTORED TO CITIZENSHIP WHILE ON PAROLE.

THOMAS A. PATTON was pardoned December 22, 1923. He pleaded guilty to assault to commit rape on May Goeller in the month of January, 1917, and was

sentenced by the Superior Court of Sacramento County on January 29, 1917, to be imprisoned for twenty years. He was paroled January 30, 1920.

At the time the crime was alleged to have been committed, Patton was so drunk that he had no recollection as to what occurred. He fell into the hands of an inexperienced attorney, who misrepresented the prosecution's case and prevailed on him to plead guilty so as to get probation.

Dr James T. Christian, who at the time of the alleged offense was employing the prosecuting witness, writes as follows:

"Some months ago I addressed you relative to Thomas A Patton. I again address you in his behalf to bring out a few more points in his case, which I understand is up for a complete pardon.

"As I stated before in my letter, May Goeler, his accuser, is an epileptic and is mentally deficient, and has a mania for making accusations against other persons similar to those made against Mr Patton. On one occasion she accused a Mr. Dwight Comstock of this place of attempting to rape her, but the charge was proven absolutely false upon investigation She also accused her brother-in-law, Henry May, of attempting to rape her—the circumstances are as follows: I was called to Mr May's residence about ten p.m. to attend Miss Goeler. I found her in a hysterical condition and upon demanding the reason for her condition she informed me that she was alone with her brother-in-law and that he had assaulted her I at once called Mr. May, and, upon telling him in her presence what she had said, she admitted that she had told a lie and that the real reason for her condition was that she was angry because she had not been allowed to go to Ione with her sister. Upon another time, while she and several girls were picking flowers near Carbondale, she came running to the girls and said a man had tried to assault her near an old mine shaft. There was a searching party organized, but no trace could be found of anyone having been in that vicinity.

"I have every reason to believe Mr Patton innocent. First: I know that the girl is absolutely irresponsible and insane. Second: I sent swabs from the vagina of Miss Goeler, taken one-half hour after the time of the alleged assault, to the Dameron Laboratory at Stockton and they were found to be free from any evidence of semen. Third. Mr. Cameron, an attorney, was in his offices just about nine feet away and heard nothing that would indicate that a struggle was going on. Fourth Mr Patton was in such a condition physically at the time of the alleged assault that it would have been a physical impossibility for him to have actually raped the girl He was intoxicated almost to a stupor.

"I personally know that Mr. Cameron, his attorney, was afraid to proceed with the trial, and desired to get out as quickly as possible, no matter who suffered

"I feel that Mr. Patton is a victim of unlucky circumstance and has suffered for a crime for which he is absolutely not guilty. He is deserving of help at this time, and if you can see fit to grant him a complete pardon, I know that he will never act in any manner that will make you regret that you have done so, and your kindness will be greatly appreciated by his many friends in this vicinity."

The Judge, District Attorney, prosecuting witness, and numerous responsible persons, recommend that Patton be pardoned District Attorney Bradford writes as follows:

"He has been on parole for several years and has 'made good.' During this time, I have seen him quite a number of times and often heard of his work. He now is asking for a pardon, and, in view of his conduct while on parole, I very heartily recommend his request to your favorable consideration Especially, I do this because doubt has since been cast upon the story of the girl"

Patton's conduct in prison and while on parole has been exemplary, as testified to by officials, employers, and others

Now, therefore, because of the recommendations above referred to, and of the fact that there is very grave doubt of his guilt, and because of his exemplary conduct in prison and while on parole, I do hereby pardon the said Thomas A Patton.

RESTORED TO CITIZENSHIP AFTER PAROLE AND EXPIRATION OF TERM.

VINCENT J. STEFFAN, formerly known as Vincent Steffanke, was pardoned August 4, 1924. He pleaded guilty to second degree burglary in Sacramento County and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in Folsom Prison. He was received there January 11, 1911, and was given No 7763 On August 11, 1914, he was discharged and went to San Francisco, where he pleaded guilty to violating probation given him by Judge Wm P. Lawlor of that county in 1910, and to second degree burglary committed in San Francisco in September, 1914. For these crimes he was sentenced to be imprisoned for seven and three years respectively, such sentences to run concurrently. He was received at San Quentin November 20, 1914, being

given No. 27975, and was released on parole January 10, 1918. He continued on parole until August 20, 1919, when he was discharged.

During his incarceration in San Quentin, Steffan became converted to Christianity and a complete reformation took place in his life. He carried on evangelistic work among his fellow prisoners and has continued such work ever since his release. In 1923 he was ordained a minister of the Presbyterian Church and elected prison chaplain at large for the state by the Presbyterian Synod.

The Supreme Court of California has unanimously recommended that Steffan be pardoned. Honorable George H. Cabiniss, Judge of the Superior Court of San Francisco, who sentenced Steffan to San Quentin, likewise recommends and writes as follows:

"I earnestly recommend that V. J. Steffanke's application for pardon be granted. Whilst in prison Steffanke underwent a genuine change of heart. After leaving prison he became closely identified with the Presbyterian Church, under the auspices of which he has done much good work. I am in full accord with your view that criminals should be punished and not coddled, and yet, in exceptional cases (of which the Steffanke case is one), I believe the full clemency of the law should be extended to one who has already been severely punished and seeks now a pardon, only that he may be restored to all of his rights as a citizen."

Several officials connected with the state's penal institutions who have been in touch with Steffan for several years have recommended that he be pardoned. Among them are Warden J. A. Johnston of San Quentin Prison, Superintendent O. H Close of Preston School of Industry, Trustee B. F. Pearson of Whittier State School and state parole officer, Ed. H. Whyte. Mr. Whyte writes as follows.

"His case was called to my attention on many occasions while he was in San Quentin on account of the great transformation in him. He not only set out to redeem himself but also helped many of the prisoners. I met and conversed with him and became convinced in my own mind that should he continue on the outside with the course he started in prison he would make good.

"From January, 1918, until August 20, 1919, I kept close observation of his conduct and deportment and found him sincere in his work and studies. Since his discharge, I have not only kept in personal touch with him but have inquired of his friends and the clergy with whom he is carrying on missionary work, and I am thoroughly convinced that Steffanke has not only staged a comeback but through his position as missionary of the Presbyterian Church I feel he will continue lending a helping hand to the unfortunate. I take great pleasure in recommending him to your excellency."

A large number of ministers of various denominations from all parts of California who have had occasion to work with Steffan, and to observe his conduct since his release from prison, have written letters strongly urging that he be pardoned. Rev. Lapsley A. McAfee of Berkeley, past moderator of the Presbyterian Synod of California, writes as follows

"This is my most cordial commendation of Vincent J. Steffan, who is now making an application before you I know him very well and have known him for the past several years. I know his record previously and I honor him very highly. Knowing the detail of his application and knowing his genuine worth, I am eager to be counted among those to urge favorable action for him."

Rev. Augustus B. Prichard of Los Angeles writes as follows:

"He has continued since his liberation in a course of life which gives yet further evidence of the reality of his transformation. He has been very closely observed by a large number of intelligent Christian people and I have yet to learn of a single misstep on his part, or of even a word escaping him that would continue to link him with the old life. He is assuredly a new creature in Christ Jesus. As one of those who have had especially good opportunity to know the man and witness his manner of life, I take great pleasure in asking that clemency be shown him to the extent of granting him a full pardon."

Rev. G. A. Briegleb of Los Angeles, present Moderator of the Presbyterian Synod of California, writes as follows:

"For the last seven years he has been doing evangelistic work and is now the Chaplain-at-Large to Penal Institutions of California of our Presbyterian denomination. He is an ordained Presbyterian clergyman, a member of the Presbytery of Los Angeles I know of no man that deserves the approbation of men in a greater degree than does Mr. Steffan. He has made good, has a tremendously powerful message and is being used in a very large way in our denomination in evangelistic work. He married a young woman who was for some time my church secretary, and it has been a source of personal joy to me to see the growth in grace of this good brother."

Now, therefore, in consideration of his meritorious conduct in prison, on parole, and since his release, which shows his worthiness to be restored to citizenship, and

in reliance upon the recommendations above referred to, as well as many others, I do hereby pardon Vincent J. Steffan, formerly known as Vincent Steffanke.

RESTORED TO CITIZENSHIP AFTER PAROLE AND EXPIRATION OF TERM.

SAM F. KENNEDY, San Quentin Prison No. 31252, was pardoned December 4, 1924. He pleaded guilty of the crime of burglary in Santa Barbara County and was sentenced January 10, 1918, to an indeterminate period of from one to fifteen years at San Quentin Prison. The State Board of Prison Directors in due course fixed his term at four years. On July 12, 1919, he was released on parole and on January 12, 1921, his term expired.

Ever since his release on parole Kennedy has lived with and supported his wife and two children and has kept steadily employed. His exemplary life during that time and his fitness to be restored to citizenship are testified to by many responsible persons who have observed his conduct, and recommend that he be pardoned. Among those who do so are the following:

J. F. Frick, Supervisor, Fourth District.
M. G. Wenz, Pastor, M. E. Church.
L. E. Heiges, M. D., District Surgeon, S. P. R. R.
V. A. Kennedy, Editor, Lompoc Review.
G. W. Meals, Attorney at Law.
W. S. Bland, Chief of Police.
A. C. Whittemore, President Board of Trustees.
F. A. Mann, Justice of the Peace.
W. E. Talbott, M.D., Health Officer.
R. S. Lagier, Vice President, Commercial Trust & Savings Bank, Lompoc.

Dr. L. E. Heiges of Lompoc writes as follows:

"I am family physician and fraternal brother to Mr. Kennedy and his family. In this connection I have had opportunity to observe Mr. Kennedy not only in his home life but in community and social life as well. Believing that he is able and willing to reestablish himself on the firm and sound footing of good citizenship, I do not hesitate to recommend any favorable action you may take in this matter."

W. S. Bland, Chief of Police of Lompoc, writes as follows:

"He reported to me regularly during his parole and I have had opportunity for the several years he has been employed by his brother, editor of the Lompoc Review, to observe his conduct, which has been in every way becoming. He has been hard-working and regular in his habits, making a home for his wife and children.

The Honorable A. C. Whittemore, president of the Board of Trustees of the City of Lompoc, writes as follows:

"I have had opportunity to observe the young man and have never heard of anything to his discredit, since his return to this city on parole. From what I can learn I believe that he will make good use of citizenship if it is returned to him and will not abuse this privilege."

H. J. Moore, Keeper of the Records and Seal of Lompoc Lodge No. 57 of the Knights of Pythias, writes as follows:

"I personally am acquainted with Mr. Sam F. Kennedy and believe his conduct in his home and our community to be of an exemplary nature. Since his release from San Quentin on parole Mr. Kennedy has been employed by his brother, Mr. V. A. Kennedy, editor of the Lompoc Review, and has been in constant support of his wife and two children. I would heartily recommend any favorable action your office might care to take in this action, believing that Mr. Kennedy would prove himself to be one of our average citizens."

Ronald M. Adam, Editor and Proprietor of the Lompoc Record writes as follows:

"In reply to your letter of November 19th, regarding Sam F. Kennedy of Lompoc, will state that his conduct and behavior have been good. He has been working steadily for a long time for his brother, V. A. Kennedy, in the printing business in Lompoc. He has attended to his own business and has not been into any trouble since his release from prison. I made inquiry and he appears to be paying his bills and is going straight. Therefore, from my own observation and from the investigation that I have quietly made, I believe that he is worthy of your pardon."

The Honorable W. L. Talbott, member of the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, writes as follows:

"I have known the family for several years and am familiar with the trouble this young man got into and his life since his release from sentence and parole. He is raising a family and seems to be making every effort to

overcome his past record, and is doing it here among the hardest circumstances possible, among people who know his past. I believe he will make proper use of citizenship if it be returned to him, better use probably than many who have never made the first slip."

All the officials connected with the prisoner's trial, to wit: The Honorable S. E. Crow, Superior Judge; Honorable James Ross, Sheriff; and Honorable E. W. Squier, District Attorney, have recommended that he be pardoned.

Now, therefore, in view of the recommendations above referred to, as well as those of many other responsible citizens, and because of the exemplary life he has led which shows him to be worthy, I do hereby pardon the said Sam F. Kennedy, for the purpose of restoring him to citizenship.

SENTENCE COMMUTED

The sentence of MICHAEL PARASKEVOPOULOS was commuted December 18, 1923, from life to fifteen years. He plead guilty in the month of October, 1917, to murder in the first degree, and on October 31, 1917, was sentenced to life imprisonment by the Superior Court of Napa County. He was immediately imprisoned in San Quentin, where he has ever since remained. His conduct while in prison has been exemplary.

On the night the offense was committed, the defendant, who is a Greek, was engaged in a drunken brawl with two fellow countrymen. His brother, Christos, seeing him so engaged, rushed up and fatally shot one of the defendant's opponents. For some reason the defendant's attorneys, who are now dead, compelled him to plead guilty in spite of the fact that he had had nothing to do with the firing of the fatal shot.

In May, 1922, Governor Stephens commuted the sentence of the defendant's brother Christos to time served, because he had fired the fatal shot believing his brother's life in danger.

Both the trial judge and the District Attorney, among others, have recommended commutation of the defendant's sentence. The District Attorney recites the above facts, and writes as follows:

> "As conclusion from the foregoing facts and particularly in view of the excellent character and reputation which said applicant had prior to this unfortunate trouble, and the excellent character and reputation which he has borne during his entire incarceration, and believing that he can again become a useful member of society, I have no hesitancy in recommending a commutation of sentence and I therefore recommend that your Excellency commute the sentence of the aforesaid Michael Paraskevopoulos, San Quentin Register No. 31044, to one which will be the approximate punishment of manslaughter.
>
> NATHAN F. COOMBS,
> Prosecuting District Attorney."

Now, therefore, upon the recommendations of the Judge, District Attorney, and others, and in order to prevent a miscarriage of justice, I do hereby commute the sentence of the said Michael Paraskevopoulos from life to fifteen years.

SENTENCE OF EXECUTION COMMUTED, PRISONER BEING UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE.

The sentence of WILLIAM ALEXANDER HARD was commuted April 14, 1924, to life imprisonment. He was convicted of murder in the first degree in the Superior Court of Siskiyou County on the fourth day of March, 1924, and was sentenced to be hanged at San Quentin prison on Friday, the twenty-third day of May, 1924.

Since the conviction of Hard I have made a careful investigation and have discovered that he was not of the age of eighteen years at the time of the commission of the murder. This is shown by his birth certificate and the record of his baptism. This evidence was not presented to the jury. From the evidence presented to the jury it decided that Hard was of the age of eighteen years.

Section 190 of the Penal Code provides that the death penalty shall not be inflicted upon any person for murder committed before such person shall have reached the age of eighteen years.

Now, therefore, in view of the above facts and the law, I do hereby commute the sentence of the said William Alexander Hard to life imprisonment.

This action is taken solely for the reasons stated above. The murder committed was cruel, cold-blooded and deliberate. There were no extenuating circumstances. Hard has the appearance of being nineteen years of age, as he stated to officers when arrested, and his conduct on the witness stand showed keen intelligence and force.

SENTENCE COMMUTED.

The sentence of HERBERT W. REED was commuted April 18, 1924, to ten years' imprisonment. He pleaded guilty to the crime of sodomy committed in San Joaquin County on March 27, 1921, and was sentenced to an indeterminate sentence of from five years to life on June 14, 1921. He was immediately transported to San Quentin Prison, where he has since remained.

At the time Reed was sentenced, the law in such cases provided that the sentence could not be less than five years. However, on July 29, 1921, this law was amended changing the sentence in such cases to not less than one nor more than ten years. It is, therefore, apparent that if he had pleaded guilty he would have been sentenced under the amended statute.

While confined in San Quentin his conduct has been exemplary, and he has been of great assistance to the prison officials. Reverend Spence Burton, representative of the Episcopal Church at San Quentin, writes as follows:

"Mr Reed holds a responsible position in charge of the University Extension Work in the prison. He is trusted by the authorities and liked by his fellow prisoners. I shall not presume to make any suggestions to you in regard to Mr Reed, but I beg of you to consider his excellent record both for usefulness and trustworthiness while in San Quentin."

William R. Blumenthal, assistant to the chaplain at San Quentin, writes as follows:

"I have known Mr. Reed during two years that I have made regular monthly visits to the prison, and have had opportunity to observe his work and conduct. I am happy to be able to say that I always found him gentlemanly, considerate and courteous. The guards and inmates all speak of him in terms of highest praise.

"As assistant to former Chaplain Laizure and as the one in charge of the University Extension Division, he has fulfilled and filled full his duties in a most able and efficient manner. Mr Reed rendered my Committee for Personal Service aid in helping us conduct our holiday services for the past two seasons, for which we are all duly grateful.

"I bespeak your consideration of his case, for I am convinced that he is worthy of a chance to show that he can make good."

C. D. Seacrist, the complaining witness against Reed, recommends clemency, and writes as follows:

"I am asking a favor in regard to Mr. Reed, now in San Quentin, that he be pardoned or paroled. I am the man who made the charges against him that he pleaded guilty to, but I feel that he has paid full penalty for his crime and am more than willing that he be pardoned or paroled. Hoping you may find it possible to grant this favor."

Judge George F. Buck of San Joaquin County, who sentenced Reed, recommends that his sentence be commuted to ten years, and District Attorney Edward Van Vranken of that county approves this recommendation. Judge Buck writes as follows:

"The offense charged against the defendant was committed on the twenty-seventh day of March, 1921, and the information charging the same as a crime was presented by the District Attorney on the fourteenth day of June, 1921. And on the fourteenth day of June, 1921, the defendant appeared in court, waived right to counsel, and entered his plea of guilty, and waived time allowed by statute before the pronouncing of judgment, and judgment was forthwith on said fourteenth day of June, 1921, pronounced against him, ordering 'that he be imprisoned in the state prison of the State of California for such period of time as provided by law.' It now seems that at the time of the commission of the offense the punishment provided by law was 'imprisonment in the state prison not less than five years.' (Penal Code, 286.)

"But on April 29, 1921, the Legislature enacted an amendment of this section of the Code so as to provide that the punishment should be 'imprisonment in the state prison not less than one nor more than ten years,' and further providing that this amendment should go in effect ninety days after date, to wit, on July 29, 1921. This amendment was approved by the Governor on May 13, 1921. From the foregoing it will therefore appear that on June 14, 1921, when the defendant appeared and pleaded guilty, without counsel, and waived time for pronouncing judgment, that he inadvertently deprived himself of the benefit of the amendment enacted by the Legislature on April 29th, and approved by the Governor on May 13th, even though that amendment did not in law become effective until July 29, 1921. For he could very easily have availed himself of that amendment by prolonging the time of his sentence beyond July 29, 1921, by entering a plea of not guilty and having the case set for trial at some later day and then either standing trial or withdrawing his plea of not guilty and entering his plea of guilty after July 29, 1921, and not waiving time for pronouncing sentence, but insisting upon his statutory rights. It would therefore seem that the mere failure on the part of the defendant through ignorance or inadvertence in availing himself of his statutory rights should not deprive him of the slight benefit accruing to him by virtue of an amendment to the statute duly enacted by the Legislature and approved by the Governor. For in this case, since the amendment was a modification of the punishment provided by the statute in effect at the time of the commission of the offense, the amendment is not rendered ineffective, so far as the defendant is concerned, by the rule prohibiting ex post facto legislation. (16 Corpus Juris, page 70, 22 N. Y. 95, 21 Pick 492.)

"It would therefore seem to me that it would be highly in conformity with the spirit of the law that this defendant should be given the benefit of the amended statute which provides that the punishment shall be not less than one nor more than ten years' imprisonment, and that he should not be burdened with the penalty of the old statute as a result simply of his own inadvertence and ignorance which followed from his evident and praiseworthy desire not to delay but to speed the process of the law."

Now, therefore, in consideration of the defendant's exemplary conduct in prison, the assistance rendered by him to the prison officials, the recommendations above referred to as well as others, and in order to make his sentence conform to the present law, I do hereby commute the sentence of Herbert W. Reed to ten years' imprisonment.

SENTENCE COMMUTED.

The sentence of JOHN E BRISCOE, San Quentin Prison No. 34209, was commuted April 25, 1924, to ten years' imprisonment. He was convicted of the infamous crime against nature in Napa County, and on November 21, 1920, was sentenced to a term of from five years to life. He was immediately transported to San Quentin Prison, where he has ever since remained. He has conducted himself properly as a prisoner and is given a clean record in the prison report

At the time Briscoe was sentenced, the law in such cases provided that the sentence should be from five years to life However, on July 29, 1921, this law was amended changing the sentence in such cases to not less than one nor more than ten years.

Honorable Henry C. Gesford, who, as Judge of the Superior Court of Napa County, sentenced Briscoe, recommends that his sentence be commuted, and writes as follows

"[illegible] in view of the change of law since the conviction of this man, which has resulted in his not being eligible for parole at this date while those who have been convicted of the same crime since the change of law are now eligible for parole and are being paroled. I can not see that there would be any disadvantage to the state nor anything but good come of such a commutation of sentence in the premises. It would place this prisoner upon the same footing that he would now be on had he been convicted under the new law."

Clarence N. Riggins, who was District Attorney of Napa County at the time Briscoe was convicted, recommends that his sentence be commuted, and writes as follows:

"At the time of his conviction, the law provided that sentence be from five years to life The legislature of 1921 amended this section so that punishment is from one to ten years Briscoe was intoxicated at the time of the offense and he was an industrious man when sober. I think that he has already been sufficiently punished, and, since the legislature has amended the law and reduced the penalty, I think it would be just to give him the benefit of the amendment and reduce his sentence."

Jas R Harris, Sheriff of Napa County, recommends that Briscoe's sentence be commuted, and writes as follows:

"Regarding the case of John E. Briscoe, convicted in the Superior Court of Napa County in 1920 for violation of Section 286 of the Penal Code, and who, I am informed, has applied for commutation of sentence, I wish to state that I believe that his application should be granted.

"The amending of this section by the legislature of 1921 so that it now reads from one to ten years should, I believe, be taken into consideration when passing upon his application. Briscoe was a very industrious man while here in Napa, and was at the time of the offense intoxicated

"Further, after the trial was over, it was rather a general opinion that the complaining witness was a moral pervert, at least bore that reputation."

Eight of the jurymen who rendered the verdict against Briscoe have also recommended that his sentence be commuted

Now, therefore, in consideration of the defendant's clean record in prison, the recommendations of the Judge, District Attorney, Sheriff and jurymen above referred to, as well as others, and in order to make his sentence conform to the present law, I do hereby commute the sentence of the said John E. Briscoe to ten years imprisonment.

REPRIEVED FOR THREE DAYS.

WILLARD THOMPSON, reprieved April 9, 1924, was convicted in Los Angeles County of murder in the first degree and on June 2, 1922, was sentenced to be hanged August 18, 1922. An appeal was taken which was denied by the Supreme Court and on February 12, 1924, his execution was set for April 18, 1924. Because this date fell on Good Friday, I reprieved him from that day until April 21, 1924.

REPRIEVED FOR SEVEN DAYS.

ISAAC WOLFGANG, reprieved April 9, 1924, was convicted in Los Angeles County of murder in the first degree and on April 2, 1923, was sentenced to be hanged

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DEPORTED TO HOME STATE ON ACCOUNT OF INSANITY.

HARRIS HALL, also known as Dallas Pope, was pardoned October 6, 1924. He was convicted of grand larceny in San Diego County on February 28, 1924 and was sentenced March 15, 1924, to San Quentin Prison for an indeterminate term of one to ten years. Upon being received at San Quentin it was discovered that he had been previously convicted of a felony. He was thereupon transferred to Folsom Prison where he was given prison number 13026.

Hall's peculiar actions attracted the attention of Warden Smith and Dr. Rogers, warden and prison physician respectively of Folsom, and after careful examination and observation, on April 3, 1924, they petitioned the Superior Court of Sacramento County to examine into the prisoner's sanity. After such examination by the *Insanity Commission of Sacramento County, Hall was declared insane by the* Honorable Peter J. Shields, Judge of the Superior Court of Sacramento County, on April 4, 1924. He was ordered committed to Stockton State Hospital for the insane, where he has remained ever since. He has been closely observed by the hospital physicians and they have advised me that his insanity is incurable. Dr. Fred P. Clark, Medical Superintendent of the institution, writes me as follows:

> "This man is a convict and was sent to us from the Folsom State Prison. He is suffering from a mild form of dementia praecox, an incurable disease. Since he has been with us, he has not shown any violent tendencies—has been quiet and well behaved but makes peculiar grimaces and acts in a peculiar manner. *He will sit and stare into space and when answering questions, gives* his answers slowly and in a very low tone. He has had one or two marked periods of excitement.
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> "We would recommend to you that you issue a pardon to this man in order that he may be deported to Oregon, where he belongs."

After Hall was committed to Stockton Hospital, it was discovered that he was a resident of the State of Oregon. Negotiations were taken up with the Board of Control of that state and that board has consented to receive and keep him at the Oregon State Hospital. The Department of Institutions was advised that because Hall was under sentence to state prison he could not be deported and upon the *matter being submitted to the Attorney General's office of this state, that office has* rendered me the following opinion advocating Hall's pardon for purposes of deportation:

> "Upon the record as presented, it appears to be manifestly to the interest and advantage of the State of California to deport this man to the state of his residence, and thereby relieve this state of the burden of his maintenance throughout the balance of his natural life. Under these circumstances you request to be advised whether or not it will be necessary for you to pardon, or commute the sentence of, the said Harris Hall, in order that he may be legally removed from the custody of the Superintendent of the Stockton State Hospital *and delivered into the custody of the proper authorities in charge of the* Oregon State Hospital at Salem.
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> "In answer thereto, I write to advise you that I am of opinion such action, upon your part, will be necessary.
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> "In contemplation of law, the status as a convict remains unaltered and the Superintendent of the Stockton State Hospital is without authority to deliver him into the custody of the deportation agent of this state, for transportation *to Oregon, until his status as a convict is terminated. This termination* can be had only through the medium of the exercise of executive clemency, either in the form of a pardon, or of a commutation of sentence."

Honorable Walter D. Wagner, Director of Institutions, also recommends Hall's pardon for purposes of deportation and writes as follows:

> "The Attorney General has informed us that before this man can be deported his prison record must be cleared, which would require that he be pardoned by Your Excellency. I am informed that Hall is incurably insane and will probably require custodial care the rest of his life.
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> "In view of the above facts, I respectfully request that you grant a pardon *to Harris Hall, Folsom Convict No. 13026, so that he may be deported to the* State of Oregon, which State has agreed to receive him."

Now, therefore, relying upon the above recommendations and solely to enable him to be deported thus saving this state the expense of maintaining him for the rest of his life, I do hereby pardon the said Harris Hall, also known as Dallas Pope, Folsom Prison No 13026.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WILLIAM RICHARDSON,
Governor of the State of California.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were received and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on January 8 passed as a case of urgency Assembly Bill No. 1—An act to amend section 266 of the Political Code relating to the method of paying salaries and mileage of the members of the Legislature and making the same an urgency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Considered enrolled, and ordered to Governor.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on January 8 adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1—Relative to the ratification of an amendment to the constitution of the United States, proposed by the Congress of the United States of America, relating to child labor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Considered enrolled, and ordered to Governor.

RECESS.

At ten o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until ten o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At ten o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Booth reading.

MOTION TO EXTEND HOUR OF RECESS.

Mr. Eksward moved that the hour of recess be extended.

Motion carried.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, That a cordial invitation is hereby extended to Mrs. John M. Eshleman, Louis M. Cole, James M. Cremin, C. R. Clinch, George W. Peltier, Jesse W. Lilienthal Jr., John L. McNab, George C. Pardee, Thos. W. McManus, Dr. Charles A. Wayland, Madison T. Owens, Martin C. Neuner, Dr. Louise Harvey Clarke, being the persons chosen by the people of the State of California as Presidential electors, to assemble in the Assembly Chamber, in the State Capitol, at the city of Sacramento, on Monday, January 12, 1925, at two o'clock p.m., for the purpose of casting the electoral vote of the State of California for President and Vice President of the United States, as provided by section 1315 of the Political Code.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

MOTION TO POSTPONE PRINTING OF SPEECHES.

Mr. Eksward moved that the speeches of Messrs. Coombs and Spence and Mrs. Saylor be printed in the Journal of Monday, January 12, 1925, instead of Friday, January 9, 1925.

Motion carried.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced the Chief Clerk had informed him that Assembly Bill No. 1 had been presented to the Governor this day at eleven a.m.

ADJOURNMENT.

At two o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Crittenden, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., Monday, January 12, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, January 12, 1925.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Cloter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—75

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mrs. Dorris, its further reading was dispensed with

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Rosenshine, Miss Broughton was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Spence, Mr. Roland was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Chas. L. Neumiller of Stockton was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. O. O. Parkinson, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor

of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced the receipt of the following communication from the Kiwanis Club, and ordered the same read and printed in the Journal:

KIWANIS CLUB, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA,
January 8, 1925.

Members of the California State Assembly,
State Capitol Building,
Sacramento, California.

GENTLEMEN: The Kiwanis Club of Sacramento extends a very cordial invitation to the members of your honorable body who are Kiwanis, to attend the regular weekly luncheons of the club. The luncheons are held each Monday noon at the Hotel Land and the club would esteem it a great privilege to greet any members of your honorable body on those occasions. We shall inform you of any other meetings which may take place and to which we would also like to have you present.

Sincerely yours,

KIWANIS CLUB OF SACRAMENTO,
Per BRYANT WILSON, Secretary.

MOTION TO APPOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Mr. Eksward moved that the Speaker appoint a Special Committee of Three to serve with a like committee appointed by the Senate to escort the Governor and the Presidential Electors of the State of California to the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of casting the electoral vote of the State of California.

Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

In conformity with the above motion the Speaker appointed Messrs. Easley, Bernard and Sewell as such special committee.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Carter:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the Contingent Expense Fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75.00), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the Chief Clerk's office.

Resolution read.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGE

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 12, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 46—An act making an appropriation to pay the expenses of electors of President and Vice President of the United States of America

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,
SACRAMENTO, January 12, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Senate Bill No. 46, making an appropriation to pay the per diem and mileage of electors of President and Vice President of the United States of America for the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-five is, in my opinion an emergency measure and this bill is an emergency bill, and I therefore recommend its passage

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 46, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FORTY-SIX

Senate Bill No. 46—An act making an appropriation to pay the expenses of electors of President and Vice President of the United States of America.

RESOLUTION

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 46 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each House is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Resolution read.

Mr. Eksward moved the adoption of the resolution

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—73

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

Senate Bill No. 46—An act making an appropriation to pay the expenses of electors of President and Vice President of the United States of America.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be adopted.

The roll was called and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—72

NOES—None

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

Senate Bill No. 46—An act making an appropriation to pay the expenses of electors of President and Vice President of the United States of America.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Senate Bill No. 46 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—72.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

RECESS.

At two o'clock p.m., the Speaker declared the Assembly at recess for the purpose of receiving the Presidential electors of the State of California.

REASSEMBLED.

At three o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Booth reading.

MOTION TO POSTPONE PRINTING OF SPEECHES.

Mr. Eksward moved that the speeches of Messrs. Coombs and Spence and Mrs. Saylor be printed in the Journal of Wednesday, January 14, 1925, instead of Monday, January 12, 1925.

Motion carried

MEMBER SWORN IN.

As required by section 239 of the Political Code, Mr. T. H. Louttit presented his certificate of election, and duly qualified by taking and subscribing to the following oath, administered by Elijah C. Hart, Associate Justice of the Third Court of Appeal:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of the State of California, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of member of the Assembly for the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California, according to the best of my ability.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and ordered printed in the Journal.

BUDGET MESSAGE OF FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, GOVERNOR.

To the Members of the Senate and Assembly.

In accordance with the requirements of section 34 of article IV of the constitution, I submit herewith to you a budget containing a complete plan and itemized statement of all proposed expenditures of the State provided by existing laws or recommended by me, and of all institutions, departments, boards, bureaus, commissions, officers, employees, and other agencies, and of all estimated revenues, for each fiscal year of the ensuing biennial period, together with a comparison as to each item of revenue and expenditure for the first fiscal year of the present biennial period, and the actual and estimated revenues and expenditures for the second fiscal year of the present biennial period.

The estimated revenues of the State for the ensuing biennium exceed the total of the budget, hence the present revenues will be sufficient. The details of this budget have been prepared by the members of the Board of Control, who are entitled to great credit for their efficient service to the State.

The constitution provides that the Governor may at any time amend or supplement the budget, and it is possible that I will make further recommendations to you from time to time while the budget is being considered. It is presented to you not with the idea that it is a perfect document but that it is as complete and thorough as it could be made. After the budget has been considered by your two finance committees you may be able to suggest further savings and indicate where the budget can be reduced.

The budget herewith presented shows proposed expenditures totaling $103,430,275 10. The estimated revenues for the biennial period, according to figures presented by the State Board of Equalization, are $104,571,780 19.

In preparing this budget, every endeavor has been made to carry out the economy program and to keep the State's expenses within its income. The people ultimately pay every dollar of taxes whether such taxation be direct or indirect, hence it is important that expenditures should be curtailed as much as possible.

In view of the fact that changes will be made in the next few days in the personnel of the State Railroad Commission, it has been thought best to leave the budget figures the same as for the last biennium, so that the new commissioners may have an opportunity to make recommendations. The same course has been followed with regard to the Industrial Welfare Commission in view of the uncertainty surrounding the pending decision of the Supreme Court.

The largest increase in the budget is in the appropriations for education, amounting to ten million dollars. As pointed out by the Board of Control in its letter of transmittal, if these increases fixed by statute are continued, they will in a few years absorb the entire income of the State. The increase in bond and interest payments will be two million dollars over the previous biennium. The Supreme Court of the United States has recently decided the case involving the tax on the return premiums of insurance companies adversely to the State and more than eight hundred thousand dollars will have to be returned to the insurance companies. In July, 1923, a disastrous earthquake occurred at the State Hospital at Patton and six hundred thousand dollars damage to the main building resulted. Provision has been made in this budget to cover this loss by the erection of new buildings. It has also been necessary to provide for the continued growth of the State, which ordinarily in two years would be about 10 per cent.

As required by the constitution, the budget is accompanied by an appropriation bill covering the proposed expenditures.

The budget has been prepared after the most careful study with the purpose of using the funds available to the greatest advantage of all concerned. It is submitted to you in the most friendly spirit and with the desire for your cooperation and support in maintaining the program of ECONOMY.

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of California.

January 12, 1925.

LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

SACRAMENTO, CAL., December 31, 1924.

Hon. Friend Wm. Richardson,
Governor of California,
Sacramento, California.

YOUR EXCELLENCY: We submit herewith the State Budget of prospective revenues and expenditures for the two fiscal years commencing July 1, 1925, and ending June 30, 1927.

In doing so, we desire to pay a tribute to the fine spirit of cooperation shown by the heads of all departments in the preparation of these figures. Intensely interested,

as they are, in their respective functions, and desirous of seeing their work extended, they have intelligently realized that the complete achievement of their ideals could not be fully reached in one biennial period, and they have set themselves loyally to work with the funds available. They have also appreciated the fact that the State finances cover a wide field and that due consideration must be given to other departments than their own.

In the preparation of this budget the thought which has been always in mind has been the continued need for strict economy, consistent with efficiency in every department of the State.

The total available funds for the period are $104,571,780 19, consisting of an estimated balance of $2,675,478.59 and estimated receipts from semi self-supporting departments of $2,556,301 60, together with the Board of Equalization's estimated revenue of $99,340,000. We have not included in this last item the $2,000,000 estimated revenue from the new poll tax, as this amount is credited to the School Fund and is treated in the same manner as other School Fund accretions.

The fixed charges amount to $66,804,871 66, being an increase over the preceding biennium of $8,972,272 02, of which approximately $7,000,000 is to be expended for education and $1,985,000 for bond interest and redemption.

The amount which we recommend for appropriation to cover the cost of operating the various activities of the State is $36,625,403 44. This amount does not include any provision for self-supporting functions of the State, the details of which are given in the following pages, and in the Summary on page 136. This makes due allowance for the large increase in population, and the consequent increase in the amount of work to be done. It also provides for the proper upkeep and replacement of the ordinary wear and tear on machinery and property owned by the State, and the development of the various institutions to meet such growth in population as may be reasonably expected during the coming two years.

These recommendations are made after personal visits to every State-operated institution in California, a thorough inspection of such institutions, and conferences with the officers regarding their needs.

We consider it our duty to call your attention to the large amount appropriated for education and the growth in proportion to the total revenue with each biennium.

The total provided for education in this budget, including fixed charges, amounts to $61,593,816 60, which is approximately $10,000,000 more than for the previous biennium and is almost 60 per cent of the total budget. It has been estimated that should this proportion continue to increase at the same ratio for a few more years the amount required for educational purposes would absorb the entire revenue of the State.

This is a subject which is giving grave concern to all who are interested in educational matters and calls for careful preparatory study if California is to retain its present advanced educational position without embarrassment to the State's finances.

In dealing with the institutions we recommend that they be treated as branches of one great department, allowing greater flexibility in administering the finances of the institutions.

In budgeting for expenditures more than two years in advance it is evident that conditions may arise during the interim which will render changes desirable and even imperative. Both efficiency and economy can be obtained by the interchange of products between institutions, and the transfer of funds from one institution to another as necessity may dictate.

We suggest, therefore, that a total appropriation be made for each of two groups, viz.: the eight curative institutions and for the three corrective institutions for delinquents, and that authority be given for interchanges within these respective groups as outlined above.

In the past it has been the custom for the Division of Architecture, Department of Public Works, to bill the institutions for the office cost of preparing designs, blue prints, etc., and for the expense of supervising buildings during construction.

This has not worked satisfactorily as the bills for such expenses could not be rendered until the buildings were completed, and therefore the institutions did not know what funds were available or what charges were accumulating against them.

To overcome this difficulty, we have budgeted the cost of operating the Division of Architecture and this cost has been deducted from the budget recommendations for permanent improvements of the several institutions.

The appropriations herein recommended are larger than for the last biennium, due to great increase in fixed charges, unusual expenditures and the State's growth during that period. This is an additional reason for rigid economy in all departments. The optimistic predictions of national authorities that the country is entering upon an era of prosperity is still another reason for economic caution. Every one has to retrench during hard times. The true economist saves when times are good. Real thrift never forgets the future rainy day.

Respectfully yours,

STATE BOARD OF CONTROL
HENRY ROBERT BRADEN.
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

RECAPITULATION OF ESTIMATED REVENUE AND BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS.

For the Seventy-Seventh and Seventy-Eighth Fiscal Years, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1927.

ESTIMATED BALANCE GENERAL FUND, JULY 1 1925			$2,675,478 59
ESTIMATED REVENUE, 77th AND 78th FISCAL YEARS.			
(Reported by Board of Equalization)			99,340,000 00
	Seventy-seventh fiscal year	Seventy-eighth fiscal year	
Public utilities, banks, insurance companies and franchises	$41,250,000 00	$44,250,000 00	
Inheritance tax	6,000,000 00	6,200,000 00	
Licenses, Secretary of State	1,250,000 00	1,350,000 00	
Fees, Secretary of State	425,000 00	475,000 00	
Interest on deposits in banks	750,000 00	750,000 00	
Punitive and reform school collections	525,000 00	525,000 00	
Fees, Supreme and Appellate Courts	12,000 00	13,000 00	
Miscellaneous receipts	375,000 00	410,000 00	
Totals	$50,587,000 00	$53,973,000 00	
		50,587,000 00	
Total for biennium		$104,560,000 00	
Not available (litigation)		5,220,000 00	
Revenue of partially self-supporting departments			2,556,301 60
TOTAL ESTIMATED AVAILABLE REVENUE, 77TH AND 78TH FISCAL YEARS			$104,571,780 19
BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS, 77TH AND 78TH FISCAL YEARS			103,430,275 10
Fixed charges and recurrent appropriations		$66,804,871 66	
Appropriations		36,625,403 44	
Support and salaries	$32,922,251 44		
Permanent improvements	3,703,152 00		
ESTIMATED SURPLUS			$1,141,505 09

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Budget Recommendations and Estimated Revenue, Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth Fiscal Years, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1927.

	Fixed charges and recurrent appropriations	Appropriations		Estimated revenue semi self-supporting departments
		Support and salaries	Permanent improvements	
Legislative		$525,741 00		
Judicial		1,374,631 50		$13,800 00
Executive		99,600 00		
Administrative	$37,000 00	1,569,624 00		
Regulative		2,782,429 00		557,651 60
Curative		8,187,724 00	$1,691,942 00	1,123,000 00
Corrective		1,385,455 00	153,425 00	28,000 00
Penal		2,343,827 00	271,500 00	124,000 00
Benevolent	2,950,000 00	577,236 00		3,400 00
Conservation	30,000 00	136,746 00		20,000 00
Developmental	1,270,000 00	2,489,441 00	201,500 00	512,250 00
Defensive		535,910 00		
Educational	50,592,366 66	9,621,664 94	1,379,785 00	174,200 00
Miscellaneous		292,228 00		
Emergency funds		1,000,000 00		
Bond interest and redemption	11,925,505 00			
Grand totals	$66,804,871 66	$32,922,251 44	$3,703,152 00	$2,556,301 60

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

DETAIL SUMMARY.

Budget Recommendations and Estimated Revenue, Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth Fiscal Years, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1927.

	Fixed charges and recurrent appropriations	Appropriations		Estimated revenue semi self-supporting departments
		Support and salaries	Permanent improvements	
LEGISLATIVE				
Senate		$128,200 00		
Assembly		225,800 00		
Joint expenses		148,875 00		
Legislative counsel bureau		22,866 00		
Total legislative		$525,741 00		
JUDICIAL				
Supreme Court		$271,480 00		$4,500 00
District Courts of Appeal				
First District		147,600 00		3,400 00
Second District		144,790 00		5,000 00
Third District		79,325 00		900 00
Superior Courts		731,436 50		
Total judicial		$1,374,631 50		$13,800 00
EXECUTIVE				
Governor		$91,600 00		
Lieutenant governor		8,000 00		
Total executive		$99,600 00		
ADMINISTRATIVE				
Department of Finance		$679,324 00		
Civil Service Commission		78,520 00		
Secretary of State		172,650 00		
State Treasurer		63,320 00		
State Controller		275,010 00		
Attorney General		199,380 00		
Board of Equalization	$37,000 00	101,420 00		
Total administrative	$37,000 00	$1,569,624 00		
REGULATIVE				
Board of Health		$428,970 00		
Bureau of Tuberculosis		445,000 00		
Bureau of Labor Statistics		342,000 00		$48,000 00
Industrial Welfare Commission		56,060 00		
Railroad Commission		793,600 00		194,000 00
Industrial Accident Commission		567,520 00		315,651 60
Harbor Commission, Eureka		7,800 00		
Immigration and Housing Commission		141,479 00		
Total regulative		$2,782,429 00		$557,651 60
CURATIVE				
Department of Institutions		$115,400 00		
Agnews State Hospital		1,064,265 00	$98,550 00	$224,000 00
Mendocino State Hospital		744,286 00	210,200 00	54,000 00
Napa State Hospital		1,323,580 00	49,000 00	240,000 00
Norwalk State Hospital		734,323 00	468,975 00	99,000 00
Pacific Colony		150,000 00	410,167 00	
Sonoma State Hospital		1,077,280 00	110,500 00	106,000 00
Southern California State Hospital		1,250,050 00	235,500 00	200,000 00
Stockton State Hospital		1,428,540 00	109,050 00	200,000 00
Transportation of prisoners and insane		300,000 00		
Total curative		$8,187,724 00	$1,691,942 00	$1,123,000 00
CORRECTIVE				
California School for Girls		$237,575 00	$15,400 00	$1,000 00
Preston School of Industry		710,320 00	27,000 00	3,000 00
Whittier State School		437,560 00	116,025 00	24,000 00
Total corrective		$1,385,455 00	$158,425 00	$28,000 00

DETAIL SUMMARY—Concluded.

	Fixed charges and recurrent appropriations	Appropriations		Estimated revenue sem self-supporting departments
		Support and salaries	Permanent improvements	
PENAL				
San Quentin Prison		$1,363 250 00	$239,000 00	$84,000 00
Folsom Prison		822,147 00	32,500 00	40,000 00
Board of Prison Directors		42,130 00		
Criminal Identification Bureau		63,800 00		
Arrest of Criminals, without State		50,000 00		
Rewards		2,500 00		
Total penal		$2,343,827 00	$271,500 00	$124,000 00
BENEVOLENT				
Board of Charities and Corrections		$60,970 00		
Veterans' Home		367,066 00		
Industrial Home for Adult Blind		125,200 00		$3,400 00
Women's Relief Corps Home		24,000 00		
Aid to orphans	$2,950,000 00			
Total benevolent	$2,950,000 00	$577,236 00		$3,400 00
CONSERVATION				
State Board of Forestry		$109,440 00		
Redwood Park Commission	$30,000 00	27,300 00		$20,000 00
Total conservation	$30,000 00	$136,740 00		$20,000 00
DEVELOPMENTAL				
State Agricultural Society	$10,000 00	$322,520 00	$51,500 00	$176,500 00
Sixth District Agricultural Association		68,160 00		
Department of Agriculture		1,381,431 00		295,500 00
Surveyor General		56,745 00		
California Highway Commission		41,600 00		
Department of Public Works				
General Office		13,910 00		
Water Rights		169,175 00		40,250 00
Engineering and Irrigation	60,000 00	44,360 00	150,000 00	
Architecture		260,100 00		
Mining Bureau, Mining Division		101,440 00		
Los Angeles Flood Control	600,000 00			
Sutter Basin Assessment No 6	600,000 00			
Total developmental	$1,270 000 00	$2,489,441 00	$201,500 00	$512,250 00
DEFENSIVE				
Adjutant General		$515,910 00		
High School Cadets		20,000 00		
Total defensive		$535,910 00		
EDUCATIONAL.				
Board of Education		$108,920 00		
Board of Education, Credential Department		81,600 00		$81,600 00
Free text books		767,403 09		
Superintendent of Public Instruction		97,120 00		
University of California	$5,903,276 32	5,450,671 47	$680,000 00	
Elementary schools	32,987,740 00			
Secondary schools	10,153,710 00			
Teachers' Permanent Fund	575,000 00			
Common School Fund	500,000 00			
Text books for orphans	20,000 00			
Vocational education	452,640 34			
Chico State Teachers College		264,610 00	40,000 00	2 600 00
Fresno State Teachers College		351,890 00	28,000 00	7,000 00
Humboldt State Teachers College		137,890 00	6,785 00	4,000 00
San Diego State Teachers College		341,460 00	55,000 00	9,600 00
San Francisco State Teachers College		378,220 00	195,000 00	4,400 00
San Jose State Teachers College		533,790 00	105,000 00	24 000 00
Santa Barbara State Teachers College		246,539 38	160,000 00	12,000 00
California School for the Deaf and Blind		406,331 00	110,000 00	11,000 00
California Polytechnic School		182,930 00		18,000 00
Hastings College of Law		18,800 00		
State Library		253,490 00		
Total educational	$50,592,366 66	$9,621,664 91	$1,379,785 00	$174,200 00
Miscellaneous		292,228 00		
Emergency Fund		1,000,000 00		
Bond interest and redemption	11,925,505 00			
Grand totals	$66,804,871 66	$32,922,251 44	$3,703,152 00	$2,556,301 60

LEGISLATIVE.

SENATE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages		40	40	40		$78,000 00	$48,000 00	$78,000 00
Materials and supplies								
Service and expense						2,200 00		2,200 00
Equipment								
Totals						$80,200 00	$48,000 00	$80,200 00
								48,000 00
Totals for biennium						$80,200 00		$128,200 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Senators		40	40	40		$48,000 00	$48,000 00	$48,000 00
Additional help						30,000 00		30,000 00
Totals		40	40	40		$78,000 00	$48,000 00	$78,000 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.								
Mileage						$2,200 00		$2,200 00

ASSEMBLY.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages		80	80	80		$126,000 00	$96,000 00	$126,000 00
Materials and supplies								
Service and expense						3,800 00		3,800 00
Equipment								
Totals						$129,800 00	$96,000 00	$129,800 00
								96,000 00
Totals for biennium						$129,800 00		$225,800 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Assemblymen		80	80	80		$96,000 00	$96,000 00	$96,000 00
Additional help						30,000 00		30,000 00
Totals		80	80	80		$126,000 00	$96,000 00	$126,000 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Mileage						$3,800 00		$3,800 00

JOINT EXPENDITURES.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth fiscal years, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1927
Legislative printing, binding, etc	$348 35	$145 524 99	$145,875 00
Legislative mailing		3,000 00	3,000 00
Totals	$348 35	$148,524 99	
		348 35	
Totals for biennium		$148,873 34	$148,875 00

LEGISLATIVE.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL BUREAU.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	4	4	4	4	$5,230 69	$8,503 00	$10,118 00	$10,118 00
Materials and supplies					89 98	245 00	245 00	245 00
Service and expense					398 30	920 00	920 00	920 00
Equipment					87 00		150 00	150 00
Totals					$5,805 97	$9,668 00	$11,433 00	$11,433 00
						5,805 97		11,433 00
Totals for biennium						$15,473 97		$22,866 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Legislative counsel	1	1	1	1	$2,677 39	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Law examiner	1	1	1	1	750 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Janitor	1	1	1	1	303 30	303 00	303 00	303 00
Extra help							1,615 00	1,615 00
Totals	4	4	4	4	$5,230 69	$8,503 00	$10,118 00	$10,118 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$43 30	$125 00	$125 00	$125 00
Printing					46 68	120 00	120 00	120 00
Totals					$89 98	$245 00	$245 00	$245 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Clerical and office					$112 60	$60 00	$60 00	$60 00
Postage					31 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Freight, cartage and express					2 62	40 00	40 00	40 00
Telephone and telegraph					175 44	300 00	300 00	300 00
Traveling					76 64	400 00	400 00	400 00
Totals					$398 30	$920 00	$920 00	$920 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office equipment					$87 00		$150 00	$150 00

JUDICIAL.

SUPREME COURT.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	28	28	28	28	$119,915 95	$122,740 00	$123,940 00	$123,940 00
Materials and supplies					1,151 63	1,975 00	2,250 00	2,250 00
Service and expense					4,427 41	6,150 00	5,650 00	5,650 00
Equipment					629 12	3,000 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Totals					$126,124 11	$133,865 00	$135,740 00	$135,740 00
						126,225 57		135,740 00
Totals for biennium						$260,090 57		$271,480 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Justices	7	7	7	7	$55,453 05	$56,000 00	$56,000 00	$56,000 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Chief Deputy Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,096 77	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Deputy clerks	6	6	6	6	14,123 23	13,320 00	14,400 00	14,400 00
Secretaries	2	2	2	2	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Phonographic reporters	2	2	2	2	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Reporter of Decisions	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Assistant Reporter of Decisions	3	3	3	3	6,600 00	6,600 00	6,600 00	6,600 00
Bailiffs	2	2	2	2	4,800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Librarian	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Porter	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Special secretaries and janitors					10,662 90	12,840 00	12,960 00	12,960 00
Totals	28	28	28	28	$119,915 95	$122,740 00	$123,940 00	$123,940 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$704 68	$725 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Printing					446 95	1,250 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Totals					$1,151 63	$1,975 00	$2,250 00	$2,250 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Court expense					$1,527 05	$2,500 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Office expense					1,683 61	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Freight, cartage and express					378 01	500 00	500 00	500 00
Postage					310 00	400 00	400 00	400 00
Telephone and telegraph					528 74	750 00	750 00	750 00
Totals					$4,427 41	$6,150 00	$5,650 00	$5,650 00
EQUIPMENT.								
Court					$244 17	$500 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Office					276 95	500 00	500 00	500 00
Library					108 00	2,000 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Totals					$629 12	$3,000 00	$3,900 00	$3,900 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance at beginning of year	$794 75		$2,939 27	
Revenue during year	2,002 52	$2,250 00	2,250 00	$2,250 00
Totals	$2,797 27	$2,250 00	$5,189 27	$2,250 00
		2,797 27		5,189 27
Totals for biennium		$5,047 27		$7,439 27

JUDICIAL.

FIRST DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	18	18	18	18	$68,818 40	$69,100 00	$69,100 00	$69,100 00
Materials and supplies					707 58	1,413 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Service and expense					1,206 49	1,512 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Equipment					765 20	900 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals					$71,497 67	$72,925 00	$73,800 00	$73,800 00
						71,497 67		73,800 00
Totals for biennium						$144,422 67		$147,600 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Justices	6	6	6	6	$41,718 40	$42,000 00	$42,000 00	$42,000 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Deputy clerks	2	2	2	2	4,800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
Bailiffs	2	2	2	2	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Secretaries	4	4	4	4	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Phonographic reporters	2	2	2	2	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Porter	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Totals	18	18	18	18	$68,818 40	$69,100 00	$69,100 00	$69,100 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$235 28	$288 00	$320 00	$320 00
Printing					472 30	1,080 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Library						45 00		
Totals					$707 58	$1,413 00	$1,320 00	$1,320 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Clerical and office					$465 30	$517 00	$500 00	$500 00
Postage					240 18	250 00	250 00	250 00
Justices					131 18	150 00	200 00	200 00
Telephone and telegraph					309 63	325 00	330 00	330 00
Library					60 20	270 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$1,206 49	$1,512 00	$1,380 00	$1,330 00
EQUIPMENT								
Library					$765 20	$900 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Office							500 00	500 00
Totals					$765 20	$900 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$624 74		$2,290 41	
Revenue during year	1,630 87	$1,700 00	1,700 00	$1,700 00
Totals	$2,255 61	$1,700 00	$3,990 41	$1,700 00
		2,255 61		3,990 41
Totals for biennium		$3,955 61		$5,690 41

JUDICIAL.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	17	17	18	18	$65,720 20	$65,980 00	$68,380 00	$68,380 00
Materials and supplies					654 82	1,300 00	1,050 00	1,050 00
Service and expense					662 30	840 00	815 00	815 00
Equipment					1,706 00	2,745 00	2,150 00	2,150 00
Totals					$68,743 32	$70,865 00	$72,395 00	$72,395 00
						68,743 32		72,395 00
Totals for biennium						$139,608 32		$144,790 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Justices	6	6	6	6	$42,000 00	$42,000 00	$42,000 00	$42,000 00
Secretaries	4	4	4	4	6,940 20	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Deputy Clerk	1	1	2	2	2,400 00	2,400 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
Bailiffs	2	2	2	2	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Phonographic reporters	2	2	2	2	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Porter	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Totals	17	17	18	18	$65,720 20	$65,980 00	$68,380 00	$68,380 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$387 42	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
Printing					267 40	1,000 00	750 00	750 00
Totals					$654 82	$1,300 00	$1,050 00	$1,050 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Clerical and office					$536 20	$620 00	$620 00	$620 00
Postage					110 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Freight, cartage and express					16 10	100 00	75 00	75 00
Totals					$662 30	$840 00	$815 00	$815 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$31 00	$220 00	$150 00	$150 00
Library					1,675 00	2,525 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals					$1,706 00	$2,745 00	$2,150 00	$2,150 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$476 13		$1,433 39	
Revenue during year	2,657 26	$2,500 00	2,500 00	$2,500 00
Totals	$3,133 39	$2,500 00	$3 933 39	$2,500 00
		3,133 39		3,933 39
Totals for biennium		$5,633 39		$6,433 39

JUDICIAL.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	10	10	10	10	$35,896 80	$36,800 00	$36,862 50	$36,862 50
Materials and supplies					656 16	621 00	650 00	650 00
Service and expense					691 68	549 00	900 00	900 00
Equipment					866 44	295 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Totals					$38,111 08	$38,265 00	$39,662 50	$39,662 50
						38,111 08		39,662 50
Totals for biennium						$76,376 08		$79,325 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Justices	3	3	3	3	$20,096 80	$21,000 00	$21,000 00	$21,000 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Deputy Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Phonographic reporter	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Secretaries	2	2	2	2	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Bailiff	1	1	1	1	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Janitor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Janitor (vacation period)							62 50	62 50
Totals	10	10	10	10	$35,896 80	$36,800 00	$36,862 50	$36,862 50
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$104 29	$126 00	$150 00	$150 00
Printing					551 87	495 00	500 00	500 00
Totals					$656 16	$621 00	$650 00	$650 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Clerical and office					$69 66	$54 00	$62 50	$62 50
Freight, cartage and express					13 91	32 40	37 50	37 50
Postage					125 00	202 50	250 00	250 00
Telephone and telegraph					264 65	260 10	300 00	300 00
Justices pro tem					218 46		250 00	250 00
Totals					$691 68	$549 00	$900 00	$900 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$231 44	$130 00	$250 00	$250 00
Library					635 00	165 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$866 44	$295 00	$1,250 00	$1,250 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$646 10		$760 85	
Revenue during year	464 75	$450 00	450 00	$450 00
Totals	$1,110 85	$450 00	$1,210 85	$450 00
		1,110 85		1,210 85
Totals for biennium		$1,560 85		$1,660 85

JUDICIAL.

SUPERIOR COURTS.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Salaries of judges	$358,716 50	$365,100 00 358,716 50	$365,100 00	$366 336 50 365,100 00
Totals for biennium		$723,816 50		$731,436 50

EXECUTIVE.

GOVERNOR.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Salary of Governor	1	1	1	1	$10,000 00	$10,000 00	$10,000 00	$10,000 00
Salary of Private Secretary	1	1	1	1	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Salary of Executive Secretary	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Salary of Stenographer	1	1	1	1	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Salary of Messenger	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Postage, traveling and contingent					9,200 00	9,200 00	9,200 00	9,200 00
Special secret service					5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Printing					750 00	750 00	750 00	750 00
Support of Governor's residence					8,750 00	8,750 00	8,750 00	8,750 00
Totals	5	5	5	5	$45,800 00	$45,800 00 45,800 00	$45,800 00	$45,800 00 45,800 00
Totals for biennium						$91,600 00		$91,600 00

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Salary	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4 000 00 4.000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00 4,000 00
Totals for biennium						$8,000 00		$8,000 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	73d	74th	77th	78th	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	147	161	153	170	$212,108 69	$258,563 00	$274,778 00	$283,318 00
Materials and supplies					12,401 95	15,715 00	17,371 50	16,871 50
Service and expense					39,625 92	38,315 00	41,037 50	38,537 50
Equipment					1,748 87	1,330 00	4,155 00	3,255 00
Totals					$295,885 43	$313,923 00	$337,342 00	$341 982 00
						295,885 43		337 342 00
Totals for biennium						$609,808 43		$679 324 00
DEPARTMENTAL RECAPITULATION								
Administration					$43,621 80	$43,700 00	$47,270 00	$47'630 00
Accounting supervision					43,645 07	50,260 00	55,660 00	56,140 00
Purchasing Department					50 191 56	51,905 00	54,570 00	54 570 00
Bureau of Children's Aid					27,558 27	28,600 00	93,288 00	100 388 00
State Buildings and Grounds								
Capitol Building and Grounds					86,201 30	93,196 00	93 288 00	100,388 00
San Francisco State Building					30,250 52	31 342 00	35,356 00	34 856 00
Executive Mansion					7,961 16	8,080 00	11,104 00	8,604 00
Sutter's Fort					4 506 83	4,770 00	5 154 00	4,854 00
Marshall Monument					1,173 92	1,295 00	1 595 00	1,595 00
Rio Pico Mansion					600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
State Burial Grounds					175 00	175 00	175 00	175 00
Totals State Buildings and Grounds					$130,868 73	$139 458 00	$147 272 00	$151,072 00
Totals					$295 885 43	$313,923 00	$337,342 00	$341,982 00
						295 885 43		337,342 00
Totals for biennium						$609,808 43		$679,324 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Administration								
Board Members	3	3	3	3	$13 306 30	$12 500 00	$15,000 00	$15 000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Deputy	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,280 00	2,400 00
Clerks	7	7	7	7	10,799 04	11,220 00	11,280 00	11,400 00
Stenographers	2	1	1	1	2,182 67	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Telephone Operator	1	1	1	1	877 42	1,200 00	1,380 00	1,500 00
Janitor	1	1	1	1	*1,200 00*	*1,200 00*	*1,200 00*	*1,200 00*
Additional help					120 60	250 00	300 00	300 00
Totals	17	16	16	16	$36 886 03	$37 150 00	$40,120 00	$40,480 00
Accounting Supervision								
Superintendent of Accounts	1	1	1	1	$3,900 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Principal Accountants	4	4	4	4	12,300 00	13,020 00	13,500 00	13,500 00
Senior Accountants	7	6	7	7	13,762 24	16,500 00	20,400 00	20 580 00
Junior Accountants	1	1	2	2	2,280 00	2,280 00	4,500 00	4 680 00
Stenographers	2	2	2	2	1 622 14	2,010 00	2 010 00	2,130 00
Additional Help					*3,007 62*	*4,000 00*	*3,500 00*	*3,500 00*
Totals	15	14	16	16	$36,872 00	$41,810 00	$47,910 00	$48,390 00
Purchasing Department								
Purchasing Agent	1	1	1	1	$4 200 00	$4,425 00	$4 500 00	$4,500 00
Chief Deputy Purchasing Agent	1	1	1	1	3,500 00	3 600 00	3,600 00	3 600 00
Assistant Purchasing Agents	2	2	2	2	5,798 40	6 000 00	6,300 00	6,300 00
Secretary to Purchasing Agent	1	1	1	1	2,190 33	2,280 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Buyers	2	2	2	2	5,790 00	6,000 00	6 000 00	6,000 00
Clerks	3	3	3	3	4,420 97	4 620 00	4,620 00	4,620 00
Stenographers	9	9	9	9	12,933 60	13,200 00	13,440 00	13,440 00
Janitor	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Porter—San Francisco Office			1	1			1,380 00	1,380 00
Additional help					125 67	250 00	300 00	300 00
Totals	20	20	21	21	$40,278 97	$41,695 00	$43,920 00	$43 920 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Bureau of Children's Aid								
Chief of Department	1	1	1	1	$3 000 00	$3 000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Agents	7	6	7	7	12,278 83	11,280 00	14,460 00	14,460 00
Secretary-Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,800 00	1 800 00	1,800 00
Stenographers	2	3	4	4	1,991 37	3,120 00	3,960 00	3 960 00
Additional help	----	----	----	----	326 00	600 00	500 00	500 00
Totals	12	12	14	14	$20,836 20	$21 600 00	$25,520 00	$25,520 00
State Buildings and Grounds—Capitol Building and Grounds								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Electrician	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2 100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Mechanics	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1 680 00
Fireman	1	1	1	1	1,495 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Head Gardener	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,700 00	2 700 00
Propagator	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Planter	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Gardeners	14	14	14	14	19,116 25	19,896 00	19,656 00	19 656 00
Lawnmower Operator	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,500 00	1,500 00
Policemen	8	8	9	9	11,965 00	12,000 00	13,500 00	13,500 00
Head Janitor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,620 00	1 620 00	1,620 00
Janitors	6	6	6	6	7,915 63	7,956 00	8,424 00	8,424 00
Typewriter Expert	1	1	1	1	1,615 00	1,620 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	242 09	960 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Teamster	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Elevator Attendants	2	2	2	2	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,640 00	2,640 00
Chief Telephone Operator	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Telephone Operators	2	2	2	2	2,390 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Additional help	----	----	----	----	1,419 07	500 00	738 00	738 00
Additional help during Legislature								
Engineer	----	1	----	1	----------	600 00	----------	600 00
Fireman	----	1	----	1	----------	480 00	----------	480 00
Electrician	----	1	----	1	----------	600 00	----------	600 00
Porters	----	10	----	10	----------	4 000 00	----------	4,420 00
Telephone Operators	----	2	----	2	----------	800 00	----------	800 00
Elevator Attendants	----	2	----	2	----------	800 00	----------	800 00
Totals	45	62	47	64	$66,858 04	$75,046 00	$72,138 00	$79,838 00
San Francisco State Building								
Engineer and Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$2,400 00	$2,400 00	$2 580 00	$2 580 00
Firemen	2	2	2	2	2,580 00	2,880 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Policemen	2	2	2	2	2 725 16	2,880 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Elevator Operator and Policeman	1	1	1	1	1,331 17	1,440 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Head Janitor	1	1	1	1	1,455 50	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Janitors	11	11	12	12	14,711 00	15,912 00	16,848 00	16 848 00
Janitor for Window Washing	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,404 00	1,404 00
Telephone Operators	6	6	6	6	6,997 12	7,380 00	7,560 00	7,560 00
Laborer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Information Officer and Guide	1	----	----	----	633 06	----------	----------	----------
Stenographer (part time)	1	1	1	1	725 00	450 00	450 00	450 00
Additional help	----	----	----	----	596 44	300 00	750 00	750 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$35,654 45	$36,342 00	$39,792 00	$39,792 00
Deduct estimated refunds	----	----	----	----	8,086 25	8,000 00	8,300 00	8,300 00
Totals	27	26	28	28	$27,568 20	$28,342 00	$31,492 00	$31,492 00
Executive Mansion								
Policemen	4	4	4	4	$5,760 00	$5,760 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,404 00	1,404 00
Totals	5	5	5	5	$7,080 00	$7,080 00	$7,404 00	$7,404 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Sutter Fort								
Head Gardener	1	1	1	1	$1,400 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,404 00	1,404 00
Custodian	1	1	1	1	1,195 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Additional help					4 25	100 00	150 00	150 00
Totals	3	3	3	3	$4,009 25	$4,120 00	$4,254 00	$4,254 00
Marshall Monument·								
Custodian	1	1	1	1	$900 00	$900 00	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
Additional help					45 00	45 00	45 00	45 00
Totals	1	1	1	1	$945 00	$945 00	$1,245 00	$1,245 00
Pio Pico Mansion Caretaker	1	1	1	1	$600 00	$600 00	$600 00	$600 00
State Burial Grounds Caretaker	1	1	1	1	$175 00	$175 00	$175 00	$175 00
Totals, State buildings and grounds	83	99	86	103	$107,235 49	$116,308 00	$117,308 00	$125,008 00
Totals, salaries and wages	147	161	153	170	$242,108 69	$258,563 00	$274,778 00	$283,318 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Administration								
Office					$397 23	$300 00	$400 00	$400 00
Printing					1,157 20	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Automobile					339 07	300 00	500 00	500 00
Totals					$1,893 50	$1,800 00	$2,100 00	$2,100 00
Accounting Supervision								
Office					$103 50	$150 00	$150 00	$150 00
Printing					130 75	150 00	150 00	150 00
Totals					$234 25	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
Purchasing Department								
Office					$686 34	$750 00	$600 00	$600 00
Auto					117 73	150 00	162 50	162 50
Printing					1,703 82	1,840 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Laboratory testing					22 50	30 00		
Totals					$2,530 39	$2,770 00	$2,762 50	$2,762 50
Bureau of Children's Aid								
Office					$153 07	$200 00	$200 00	$200 00
Auto					54 06	200 00		
Printing					622 69	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$829 82	$1,400 00	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
State Buildings and Grounds—Capitol Building and Grounds								
Building and office supplies					$463 24	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Janitor supplies					755 04	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Electrical supplies					947 24	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
General supplies					119 55	350 00	350 00	350 00
Fuel					1,329 23	2,300 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Nursery stock and fertilizer					1,363 39	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Greenhouse and gardener supplies					558 32	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Widening driveways					129 37			
Totals					$5,665 38	$7,650 00	$7,750 00	$7,750 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—(CONTINUED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES—Cont				
San Francisco State Building				
Electrical supplies	$361 29	$300 00	$500 00	$500 00
Janitor supplies	901 75	900 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Building supplies	289 52	200 00	1,000 00	500 00
Fuel	1,056 48	1,600 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Totals	$2,589 04	$3,000 00	$4,500 00	$4,000 00
Deduct estimated refunds	1,920 97	2,180 00	2,216 00	2,216 00
Totals	$668 07	$820 00	$2,284 00	$1,784 00
Executive Mansion	$255 23	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Sutter Fort	$276 09	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
Marshall's Monument	$49 22	$175 00	$175 00	$175 00
Total, State buildings and grounds	$6,913 99	$9,445 00	$11,009 00	$10,509 00
Totals, materials and supplies	$12,401 95	$15,715 00	$17,371 50	$16,871 50
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Administration				
Office	$192 40	$200 00	$250 00	$250 00
Postage	418 00	500 00	500 00	500 00
Telephone and telegraph	1,085 04	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Travel	1 853 52	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Automobile	942 03	800 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals	$4,491 59	$4,500 00	$4,750 00	$4,750 00
Accounting Supervision				
Office	$264 18	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
Traveling	6,152 89	7,700 00	7,000 00	7,000 00
Totals	$6,417 07	$8,000 00	$7,300 00	$7,300 00
Purchasing Department				
Office	$434 23	$450 00	$300 00	$300 00
Auto	177 62	190 00	162 50	162 50
Postage	2,896 00	2,900 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Telephone and telegraph	1,517 11	1,525 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Travel	1,017 79	1,055 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Laboratory testing	1,116 25	1,120 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals	$7,159 00	$7,240 00	$7,512 50	$7,512 50
Bureau of Childrens' Aid				
Office	$228 74	$100 00	$150 00	$150 00
Auto	219 47	200 00		
Postage	466 00	500 00	600 00	600 00
Travel	4,874 41	4,700 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Totals	$5,788 62	$5,500 00	$5,750 00	$5,750 00
State Buildings and Grounds—Capitol Building and Grounds				
Electricity	$4,731 63	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Water and ice	2,496 09	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Telephone	243 15	250 00	250 00	250 00
Postage	9 00	50 00	50 00	50 00
General expense	1,577 73	1,700 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Widening driveways	3,780 47			
Totals	$12,838 07	$10,000 00	$10,800 00	$10,800 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SERVICE AND EXPENSE—Cont.				
San Francisco State Building:				
Electricity	$3,942 51	$3 000 00	$4 000 00	$4 000 00
Postage		*100 00*	*100 00*	*100 00*
Water	323 74	400 00	500 00	500 00
General expense	2 075 08	2 500 00	1,000 00	1 000 00
Telephone	1,550 70	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals	$7,892 03	$7,500 00	$7,100 00	$7 100 00
Deduct estimated refunds	5,948 58	5,450 00	5,650 00	5 650 00
Totals	$1 943 45	$2,050 00	$1,450 00	$1,450 00
Executive Mansion				
General expense	$586 93	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Painting			2,500 00	
Totals	$586 93	$500 00	$3,000 00	$500 00
Sutter Fort	$221 49	$350 00	$300 00	$300 00
Marshall Monument	$179 70	$175 00	$175 00	$175 00
Totals, State buildings and grounds	$15 769 64	$13,075 00	$15,725 00	$13 225 00
Totals, service and expense	$39 625 92	$38,315 00	$41,037 50	$38,537 50
EQUIPMENT				
Administration	$350 68	$250 00	$300 00	$300 00
Accounting supervision	$121 75	$150 00	$150 00	$150 00
Purchasing Department	$223 20	$200 00	$375 00	$375 00
Bureau of Childrens' Aid	$103 63	$100 00	$100 00	$100 00
State Buildings and Grounds				
Capitol Building and grounds	$839 81	$500 00	$2,600 00	$2,000 00
San Francisco state building	$287 50	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Deduct estimated refunds	*216 70*	*370 00*	*370 00*	*370 00*
San Francisco state building (net)	$70 80	$130 00	$130 00	$130 00
Executive mansion	$39 00		$200 00	$200 00
Sutter Fort			$300 00	
Total, state buildings and grounds	$949 61	$630 00	$3,230 00	$2 330 00
Total equipment	$1,748 87	$1,330 00	$4,155 00	$3,255 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	15	15	18	18	$25,053 48	$25,600 00	$30,170 00	$30,650 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	1,584 80	2,300 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	5,795 11	5,500 00	6,500 00	6,500 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	43 79	500 00	250 00	250 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$32,477 18	$33,900 00	$39,020 00	$39,500 00
						32,477 18		39,020 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$66,377 18	----------	$78,520 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioner	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Associate Commissioners (per diem)	2	2	2	2	400 00	500 00	500 00	500 00
Chief Examiner	1	1	1	1	3,265 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Assistant Examiners	2	1	2	2	4,465 00	2,820 00	5,220 00	5,220 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,670 00	2,820 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Certification Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,728 71	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,800 00
Stenographer-Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,495 07	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,680 00
Classification Clerk-Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1 565 77	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,680 00
Roster Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Examination Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
File Clerk-Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	408 21	1,080 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Typist-Clerk	----	1	1	1	----------	900 00	930 00	930 00
Counter Clerks	1	1	2	2	873 24	900 00	1 680 00	1,800 00
Extra help	----	----	----	----	401 58	340 00	500 00	500 00
Messenger	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	900 00	900 00
Totals	15	15	18	18	$25,053 48	$25,600 00	$30,170 00	$30,650 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office supplies	----	----	----	----	$419 00	$600 00	$600 00	$600 00
Printing	----	----	----	----	1,165 80	1,700 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$1,584 80	$2,300 00	$2,100 00	$2,100 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Examinations	----	----	----	----	$235 41	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Sacramento office	----	----	----	----	242 66	200 00	300 00	300 00
Los Angeles office	----	----	----	----	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Postage	----	----	----	----	1,082 16	1,200 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Telephone and telegraph	----	----	----	----	448 64	500 00	600 00	600 00
Traveling	----	----	----	----	3,186 24	2,500 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$5,795 11	$5,500 00	$6,500 00	$6,500 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office	----	----	----	----	$43 79	$500 00	$250 00	$250 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	25	26	25	26	$53,711 65	$54,700 00	$54,200 00	$54,700 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	4,486 30	40,202 50	6,250 00	40,250 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	7,382 51	7,510 00	8,225 00	5,225 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	54 00	270 00	3,650 00	150 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$65,634 46	$102 682 50	$72,325 00	$100,325 00
						65,634 46		72,325 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$168,316 96	----------	$172,650 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Secretary of State	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Deputy	2	2	2	2	7,600 00	7,600 00	7,600 00	7,600 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Keeper of Archives	1	1	1	1	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Statistician	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Registrar	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Chief Recording Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Clerks	14	14	14	14	24,711 65	25,200 00	25,200 00	25,200 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Porter	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Superintendent Corporation License Tax Department	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Legislative clerk	---	1	----	1	---- ----------	500 00	----------	500 00
Totals	25	26	25	26	$53,711 65	$54,700 00	$54,200 00	$54,700 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office supplies	----	----	----	----	$671 37	$702 50	$750 00	$750 00
Printing, general	----	----	----	----	3,814 93	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Printing, constitutional amendments	----	----	----	----	----------	35,000 00	----------	35,000 00
Printing, state roster	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	1,000 00	----------
Totals	----	----	----	----	$4,486 30	$40,202 50	$6,250 00	$40,250 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
General office	----	----	----	----	$194 38	$200 00	$125 00	$125 00
Postage	----	----	----	----	4,200 00	2,460 00	2,600 00	2,600 00
Freight, cartage and expense	----	----	----	----	1,341 57	1,500 00	1,750 00	1 750 00
Telephone and telegraph	----	----	----	----	364 79	400 00	500 00	500 00
Traveling expense	----	----	----	----	46 27	250 00	250 00	250 00
Tabulating election returns	----	----	----	----	1,235 00	2,700 00	3,000 00	----------
Totals	----	----	----	----	$7,382 51	$7,510 00	$8 225 00	$5,225 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office	----	----	----	----	$54 00	$270 00	$150 00	$150 00
Visible records	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	3,500 00	----------
Totals	----	----	----	----	$54 00	$270 00	$3,650 00	$150 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

STATE TREASURER.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	12	12	12	12	$27,419 65	$27,480 00	$27,680 00	$27,680 00
Materials and supplies					1,315 69	900 00	1,175 00	1,175 00
Service and expense					1,892 02	2,250 00	2,380 00	2,380 00
Equipment					192 19	250 00	425 00	425 00
Totals					$30,819 55	$30,880 00	$31,660 00	$31,660 00
						30,819 55		31,660 00
Totals for biennium						$61,699 55		$63,320 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Treasurer	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Deputy Treasurer	1	1	1	1	3,200 00	3,200 00	3,200 00	3,200 00
Cashier	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Bond officer	1	1	1	1	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Deposit Officer	1	1	1	1	2,500 00	2,500 00	2 500 00	2 500 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,200 00	2,200 00	2,200 00	2,200 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00
Porter	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Watchmen	4	4	4	4	6,480 00	6 480 00	6,480 00	6,480 00
Extra help					139 65	200 00	400 00	400 00
Totals	12	12	12	12	$27,419 65	$27,480 00	$27,680 00	$27,680 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$149 58	$150 00	$175 00	$175 00
Printing					1,166 11	750 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$1,315 69	$900 00	$1,175 00	$1,175 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Office					$458 92	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Postage					785 60	900 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Telephone and telegraph					379 98	460 00	460 00	460 00
Miscellaneous					267 52	300 00	330 00	330 00
Totals					$1,892 02	$2,250 00	$2,380 00	$2,380 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$192 19	$250 00	$425 00	$425 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

STATE CONTROLLER.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	43	45	50	50	$90,385 45	$95,160 00	$103,720 00	$103,840 00
Materials and supplies					6,458 18	7,925 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Service and expense					12,455 39	20,675 00	29,750 00	29,750 00
Equipment					1,208 17	2,700 00	1,975 00	1,975 00
Totals					$110,507 19	$126,460 00	$137,445 00	$137,565 00
						110,507 19		137,445 00
Totals for biennium						$236,967 19		$275,010 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Controller	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Deputy Controller	1	1	1	1	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Inheritance Tax Attorney	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Assistant Inheritance Tax Attorney	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Assistant Inheritance Tax Attorneys	2	2	2	2	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Assistant Inheritance Tax Attorneys	5	5	6	6	10,645 15	12,000 00	16,200 00	16,200 00
Assistant Inheritance Tax Attorney	1	1	1	1	2,051 72	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Statistician	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Superintendent of Franchise Department	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Franchise Tax Expert (part time)	1	1	4	4	1,620 00	1,800 00	7,480 00	7,480 00
Redemption Tax Expert	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Bookkeepers	2	2	2	2	5,100 00	5,100 00	5,280 00	5,400 00
Assistant Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Warrant Registrar	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Special Agent		1				1,800 00		
Chief Clerks	2	2	2	2	3,960 00	3,960 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Clerks	9	9	9	9	14,890 83	14,640 00	12,420 00	12,120 00
Stenographers	6	6	8	8	10,843 03	9,300 00	12,060 00	12,060 00
Stenographer-Clerks	2	2	2	2	3,017 90	3,420 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Porter	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Janitor	1	1	1	1	140 00	240 00	240 00	240 00
Stenographer, Legal		1	1	1		1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	400 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Additional help					216 82	300 00		
Totals	43	45	50	50	$90,385 45	$95,160 00	$103,720 00	$103,840 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES.								
Office					$717 96	$800 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Automobile					440 72	925 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Printing					5,299 50	6,200 00		
Totals					$6,458 18	$7,925 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Automobile					$984 78	$1,475 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Clerical and office					2,000 16	3,775 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Postage					2,098 50	2,400 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Telephone and telegraph					1,578 37	1,675 00	1,750 00	1,750 00
Traveling					3,693 58	9,250 00	11,500 00	11,500 00
Rent					2,100 00	2,100 00		
Printing							6,500 00	6,500 00
Totals					$12,455 39	$20,675 00	$29,750 00	$29,750 00
EQUIPMENT								
Automobiles					$177 85	$1,300 00		
Office					1,030 42	1,400 00	$1,975 00	$1,975 00
Totals					$1,208 27	$2,700 00	$1,975 00	$1,975 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year July 1 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	28	33	33	33	$75,324 11	$86,640 00	$86,640 00	$86,640 00
Materials and supplies					3,779 82	5,200 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Service and expense					5,864 70	7,825 00	6,650 00	6,650 00
Equipment					3,619 44	1,950 00	1,900 00	1,900 00
Totals					$88,588 07	$101,615 00	$99,690 00	$99,690 00
						88,588 07		99,690 00
Totals for biennium						$190,203 07		$199,380 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Attorney General	1	1	1	1	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Assistant Attorney Generals	3	3	3	3	12,000 00	12,000 00	12,000 00	12,000 00
Deputies	9	11	11	11	32,850 00	37,500 00	37,500 00	37,500 00
Phonographic Reporter	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Service Agent	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Clerks	3	4	4	4	4,900 00	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Stenographers	9	11	11	11	15,814 91	19,800 00	19,800 00	19,800 00
Janitor	1	1	1	1	159 20	540 00	540 00	540 00
Totals	28	33	33	33	$75,324 11	$86 640 00	$86,640 00	$86,640 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$629 65	$500 00	$800 00	$800 00
Printing and stationery					3,150 17	4,500 00	3,500 00	3,500 00
Automobile						200 00	200 00	200 00
Totals					$3,779 82	$5,200 00	$4,500 00	$4,500 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Clerical and office					$331 66	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Automobiles					463 77	250 00	200 00	200 00
Library					390 75			
Freight, cartage and express					75 81	125 00	150 00	150 00
Postage					705 00	450 00	700 00	700 00
Repairs					177 15		100 00	100 00
Telephone and telegraph					1 546 12	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Transcripts, fees, expenses					865 95	3,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Traveling					1,288 99	2,000 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Miscellaneous					19 50		500 00	500 00
Reporters and additional help							500 00	500 00
Totals					$5,864 70	$7,825 00	$6 650 00	$6,650 00
EQUIPMENT								
Library books					$540 50	$1,000 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Clerical and office replacements					3,078 94	750 00	500 00	500 00
Automobiles						200 00	400 00	400 00
Totals					$3,619 44	$1,950 00	$1,900 00	$1,900 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July. 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	19	19	21	21	$31,578 05	$38,780 00	$43,280 00	$43,280 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	3 078 80	3,990 00	4,440 00	4,440 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	2,050 15	2,620 00	2,670 00	2,670 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	80 30	370 00	320 00	320 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$36,787 30	$45,760 00	$50,710 00	$50,710 00
						36,787 30		50,710 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$82,547 30	----------	$101,420 00
Total recurrent appropriation	----	----	----	----	----------	$37,000 00	----------	$37,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board members	4	4	4	4	$16,000 00	$16,000 00	$16,000 00	$16,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Porter	1	1	1	1	480 00	480 00	480 00	480 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,800 00	2,800 00	2,800 00	2,800 00
Stenographer and office assistant	1	1	1	1	1,600 00	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Franchise Tax Expert (part time)	1	1	1	1	800 00	800 00	800 00	800 00
Stenographer-clerk	1	1	1	1	1,600 00	1,600 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Clerks (part time)	7	4	4	4	3,274 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Transportation, Tax Expert	1	1	1	1	800 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Stenographer-clerk (part time)	1	1	1	1	400 05	1,600 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Extra clerks	----	3	3	3	----------	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Extra janitor	----	----	----	----	24 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Auditor fuel tax	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	2,700 00	2,700 00
Auditor transportation reports	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,800 00	1,800 00
Totals	19	19	21	21	$31,578 05	$38,780 00	$43,280 00	$43,280 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office	----	----	----	----	$65 78	$240 00	$240 00	$240 00
Printing	----	----	----	----	3,013 02	3,750 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$3,078 80	$3,990 00	$4,440 00	$4,440 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.								
Office	----	----	----	----	$120 40	$120 00	$120 00	$120 00
Freight, cartage and express	----	----	----	----	11 74	50 00	100 00	100 00
Postage	----	----	----	----	1,605 00	2,050 00	2,050 00	2,050 00
Telephone and telegraph	----	----	----	----	313 01	400 00	400 00	400 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$2,050 15	$2,620 00	$2,670 00	$2,670 00
EQUIPMENT.								
Office	----	----	----	----	$80 30	$370 00	$320 00	$320 00

	Citations	Appropriated seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years	Recommendations for seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
RECURRENT APPROPRIATIONS				
Traveling and contingent clerical expense	P. C. 3702	$12,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Collection of data and determination of valuation for purpose of taxation	P C. 3664-E	25,000 00	----------	25,000 00

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BOARD OF HEALTH.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	67	68	69	69	$128,721 07	$138,460 00	$147,015 00	$146,070 00
Materials and supplies	...	...	...	...	12,035 86	16,130 00	18,752 00	18,752 00
Service and expense	...	...	...	...	25,782 51	28 574 00	36,503 00	36,503 00
Equipment	...	...	...	...	2,601 74	4,800 00	17,545 00	4,830 00
Totals	...	...	...	...	$169,141 18	$187,964 00	$219,815 00	$209,155 00
						169,141 18		219,815 00
Totals for biennium	...	...	...	...	...	$357,105 18	...	$428,970 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
Administration								
Secretary	1	1	1	1	$4 500 00	$4,500 00	$4,500 00	$4,500 00
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Assistant Executive, Los Angeles	...	...	1	1	...	...	3,000 00	3,000 00
Morbidity Statistician	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Chief Clerks	3	3	3	3	5,656 08	6,060 00	6,240 00	6,420 00
Financial Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,102 61	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Stenographer-Clerks	3	3	3	3	4 067 89	4,020 00	4,200 00	4,380 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	1,202 57	1,200 00	1,260 00	1,320 00
Totals	11	11	12	12	$22,929 75	$23,580 00	$27,000 00	$27,420 00
Sanitary Inspectors								
Chief Sanitary Inspector	1	1	1	1	$2,760 00	$2,820 00	$2,940 00	$3,060 00
Assistant Sanitary Inspectors	2	2	3	3	3,960 00	4,200 00	6,120 00	6,240 00
Totals	3	3	4	4	$6,720 00	$7,020 00	$9,060 00	$9,300 00
Public Health Nurses	3	4	4	4	$5,400 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00
District Health Officers	2	2	2	2	$7,200 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00
Malaria Control Engineer	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Social Hygiene Stenographers	2	2	2	2	$1,527 50	$3,000 00	$3,120 00	$3,240 00
Sanitary Engineering								
Director	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Assistant Engineers	2	2	2	2	4,645 00	5,940 00	6,060 00	6,180 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	1 740 00	1,800 00	1,860 00	1,920 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Engineer's Aid	1	1	1	1	1,719 99	1,740 00	1,800 00	1,860 00
Chief Analyst	...	...	1	1	...	...	2,400 00	2,520 00
Totals	6	6	7	7	$13,304 99	$14,680 00	$17,380 00	$17,740 00
Child Hygiene								
Director	1	1	1	1	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00
Public Health Nurses	2	2	...	...	2,526 27	3,600 00	...	...
Clerk	1	1	...	...	180 63	1,200 00	...	...
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,506 48	1,680 00	1,740 00	1,800 00
Totals	5	5	2	2	$7,813 38	$10,080 00	$5,340 00	$5,400 00
Hygienic Laboratory								
Director	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Bacteriologists	3	3	3	3	5,113 51	5,280 00	5,460 00	5,640 00
Technician	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,560 00
Secretary-Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,650 00	1,740 00	1,800 00	1,860 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,410 00	1,470 00	1 200 00	1,320 00
Laboratory Helper	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	2,100 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Animal Keeper	1	1	1	1	360 00	420 00	420 00	480 00
Student Helper	1	1	1	1	1,148 06	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals	10	10	10	10	$16,261 57	$17,710 00	$16,660 00	$17,140 00

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BOARD OF HEALTH—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Epidemiology								
Epidemiologists	1	1	2	2	$3,417 75	$3,900 00	$7,500 00	$7,500 00
Assistant Epidemiologist	1	1	1	1	2,160 00	2 280 00	2,340 00	2,400 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	750 00	780 00	1,620 00	1,680 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	660 00	690 00	1,440 00	1,500 00
Totals	4	4	5	5	$6,987 75	$7,650 00	$12,900 00	$13,080 00
Vital Statistics								
Director	1	1	1	1	$2,400 00	$2,400 00	$2,400 00	$2,400 00
Deputy Director	1	1	1	1	1,600 00	1,600 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Hollerith Operator	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,268 94	1,080 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	1 380 00	1,380 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Key Punch Operator	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Searcher	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Indexers	2	2	2	2	2,160 00	2 160 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Totals	9	9	9	9	$12,708 94	$12,520 00	$13,180 00	$13,180 00
Food and Drugs								
Director	1	1	1	1	$3,145 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3 600 00
Chemists	2	2	2	2	5,400 00	5,400 00	5,400 00	5,400 00
Inspectors	6	6	6	6	12 660 00	10,440 00	10,475 00	10,550 00
Secretary-Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,505 00	1,680 00	1,740 00	1,800 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	426 20	1,500 00	1,560 00	1,620 00
Student Help					730 99	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals	11	11	11	11	$23,867 19	$23,820 00	$23,975 00	$24,170 00
Totals, salaries and wages	67	68	69	69	$128,721 07	$138,460 00	$147,015 00	$149,070 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Administration								
Office					$109 88	$200 00	$200 00	$200 00
Miscellaneous					42 41	150 00	200 00	200 00
Automobile					165 55	500 00	500 00	500 00
Printing					2,664 55	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Totals					$2,982 39	$4,850 00	$4,900 00	$4,900 00
Sanitary Inspectors								
Office					$25 50	$25 00	$47 00	$47 00
Automobiles					663 76	900 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Printing					100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$789 26	$1,025 00	$1,347 00	$1,347 00
District Health Officers								
Automobile					$330 00	$400 00	$500 00	$500 00
Miscellaneous					24 33		100 00	100 00
Printing							150 00	150 00
Totals					$354 33	$400 00	$750 00	$750 00
Malaria Control								
Automobile					$212 09	$250 00	$250 00	$250 00
Miscellaneous					20 85	30 00	30 00	30 00
Totals					$232 94	$280 00	$280 00	$280 00
Sanitary Engineering								
Office					$413 13	$325 00	$325 00	$325 00
Automobile					439 57	600 00	600 00	600 00
Totals					$852 70	$925 00	$925 00	$925 00

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BOARD OF HEALTH—(CONTINUED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES—Cont				
Child Hygiene				
Office	$301 55		$200 00	$200 00
Automobile			600 00	600 00
Printing		300 00	300 00	300 00
Totals	$301 55	$300 00	$1,100 00	$1,100 00
Hygienic Laboratory				
Laboratory	$2,015 40	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Office	95 74	75 00	150 00	150 00
Printing	606 75	300 00	300 00	300 00
Totals	$2,717 89	$4,375 00	$4,450 00	$4,450 00
Epidemiology				
Office	$241 00	$75 00	$300 00	$300 00
Automobile	278 34	250 00	600 00	600 00
Printing	106 00	100 00	150 00	150 00
Totals	$628 34	$425 00	$1,050 00	$1,050 00
Vital Statistics				
Office	$307 69	$300 00	$600 00	$600 00
Printing	2,057 10	2 000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals	$2,364 79	$2,300 00	$2,600 00	$2,600 00
Pure Food and Drugs				
Laboratory	$95 50	$100 00	$100 00	$100 00
Office	65 60	50 00	50 00	50 00
Automobile	493 93	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Printing	156 64	100 00	200 00	200 00
Totals	$811 67	$1,250 00	$1,350 00	$1,350 00
Totals, materials and supplies	$12,035 86	$16,130 00	$18,752 00	$18,752 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Administration				
Traveling	$2,390 90	$2,200 00	$2,500 00	$2,500 00
Automobile	290 39	300 00	300 00	300 00
Telephone and telegraph	853 59	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Rent	120 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Freight, cartage and express	90 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Postage	650 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Towel Supply	28 50	50 00	50 00	50 00
Miscellaneous	55 39	164 00	164 00	164 00
Press clippings	270 00	150 00	175 00	175 00
Totals	$4,747 87	$4,684 00	$5,009 00	$5,009 00
Sanitary Inspectors				
Automobile	$406 65	$700 00	$950 00	$950 00
Traveling	2,672 08	2,700 00	3,700 00	3,700 00
Totals	$3,078 73	$3,400 00	$4,650 00	$4,650 00
Public Health Nurses				
Traveling	$2,039 46	$2,800 00	$2,800 00	$2,800 00
District Health Officers				
Traveling	$1,836 83	$1,600 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Automobile	226 24	200 00	300 00	300 00
Totals	$2,063 07	$1,800 00	$2,300 00	$2,300 00
Malaria Control				
Traveling	$783 85	$800 00	$800 00	$800 00
Automobile	215 71	300 00	250 00	250 00
Totals	$999 56	$1,100 00	$1,050 00	$1,050 00

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BOARD OF HEALTH—(CONTINUED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SERVICE AND EXPENSE—Cont				
Sanitary Engineering.				
Traveling	$1 311 84	$2,730 00	$2,850 00	$2,850 00
Rental to university	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Automobiles	398 00	616 00	500 00	500 00
Postage	114 50	100 00	100 00	100 00
Expressage	85 49	100 00	100 00	100 00
Telephone and telegraph	190 26	160 00	160 00	160 00
Ice and water	61 20	72 00	72 00	72 00
Miscellaneous	109 30	120 00	120 00	120 00
Laundry	2 66	12 00	12 00	12 00
Blue printing and photo	64 24	60 00	60 00	60 00
Totals	$3,017 49	$4,150 00	$4,154 00	$4,154 00
Child Hygiene·				
Traveling			$1,800 00	$1,800 00
Automobile			600 00	600 00
Postage			1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals			$3,600 00	$3,600 00
Hygienic Laboratory				
Traveling	$350 00	$350 00	$350 00	$350 00
Freight, cartage and express	300 18	100 00	100 00	100 00
Ice and water	113 00	116 00	116 00	116 00
Telephone and telegraph	265 21	250 00	250 00	250 00
Laundry	80 55	60 00	60 00	60 00
Postage	150 00	175 00	175 00	175 00
Electricity	260 00	179 00	179 00	179 00
Miscellaneous	248 16	320 00	220 00	220 00
Totals	$1,767 10	$1,550 00	$1,450 00	$1,450 00
Epidemiology				
Traveling	$1,103 40	$1,500 00	$2,500 00	$2,500 00
Automobile	300 04	200 00	600 00	600 00
Office			100 00	100 00
Totals	$1,493 44	$1,700 00	$3,200 00	$3,200 00
Vital Statistics				
Rental Hollerith machine	$930 00	$930 00	$930 00	$930 00
Electricity	33 00	45 00	45 00	45 00
Telephone and telegraph	60 00	60 00	60 00	60 00
Postage	362 64	500 00	500 00	500 00
Freight, cartage and express	46 91	35 00	35 00	35 00
Totals	$1,432 55	$1,570 00	$1,570 00	$1,570 00
Food and Drugs				
Traveling	$3,969 25	$3,800 00	$4,700 00	$4,700 00
Automobile	418 60	1,100 00	1,100 00	1,100 00
Telephone and telegraph	170 90	200 00	200 00	200 00
Water, electricity, ice and gas	174 44	275 00	275 00	275 00
Postage	85 00	200 00	200 00	200 00
Freight, cartage and express	148 67	140 00	140 00	140 00
Miscellaneous	176 38	105 00	105 00	105 00
Totals	$5,143 24	$5,820 00	$6,720 00	$6,720 00
Totals, service and expense	$25,782 51	$28,574 00	$36,503 00	$36,503 00

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BOARD OF HEALTH—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
EQUIPMENT				
Administration				
Automobile	$684 90	$1,300 00	$1,300 00	$300 00
Office	41 15	90 00	90 00	90 00
Miscellaneous	26 03	110 00	110 00	110 00
Totals	$752 08	$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$500 00
Sanitary Inspectors				
Automobiles	$232 44	$1,300 00	$2,625 00	$1,550 00
District Health Officers				
Automobiles	$126 48	$200 00	$1,100 00	$200 00
Malaria Control				
Automobiles			$740 00	
Miscellaneous	$6 25	$200 00	200 00	$200 00
Totals	$6 25	$200 00	$940 00	$200 00
Sanitary Engineering				
Automobile	$70 45	$300 00	$2,200 00	$200 00
Laboratory	111 13		130 00	130 00
Totals	$181 58	$300 00	$2,330 00	$330 00
Child Hygiene				
Automobile			$200 00	$200 00
Office			100 00	100 00
Miscellaneous			100 00	100 00
Totals			$400 00	$400 00
Hygiene Laboratory				
Miscellaneous		$200 00	$500 00	$200 00
Epidemiology				
Automobile	$42 73	$300 00	$4,300 00	
Office			100 00	400 00
Totals	$42 73	$300 00	$4,400 00	$400 00
Vital Statistics				
Miscellaneous	$102 85	$200 00	$200 00	$200 00
Pure Food and Drugs				
Automobile	$1,157 33	$600 00	$3,300 00	$600 00
Laboratory			250 00	250 00
Totals	$1,157 33	$600 00	$3,550 00	$850 00
Totals, Equipment	$2,601 74	$4,800 00	$17,545 00	$4,830 00

REGULATIVE.

BUREAU OF TUBERCULOSIS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	5	5	6	6	$7,608 55	$10,260 00	$12,000 00	$12,000 00
Materials and supplies					808 69	2,280 00	3,120 00	3,120 00
Service and expense					3,016 68	4,200 00	6,900 00	6,900 00
Equipment					936 87	120 00	480 00	480 00
Totals					$12,370 79	$16,860 00	$22,500 00	$22,500 00
						12,370 79		22,500 00
Totals for biennium						$29,230 79		$45,000 00
Subsidies appropriation						$140,000 00		$400,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Director	1	1	1	1	$2,956 89	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Fieldworkers	2	2	2	2	2,251 66	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Research Worker (six months)			1	1			1,050 00	1,050 00
Secretary-Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,860 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	600 00	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Additional help							330 00	330 00
Totals	5	5	6	6	$7,608 55	$10,260 00	$12,000 00	$12,000 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$808 69	$1,680 00	$2,520 00	$2,520 00
Automobile						600 00	600 00	600 00
Totals					$808 69	$2,280 00	$3,120 00	$3,120 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$2,279 51	$3,600 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00
Clerical and office					737 17	600 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Totals					$3,016 68	$4,200 00	$6,900 00	$6,900 00
EQUIPMENT								
Automobile					$936 87	$120 00	$480 00	$480 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years	Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years
Subsidies appropriation	$140,000 00	$400,000 00

REGULATIVE

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	58	61	62	62	$105,597 95	$118,165 00	$133,660 00	$134,500 00
Materials and supplies					4,125 37	7,835 00	6,150 00	6,150 00
Service and expense					29,634 03	30,165 00	28,450 00	28,450 00
Equipment					332 43	596 00	2,320 00	2,320 00
Totals					$139,689 78	$156,761 00	$170,580 00	$171,420 00
						139 689 78		170,580 00
Totals for biennium						$296,450 78		$342,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioner	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Deputies	7	10	10	10	16 796 45	20,760 00	25,500 00	25,500 00
Assistant Deputy	1				2,076 70			
Attorney Deputies	2	2	2	2	3,000 00	4,800 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Managers	9	10	10	10	15,970 33	19,620 00	22,860 00	22,860 00
Agents	4	4	4	4	5,772 15	5,580 00	6,240 00	6,960 00
Field Agent	1	1	1	1	2 178 66	2,280 00	2 400 00	2,400 00
Placement Clerks	19	14	14	14	33,293 12	23,580 00	25,140 00	25,140 00
Stenographer-Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Deputy Manager	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,580 00	2,700 00
Assistant Managers		3	3	3		6,300 00	6,660 00	6,660 00
Stenographers	9	10	11	11	12 066 72	15,420 00	16,040 00	16,040 00
Agent	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Statistician	1	1	1	1	2,250 00	2,700 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Statistician Assistant	1	1	1	1	673 60	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Extra help					1,400 22	3,405 00	5,500 00	5,500 00
Clerk		1	1	1		1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Totals	58	61	62	62	$105 597 95	$118,165 00	$133,660 00	$134,500 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES.								
Office					$993 22	$1,470 00	$800 00	$800 00
Printing					3,132 15	6,365 00	5,350 00	5,350 00
Totals					$4,125 37	$7,835 00	$6,150 00	$6,150 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Clerical and office					$2,173 29	$700 00	$1,850 00	$1,850 00
Freight, cartage and express					237 53	350 00	370 00	370 00
Postage					1,220 00	1,520 00	1,110 00	1,110 00
Rent					16,844 23	16,750 00	17,070 00	17,070 00
Telephone and telegraph					4,117 49	4,220 00	3,750 00	3,750 00
Traveling					5,041 49	6,625 00	4,300 00	4,300 00
Totals					$29,634 03	$30,165 00	$28,450 00	$28,450 00
EQUIPMENT.								
Office					$332 43	$596 00	$1,190 00	$1,190 00
Automobile							1,130 00	1,130 00
Totals					$332 43	$596 00	$2,320 00	$2,320 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$5,705 79			
Revenue during year	23,575 00	$24,000 00	$24,000 00	$24,000 00
Totals	$29,280 79	$24,000 00	$24,000 00	$24,000 00
		29,280 79		24,000 00
Totals for biennium		$53,280 79		$48,000 00

REGULATIVE.

INDUSTRIAL WELFARE COMMISSION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	13	15	13	13	$19,202 87	$23,230 00	$20,385 00	$20,715 00
Materials and supplies					*651 65*	*2,000 00*	*725 00*	*1,225 00*
Service and expense					3,232 60	6,115 00	6,125 00	6,585 00
Equipment						1,185 00	100 00	200 00
Totals					$23,087 12	$32,530 00	$27,665 00	$28,395 00
						23,087 12		27,665 00
Totals for biennium						$55,617 12		$56,060 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioners and Executive (per diem basis)	4	4	4	4	$2,710 00	$3,310 00	$3,490 00	$3,490 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,280 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2 400 00
Stenographers	1	1	1	1	1,271 83	1,475 00	1,475 00	1,475 00
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,280 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Southern California Representative	1				1,906 89			
Field Representatives	3	2	2	2	5,385 73	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Field Agents		1	1	1		1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Special Agents	1	4	2	2	1,000 00	5,635 00	3,150 00	3,480 00
Clerk-Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1 350 00	1,350 00	1,350 00
Extra help					1,168 42	540 00		
Totals	13	15	13	13	$19,202 87	$23,230 00	$20,385 00	$20,715 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office supplies					$79 60	$75 00	$75 00	$75 00
Auto supplies					76 45	75 00	150 00	150 00
Miscellaneous printing					495 60	350 00	500 00	500 00
Biennial report						500 00		500 00
Printing of wage orders						1,000 00		
Totals					$651 65	$2 000 00	$725 00	$1,225 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$1,959 79	$3,265 00	$3,775 00	$3,775 00
Postage					425 37	750 00	1,050 00	1,050 00
Telephone and telegraph					552 15	600 00	600 00	600 00
Miscellaneous office expense					259 98	400 00	400 00	400 00
Auto expense and repair					35 31	*500 00*	*300 00*	*300 00*
Legal publication orders						600 00		460 00
Totals					$3,232 60	$6,115 00	$6,125 00	$6,585 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office						$150 00	$100 00	$200 00
Automobile						1,035 00		
Totals						$1,185 00	$100 00	$200 00

REGULATIVE

RAILROAD COMMISSION

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	97	101	101	101	$269,160 16	$279,520 00	$278,520 00	$278,520 00
Materials and supplies					26,287 66	32,000 00	32,000 00	32,000 00
Service and expense					79,806 87	79,050 00	81,280 00	81,280 00
Equipment					5,211 25	4,200 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Totals					$380,465 94	$394,770 00	$396,800 00	$396,800 00
						380,465 94		396,800 00
Totals for biennium						$775,235 94		$793,600 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioners	5	5	5	5	$40,000 00	$40,000 00	$40,000 00	$40,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	4,800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
Recorder	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Stenographers	25	27	27	27	37,398 15	40,500 00	40,500 00	40,500 00
Clerks	12	13	14	14	18,100 00	20,700 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
Office Assistant	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Finance Expert	1	1	1	1	5,000 00	5 400 00	5,400 00	5,400 00
Special Accountants	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Accountants	3	3	3	3	7,500 00	7,500 00	7,500 00	7,500 00
Bond Analyst	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Attorneys	2	2	2	2	11,045 00	9,600 00	9,600 00	9,600 00
Examiners	2	2	2	2	8,400 00	8,400 00	8,400 00	8 400 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	5 400 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Assistant Engineers	16	16	16	16	44,789 05	42,720 00	42,720 00	42,720 00
Transportation Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Gas and Electric Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,900 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Hydraulic Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,900 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Assistant Hydraulic Engineers	7	7	7	7	19,155 00	20,820 00	20,820 00	20 820 00
Telephone Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Assistant Telephone Engineers	4	5	5	5	9,735 00	12,360 00	12,360 00	12,360 00
Service Expert and Assistant	2	2	2	2	7,020 00	7,020 00	7 020 00	7,020 00
Rate Expert and Assistant	5	5	5	5	15,042 17	15,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00
Auto Chief and Assistant	2	2	2	2	6,000 00	6,300 00	6 300 00	6,300 00
Extra help					2,055 79	2,700 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Draftsman	1	1	1	1	2,520 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Totals	97	101	101	101	$269,160 16	$279,520 00	$278 520 00	$278,520 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Maps						$3,000 00		
Annual reports					$2,689 10	3,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Bound volumes and decisions					9,796 30	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Stationery and supplies					5,652 02	5,000 00	6,000 00	6 000 00
Printing and binding					8,150 24	11,000 00	12,000 00	12,000 00
Totals					$26,287 66	$32,000 00	$32,000 00	$32,000 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$30,131 64	$38,700 00	$39,880 00	$39,880 00
Reporters transcripts					21,786 95	22,000 00	22,000 00	22,000 00
Postage					6,283 49	5,500 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Express, freight and cartage					934 80	850 00	900 00	900 00
Telephone and telegraph					3,778 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Secretary office, general expenses					7,892 08	8,000 00	8,500 00	8,500 00
Totals					$79,806 87	$79,050 00	$81,280 00	$81,280 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$5,211 25	$4,200 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$79,671 56			
Revenue during year	94,051 22	$97,000 00	$97,000 00	$97,000 00
Totals	$173 722 78	$97 000 00	$97,000 00	$97,000 00
		173,722 78		97,000 00
Totals for biennium		$270,722 78		$194,000 00

REGULATIVE.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	85	94	104	104	$191,011 46	$209,075 00	$225,160 00	$226,460 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	--	---	15,107 70	22,500 00	22,500 00	22,500 00
Service and expense	--	--	----	----	29,367 87	33,500 00	32,200 00	31,200 00
Equipment	--	--	----	----	1,939 17	5,000 00	4,000 00	3,500 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$237,426 20	$270,075 00 237,426 20	$283,860 00	$283,660 00 283,860 00
Totals for biennium	----	---	---	----	----------	$507,501 20	----------	$567,520 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
Members of Commission	3	3	3	3	$13,916 95	$15,000 00	$15,000 00	$15,000 00
Attorney	1	1	1	1	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Assistant Secretaries	2	1	1	1	3,800 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Stenographers	18	23	26	26	25,811 16	34,440 00	39,020 00	38,700 00
Stenographer Clerks	2	----	---	---	3,600 00	----------	----------	----------
Multigraph Operator	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Dictaphone Operators	1	2	2	2	1,500 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Reception Room Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,620 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Messengers	1	1	2	2	900 00	900 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Accountant	1	1	1	1	2,850 00	2,850 00	2,850 00	2,850 00
Superintendent of Safety	1	1	1	1	4,583 35	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Assistant Superintendent of Safety	1	1	1	1	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Clerks	3	4	7	7	4,260 00	5,280 00	9,240 00	9,360 00
Chief Boiler Inspector	1	1	----	---	3,600 00	3,600 00	----------	----------
Boiler Inspectors	1	2	3	3	2,880 00	4,980 00	7,500 00	7,500 00
Electrical Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Safety Engineers	6	4	6	6	15,700 00	12,600 00	15,300 00	15,600 00
Elevator Inspectors	1	4	4	4	2,580 00	8,070 00	9,720 00	10,020 00
Mining Engineers	2	2	2	2	6,600 00	6,600 00	6,900 00	6,900 00
Safety Inspector	1	----	----	----	2,220 00	----------	----------	----------
File Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,170 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Senior Clerk	1	----	----	----	1,500 00	----------	----------	----------
Manager Compensation Department	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Assistant Secretary and Referee	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Referees	6	9	9	9	17,400 00	25,650 00	26,400 00	27,000 00
Chief Clerks—preparing and recording cases	2	2	2	2	3,600 00	3,600 00	3 720 00	3,900 00
Chief Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Proof Reader	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Typists	2	5	5	5	2,400 00	5,685 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Decision Writers	2	1	1	1	4 200 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Chief Reporters	1	1	2	2	1,980 00	1,980 00	3,960 00	3,960 00
Reporters	9	8	7	7	16,880 00	15,360 00	13,440 00	13,440 00
Medical Director	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3 600 00	3,600 00
Assistant Medical Directors	3	3	3	3	6,900 00	6,900 00	7,800 00	7,800 00
Superintendent Permanent Disability Rating	1	1	1	1	2,850 00	2,850 00	2,850 00	2,850 00
Superintendent Statistics	1	----	----	----	3,300 00	----------	----------	----------
Chief Clerk, Statistics	1	1	1	1	2,220 00	2,280 00	2,340 00	2,340 00
Junior Construction Engineer	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	2,040 00	2 040 00
Junior Safety Engineer	----	1	1	1	----------	1,800 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Key Punch Operator	----	1	1	1	----------	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,320 00
Extra stenographic help	----	----	----	----	----------	960 00	----------	----------
Unallocated extra help	----	----	----	----	----------	1,560 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Unallocated increase in salary	----	----	----	----	----------	240 00	----------	----------
Totals	85	94	104	104	$191,011 46	$209,075 00	$225,160 00	$226,460 00

REGULATIVE.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION—(CONCLUDED)

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Office supplies	$2,559 75	$3,300 00	$3,500 00	$3,500 00
Printing and publications	11,063 65	17 200 00	17,000 00	17,000 00
Auto supplies	1,484 30	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals	$15,107 70	$22,500 00	$22,500 00	$22,500 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Postage	$4,553 28	$5,250 00	$5,750 00	$5,750 00
Telephone and telegraph	1,945 06	2,100 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Freight, cartage and express	390 38	400 00	400 00	400 00
Traveling and office expense	19,755 84	22,300 00	20 050 00	20,050 00
Rating schedule expert service			1,000 00	
Auto expense	2,723 31	3,450 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Totals	$29,367 87	$33,500 00	$32,200 00	$31,200 00
EQUIPMENT				
Office	$1,939 17	$5,000 00	$4,000 00	$3,500 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$24,536 42		$2,651 60	
Revenue	148,643 18	$150,000 00	156,500 00	$156,500 00
Totals	$173,179 60	$150,000 00	$159,151 60	$156,500 00
		173,179 60		159,151 60
Totals for biennium		$323,179 60		$315,651 60

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF HARBOR COMMISSIONERS—EUREKA.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	5	5	5	5	$3,400 00	$3,400 00	$3,400 00	$3,400 00
Service and expense					420 75	500 00	500 00	500 00
Totals					$3,820 75	$3,900 00	$3,900 00	$3,900 00
						3,820 75		3,900 00
Totals for biennium						$7,720 75		$7,800 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioners	3	3	3	3	$1,200 00	$1,200 00	$1,200 00	$1 200 00
Harbormaster	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,000 00	1,000 00	1 000 00	1,000 00
Totals	5	5	5	5	$3,400 00	$3,400 00	$3,400 00	$3,400 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Rent					$270 00	$270 00	$270 00	$270 00
Telephone					51 00	51 00	51 00	51 00
General expenses					99 75	179 00	179 00	179 00
Totals					$420 75	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00

REGULATIVE.

IMMIGRATION AND HOUSING COMMISSION

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1 1925, to June 30 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	20	20	21	21	$39,729 41	$41 151 99	$45,180 00	$45,720 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	2,550 78	4,260 00	2,550 00	2 550 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	12,978 43	15,505 00	21,207 00	21.207 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	1,832 84	2,100 00	1,470 00	1,595 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$57,091 46	$63,016 99	$70,407 00	$71,072 00
						57,091 46		70,407 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$120,108 45	----------	$141,479 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Executive Officer	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Director Camp Department	1	1	1	1	3,120 00	3,120 00	3,360 00	3,360 00
Special Complaint Officer	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,180 00	3,180 00
Chief Inspector	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,650 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Chief Camp Inspector	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Sacramento Director	1	1	1	1	2 400 00	2,400 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Interpreter	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2 100 00	2,100 00
Los Angeles Director	1	1	1	1	2 100 00	2,100 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Camp Inspector	1	1	1	1	2,040 00	2,040 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Secretary to Executive Officer	1	1	1	1	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Fresno Director	1	1	1	1	1,925 00	2,100 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Camp Inspector	1	1	1	1	1,850 00	1,920 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Director Housing Department	1	1	1	1	1,806 45	2,612 90	3,000 00	3,300 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,480 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1 200 00	1,204 09	1,320 00	1,320 00
Stenographer (Los Angeles)	1	1	1	1	1,138 43	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Stenographer (Sacramento)	1	1	1	1	1,075 65	1,060 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Stenographer (Fresno)	1	1	1	1	890 33	765 00	900 00	1,020 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	745 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Extra help	----	----	----	----	378 55	500 00	500 00	500 00
Inspector	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,800 00	1,920 00
Totals	20	20	21	21	$39,729 41	$41,151 99	$45,180 00	$45,720 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office	----	----	----	----	$83 61	$350 00	$600 00	$600 00
Printing	----	----	----	----	622 96	2,200 00	1,050 00	1,050 00
Automobile	----	----	----	----	1,844 21	1,710 00	900 00	900 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$2,550 78	$4,260 00	$2,550 00	$2,550 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Office	----	----	----	----	$988 17	$1,480 00	$1,530 00	$1,530 00
Freight, cartage and express	----	----	----	----	36 31	50 00	50 00	50 00
Postage	----	----	----	----	511 00	540 00	540 00	540 00
Rent	----	----	----	----	638 75	705 00	720 00	720 00
Telephone and telegraph	----	----	----	----	772 64	790 00	840 00	840 00
Automobile	----	----	----	----	2,289 13	2,150 00	8,012 00	8,012 00
Traveling	----	----	----	----	7,742 43	9,790 00	9 515 00	9,515 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$12,978 43	$15 505 00	$21,207 00	$21,207 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office	----	----	----	----	$134 34	$1,100 00	$225 00	$350 00
Automobiles	----	----	----	----	1,698 50	1,000 00	1,245 00	1,245 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$1,832 84	$2,100 00	$1,470 00	$1,595 00

CURATIVE

DEPARTMENT OF INSTITUTIONS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	9	8	10	10	$18,032 61	$18,800 00	$23,060 00	$23,240 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	743 31	1,200 00	1,750 00	1,750 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	30,972 00	18,215 52	31,650 00	31,650 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	127 04	130 00	1,900 00	400 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$49,874 96	$38,345 52	$58,360 00	$57,040 00
						49,874 96		58,360 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----	$88,220 48	----	$115,400 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Director	1	1	1	1	$5 000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,137 10	3,000 00	3 000 00	3 000 00
Bookkeeper	----	----	1	1	----	----	1,800 00	1,800 00
Deportation Agent	1	1	1	1	2,850 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,080 00	2,400 00	2,520 00	2,700 00
Stenographers	2	2	2	2	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,240 00	3 240 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
File Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	900 00	900 00
Consulting Psychiatrist	1	----	1	1	1,565 51	----	2,400 00	2,400 00
Totals	9	8	10	10	$18,032 61	$18,800 00	$23,060 00	$23,240 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office	----	----	----	----	$145 41	$200 00	$300 00	$300 00
Printing	----	----	----	----	431 50	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Automobile	----	----	----	----	166 40	----	450 00	450 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$743 31	$1 200 00	$1,750 00	$1,750 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Deportations	----	----	----	----	$27,818 65	$13,915 52	$25,000 00	$25,000 00
Clerical and office	----	----	----	----	226 64	300 00	400 00	400 00
Telephone and telegraph	----	----	----	----	513 50	550 00	550 00	550 00
Postage	----	----	----	----	400 00	450 00	500 00	500 00
Traveling	----	----	----	----	1,773 38	3,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Automobile	----	----	----	----	239 83	----	200 00	200 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$30,972 00	$18,215 52	$31,650 00	$31,650 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office	----	----	----	----	$38 02	$130 00	$300 00	$300 00
Automobile	----	----	----	----	89 02	----	1,600 00	100 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$127 04	$130 00	$1,900 00	$400 00

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	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	209	221	229	229	$202,243 94	$217,870 00	$230,530 00	$230,530 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	223,767 15	228 250 00	232,350 00	232,350 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	26 363 45	29 168 00	31,910 00	31,910 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	24,168 46	22,900 00	37,342 50	37,342 50
Totals	----	----	----	----	$476,543 00	$498,188 00 476,543 00	$532,132 50	$532,132 50 532,132 50
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$974,731 00	----------	$1,064,265 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$7,000 00	----------	$98,550 00
Population	----	----	----	----	1,792	1,850	1,850	1,850
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4 000 00	$4,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1 800 00
Business Manager	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographers	4	4	4	4	3,328 67	4 200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Mail carrier and usher	1	1	1	1	660 00	660 00	660 00	660 00
Porter and usher	1	1	1	1	660 00	660 00	660 00	660 00
Telephone operator	1	1	1	1	696 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Chauffeurs	1	1	1	1	900 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1 020 00
First Assistant Physician	1	1	1	1	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Assistant Physicians	4	4	5	5	10,006 68	10,800 00	13 320 00	13,320 00
Pathologist	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	2,700 00	2,700 00
Druggist	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Hydro Operators	2	2	2	2	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Surgical Nurse	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Laboratory Technician	----	1	1	1	----------	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Moving Picture Operator	1	1	1	1	90 00	90 00	90 00	90 00
Musician	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	60 00	60 00
Work Therapist	----	1	----	----	----------	1 200 00	----------	----------
Industrial Instructor	----	1	2	2	----------	1,500 00	2,700 00	2 700 00
Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1 560 00	1 560 00
Assistant Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1 080 00	1,080 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Assistant Matron	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Superintendent of Nurses	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00
Nurse—graduate	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,080 00	1 080 00
Attendants	135	142	146	146	112,886 01	119,280 00	124,980 00	124,980 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1 800 00	1 800 00	1,800 00
Machinist	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00	1 440 00
Firemen	4	4	4	4	4,992 57	5 040 00	5,040 00	5,040 00
Electrician	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00
Carpenter	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Carpenter—part time	1	1	----	----	312 00	720 00	----------	----------
Mason	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Painter	1	1	1	1	1 440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00
Plumber	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Landscape Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,077 42	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Farm Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Farm Hands	3	2	2	2	2 006 54	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Auto Truck Driver	----	1	1	1	----------	960 00	960 00	960 00
Tractor Operator	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	660 00	660 00
Poultry and Swine Foreman	1	1	1	1	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Vegetable Gardener	2	2	2	2	2,100 00	2,100 00	2 100 00	2,100 00
Cooks and assistants	6	7	7	7	6,720 19	7,320 00	7,320 00	7,320 00
Meat Cutter	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Baker and Assistant	2	2	2	2	2 400 00	2 400 00	2,400 00	2 400 00
Waitresses	3	4	3	3	2,040 00	2,040 00	2 040 00	2 040 00
Officers' help	4	4	4	4	2,379 53	2,460 00	2 760 00	2,760 00
Deliverymen	2	2	2	2	1 800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Seamstress	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Shoemaker	1	1	1	1	780 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Tailor	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,200 00	1,200 00
Housekeeper	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Upholsterer	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1 320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Laundry help	3	3	3	3	2,568 33	2,580 00	2,580 00	2,580 00
Totals	209	221	229	229	$202,243 94	$217,870 00	$230,530 00	$230,530 00

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AGNEWS STATE HOSPITAL—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Feeding	$149,450 58	$148 000 00	$152,500 00	$152,500 00
Clothing	14,042 69	15 500 00	14,250 00	14,250 00
Housekeeping	4,267 88	4 500 00	4,250 00	4,250 00
Laundry	1,923 48	1,800 00	2,000 00	2 000 00
Medical	2,154 88	2,500 00	2,500 00	2 500 00
Personal (tobacco, etc)	4,637 57	5,000 00	5,200 00	5,200 00
Amusement	214 09	250 00	200 00	200 00
Maintenance of buildings	3,540 87	3,900 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Maintenance of grounds	1,069 78	1,200 00	1,700 00	1 700 00
Light, heat and power	31,290 87	30,500 00	32 650 00	32,650 00
Fire protection	10 40			
Farming (feeds, seeds, etc)	7,550 23	13,600 00	11,000 00	11,000 00
Office stationery and supplies	968 90	800 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Automobile (gas, oil etc)	605 62	700 00	600 00	600 00
Miscellaneous	639 31			
Totals	$223,767 15	$228,250 00	$232,350 00	$232,350 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Maintenance of employees in lieu of board and room	$9,759 05	$5,550 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Medical care	1,070 90	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,400 00
Education	240 00	200 00	300 00	300 00
Amusement (moving pictures)	545 13	750 00	600 00	600 00
Burial of inmates	740 00	800 00	750 00	750 00
Repairs to plant	92 35	1 068 00	800 00	800 00
Repairs to equipment	1,205 18	1,510 00	1 260 00	1,260 00
Light heat and power	5,948 71	6,000 00	8,600 00	8,600 00
Traveling	164 61	300 00	300 00	300 00
Freight, cartage and express	4 963 67	8,500 00	10 000 00	10,000 00
Postage	834 77	750 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Telephone and telegraph	799 08	900 00	900 00	900 00
Leveling and plowing land		1,440 00		
Totals	$26 363 45	$29,168 00	$31,910 00	$31,910 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (crockery kitchen utensils, etc)	$4,318 85	$5,300 00	$4,670 00	$4,670 00
Clothing (sewing machines, etc)	166 04	100 00	150 00	150 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc)	11,762 11	12 500 00	14,500 00	14 500 00
Laundry	778 85	750 00	8,242 50	8 242 50
Medical	856 55	1 000 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Education	202 47	250 00	500 00	500 00
Amusement	80 27	150 00	100 00	100 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc	3,757 44	1 300 00	2,450 00	2 450 00
Fire protection	819 90			
Farming implements, tools, etc	583 69	1,050 00	3,080 00	3,080 00
Office	192 52	300 00	200 00	200 00
Automobile	649 77	200 00	1,050 00	1,050 00
Totals	$24 168 46	$22 900 00	$37,342 50	$37,342 50
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Materials for constructing Women's Industrial Building		$7,000 00		
Improvements to water, fire and electrical systems			$9,750 00	
Reconstruct and complete buildings			19,800 00	
Improvement of roads			1,000 00	
Construct building for male employees			61,000 00	
Equipment for building for male employees			7 000 00	$98,550 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$187,466 57			
Revenue	111,841 73	$112,000 00	$112,000 00	$112,000 00
Totals	$299,308 30	$112,000 00	$112,000 00	$112,000 00
		299,308 30		112,000 00
Totals for biennium		$411,308 30		$224,000 00

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	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	156	165	188	188	$148,029 13	$160,165 00	$183,850 00	$183,850 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	122,681 27	115,280 00	130,998 00	130,998 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	20,904 21	28,887 50	33,870 00	33,870 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	17,888 46	20,242 50	23,425 00	23,425 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$309,503 07	$324,575 00	$372,143 00	$372,143 00
						309,503 07		372,143 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$634,078 07	----------	$744,286 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$59,900 00	----------	$210,200 00
Population	----	----	----	----	1,077	1,125	1,160	1,160
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4 000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1 620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Business Manager (part time)	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	2,400 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Bookkeeper	1	----	1	1	833 07	----------	1,500 00	1,500 00
Assistant Bookkeeper	1	1	----	----	1,095 00	1,320 00	----------	----------
Stenographers	2	2	2	2	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Business Manager's Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Truck Driver	1	1	1	1	951 08	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Telephone Operators	3	3	2	2	2,120 00	2,160 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Inventory Clerk (part time)	----	1	----	----	----------	255 00	----------	----------
First Assistant Physician	1	1	1	1	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Assistant Physicians	3	3	3	3	4,651 36	7,290 00	7,740 00	7,740 00
Druggist	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Surgical Nurse	1	2	3	3	1,140 00	2 220 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Hydrotherapists	2	2	2	2	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Dentist (part time)	----	1	1	1	----------	1,050 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Industrial Instructor	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Moving Picture Operator	1	1	1	1	90 00	90 00	90 00	90 00
Musician (part time)	----	1	1	1	----------	60 00	60 00	60 00
Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Assistant Supervisor	1	1	2	2	1,020 00	1,020 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Assistant Matron	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Attendants	85	89	109	109	71,055 31	74,520 00	93,060 00	93,060 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Firemen	3	3	3	3	2,910 19	3,060 00	3,060 00	3,060 00
Electrician	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Handy man	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Carpenters	2	2	2	2	1,934 20	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Plumbers	2	2	2	2	2,640 00	2,640 00	2 640 00	2,640 00
Painter	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Landscape Gardener	1	1	1	1	890 32	900 00	900 00	900 00
Farm Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Farm Hands	5	7	7	7	3,910 44	5,460 00	5,460 00	5,460 00
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Milkers	3	3	3	3	2,238 77	2,460 00	2,460 00	2,460 00
Hog Ranch (farm hand)	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	900 00	900 00
Poultry man	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Vegetable Gardeners	2	2	2	2	1,920 00	2,040 00	2 040 00	2,040 00
Cooks and Assistants	6	6	8	8	5,904 14	6,420 00	8,340 00	8,340 00
Butcher	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Baker and Assistant	2	2	2	2	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Waitresses	2	2	2	2	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Basement man	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Officer's help	----	1	2	2	----------	660 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Seamstress	1	----	----	----	807 50	----------	----------	----------
Cobbler	1	1	1	1	840 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Upholsterer	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Laundry help	2	2	2	2	1,557 75	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Totals	156	165	188	188	$148,029 13	$160,165 00	$183,850 00	$183,850 00

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MENDOCINO STATE HOSPITAL—(CONTINUED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Feeding	$60,810 30	$67,430 00	$71,210 00	$71,210 00
Clothing	12,031 13	13,000 00	13,728 00	13,728 00
Housekeeping	1,769 56	2,100 00	1,110 00	1,110 00
Laundry	1,532 80	1,500 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Medical	1,320 21	1,300 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Personal (tobacco, etc)	3,395 50	3,600 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Education	18 75			
Amusement	62 10	50 00	150 00	150 00
Maintenance of buildings	6,506 38	2,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Maintenance of grounds	122 06	150 00	250 00	250 00
Light, heat and power	18,311 09	13,900 00	21,000 00	21,000 00
Water	162 55		75 00	75 00
Fire protection	14 00	50 00	50 00	50 00
Farming (seeds, feed, etc)	9,122 16	9,500 00	10,175 00	10,175 00
Office stationery and supplies	636 99	200 00	650 00	650 00
Automobile (gas, oil, etc)	657 44	500 00	500 00	500 00
Miscellaneous	208 25			
Totals	$122,681 27	$115,280 00	$130,998 00	$130,998 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Maintenance of employees, in lieu of room and board	$5,657 04	$6,400 00	$6,380 00	$6,380 00
Medical	3 33	200 00	50 00	50 00
Education	18 00	75 00	150 00	150 00
Amusement (moving picture)	336 49	570 00	500 00	500 00
Repairs to equipment	132 23	350 00	125 00	125 00
Harvesting crops	1,198 83	1,700 00	1,575 00	1,575 00
Light, heat and power	4,355 58	4,950 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Traveling	426 01	760 00	950 00	950 00
Postage	380 00	475 00	500 00	500 00
Telephone and telegraph	729 05	900 00	840 00	840 00
Freight, cartage and express	7,605 15	12,507 50	16,000 00	16,000 00
Miscellaneous	62 50			
Extraordinary repairs			1,800 00	1,800 00
Totals	$20,904 21	$28,887 50	$33,870 00	$33,870 00
EQUIPMENT.				
Feeding (crockery, kitchen utensils, etc)	$1,261 29	$2,000 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Clothing (sewing machines, etc)	316 11		250 00	250 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc)	8,254 79	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Laundry	648 80	500 00	475 00	475 00
Medical	871 38	500 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Education			250 00	250 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc	4,161 79	4,400 00	5,212 50	5,212 50
Fire protection	557 88	100 00	337 50	337 50
Farming implements, tools, etc	1,345 22	1,842 50	1,850 00	1,850 00
Office	174 39	400 00	250 00	250 00
Automobile	167 97	500 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Miscellaneous	128 84			
Totals	$17,888 46	$20,242 50	$23,425 00	$23,425 00

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MENDOCINO STATE HOSPITAL—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS		$59,900 00		$210,200 00
Replaster and paint ranch ward	$3,700 00			
Remodel Wards A, B, C, 4, 5 and 6	45,000 00			
Replastering Assembly Hall	5,500 00			
Brick paint shop	3,500 00			
Carpenter shop	2,200 00			
Construct and equip boiler house			$49,000 00	
Construct and improve farm buildings			8,500 00	
Remodel basement for patients and employees			4 000 00	
Concrete pipe line at farm			1,200 00	
Four cottages for patients			132,000 00	
Equip and furnish same			15,000 00	
Iron guards for radiators in wards			500 00	

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$198,584 85			
Revenue	26,234 47	$27,000 00	$27,000 00	$27,000 00
Totals	$224,819 32	$27,000 00 224 819 32	$27,000 00	$27,000 00 27,000 00
Totals for biennium		$251,819 32		$54,000 00

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NAPA STATE HOSPITAL.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	335	333	348	348	$314,407 01	$317,600 00	$332,440 00	$332,440 00
Materials and supplies					241,387 84	259,700 00	267,000 00	267,000 00
Service and expense					33,032 61	31,800 00	30,100 00	30,100 00
Equipment					28,985 73	31,070 00	36,050 00	28,450 00
Totals					$617,813 19	$640,170 00 617,813 19	$665,590 00	$657,990 00 665,590 00
Totals for biennium						$1,257,983 19		$1,323,580 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements						$55,460 00		$49,000 00
Population					2,609	2,650	2,700	2,750
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Business Manager (pro rata)	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Bookkeeper and Assistant	2	2	2	2	2,820 00	2,880 00	3,120 00	3,120 00
Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Stenographers	3	3	3	3	2,839 28	3,000 00	2,760 00	2,760 00
Porter-Messenger	1	1	1	1	840 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Mail clerk	1				300 00			
File Clerk	1	1	1	1	240 00	240 00	240 00	240 00
Telephone Operators	2	2	2	2	1,434 19	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Chauffeur-Mechanic (pro rata)	1	1	1	1	1,359 67	900 00	900 00	900 00
Truck Driver	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00

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NAPA STATE HOSPITAL—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Assistant Business Manager (pro rata)	----	1	1	1	----------	$360 00	$360 00	$360 00
Chauffeur	----	1	1	1	----------	900 00	900 00	900 00
Watchman	----	1	1	1	----------	300 00	300 00	300 00
First Assistant Physician	1	1	1	1	$3 240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Assistant Physicians	6	6	6	6	15,480 00	15,840 00	16,020 00	16,020 00
Internes	2	2	2	2	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Dentist	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Laboratory-Technician	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Nurses	3	3	3	3	3,038 36	3,120 00	3,120 00	3,120 00
Clinical Stenographers	4	4	3	3	3,120 00	3,840 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Clinical Clerks (patients)	2	2	1	1	300 00	300 00	240 00	240 00
Druggist	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Occupational Therapist	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Assistant Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Assistant Matron	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Attendants	208	205	213	213	174,400 97	172,000 00	180,000 00	180,000 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Firemen	3	3	3	3	3,780 00	3,780 00	3,780 00	3,780 00
Mechanic	1	1	1	1	1,154 86	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Electrician	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Steamfitter	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Laborers (patients)	2	2	2	2	240 00	240 00	240 00	240 00
Carpenters	4	4	5	5	5,675 09	5,880 00	7,440 00	7,440 00
Mason	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Concrete worker	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Painters	2	2	3	3	2,880 00	3,000 00	4,440 00	4,440 00
Plumber	1	1	2	2	1,440 00	1,440 00	2,880 00	2 880 00
Tinsmith	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Landscape Gardener	1	2	2	2	1,080 00	1,920 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1 620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Milkers	8	8	8	8	7,262 08	7,380 00	7,500 00	7,500 00
Deliveryman (patient)	1	1	1	1	15 00	60 00	60 00	60 00
Farmer	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Farm Hands (part time)	6	6	11	11	5,109 68	5,040 00	6,720 00	6,720 00
Blacksmith	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Parole Officer (pro rata)	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	900 00	900 00
Laborer (patient)	1	1	1	1	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
Orchardist	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Vegetable Gardeners	2	2	2	2	1,860 00	1 860 00	1,860 00	1,860 00
Swine Foreman	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Poultry Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Tractor Operator	1	1	*1	1	1,207 77	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Cooks and Assistants	10	10	11	11	10,535 05	10,800 00	11,400 00	11,400 00
Butcher	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Baker and Assistants	3	3	3	3	3,660 00	3,660 00	3,660 00	3,660 00
Kitchen Help	2	2	2	2	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Butter-room man (patient)	1	1	1	1	60 00	60 00	60 00	60 00
Officers Help	2	2	2	2	1,320 00	1,320 00	840 00	840 00
Waitresses	3	4	4	4	2 340 00	3,180 00	3,180 00	3,180 00
Food Truck Driver	1	1	1	1	900 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Shoemaker	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,320 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Tailor	1	1	1	1	944 00	960 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Seamstress	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Housekeeper and Assistant	2	2	1	1	1,428 38	1,620 00	720 00	720 00
Upholsterer	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Laundry Help	7	7	7	7	6,090 63	6,120 00	6,120 00	6,120 00
Totals	345	333	348	348	$314,407 01	$317,600 00	$332,440 00	$332,440 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Feeding					$148,055 97	$155,000 00	$162,500 00	$162,500 00
Clothing					19,150 17	22,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
Housekeeping					3,079 71	2,500 00	2,750 00	2,750 00
Laundry					2,234 58	2,500 00	2,650 00	2,650 00
Medical					6,366 49	7,000 00	7,075 00	7,075 00
Personal (tobacco, etc)					4,325 36	4,500 00	4,875 00	4,875 00
Amusement					71 10	100 00	50 00	50 00
Maintenance of buildings					15,923 15	20,000 00	21,150 00	21,150 00
Maintenance of grounds					284 47	400 00	350 00	350 00
Light, heat and power					25,454 59	26,600 00	27,500 00	27,500 00
Water					201 55	400 00	200 00	200 00
Farming (feeds, seeds, etc)					13,339 63	15,500 00	15,000 00	15,000 00

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NAPA STATE HOSPITAL—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES—Cont				
Office stationery and supplies	$1,122 41	$1,200 00	$925 00	$925 00
Automobile (gas, oil, etc)	1,778 66	2,000 00	1,975 00	1,975 00
Totals	$241,387 84	$259,700 00	$267,000 00	$267,000 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Maintenance of employees in lieu of board and room	$9,577 03	$10,000 00	$9,900 00	$9,900 00
Medical care	90 29	280 00	100 00	100 00
Education	530 00	520 00	520 00	520 00
Amusement (moving pictures, etc)	113 52	250 00	180 00	180 00
Repairs to plant	834 22	200 00	125 00	125 00
Repairs to equipment	1,196 58	1,350 00	550 00	550 00
Light, heat and power	14,311 02	12,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Water	1,088 59	600 00	875 00	875 00
Harvesting crops	949 94	1,050 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Traveling	341 90	350 00	900 00	900 00
Postage	990 12	1,600 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Telephone and telegraph	1,549 65	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Freight, cartage and express	1,459 75	2,000 00	2,850 00	2,850 00
Totals	$33,032 61	$31,800 00	$30,100 00	$30,100 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (crockery, kitchen utensils, etc)	$5,104 97	$4,200 00	$6,000 00	$5,800 00
Clothing (sewing machines, etc)	82 61	100 00	600 00	100 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc)	10,247 60	14,000 00	12 500 00	12,500 00
Laundry	310 62	500 00	2,950 00	2,950 00
Medical	660 89	800 00	1,100 00	600 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc	4,519 42	5,900 00	5,250 00	4,050 00
Water pipe	1 152 80			
Fire protection	1,319 66	200 00	700 00	
Farming implements, tools, live stock, etc	3,359 03	2,490 00	3,250 00	1,750 00
Office	390 18	550 00	200 00	200 00
Automobile	1,837 95	1,730 00	3,500 00	500 00
Totals	$28,985 73	$31,070 00	$36,050 00	$28,450 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS		$55,460 00		$49,000 00
Construction of cottage	$45,000 00			
New well	2,500 00			
Paint shop	2,000 00			
Six-inch pipe line	5,960 00			
Construction Nurses Home			$25,000 00	
Construction farm buildings and blacksmith shop			8,500 00	
Oil pipe line			8,000 00	
Water supply			7,500 00	

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$198,398 87			
Revenue	119,246 51	$120,000 00	$120,000 00	$120,000 00
Totals	$317,645 38	$120,000 00	$120,000 00	$120,000 00
		317,645 38		120,000 00
Totals for biennium		$437,645 38		$240,000 00

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NORWALK STATE HOSPITAL

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	134	135	175	205	$128 571 91	$131,560 00	$167,875 00	$192,690 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	86,559 57	105,300 00	134,259 00	134,259 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	17,040 92	19,000 00	23,750 00	23,750 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	16,391 29	21,500 00	31,320 00	26,420 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$248,563 69	$277,360 00	$357,204 00	$377,119 00
						248,563 69		357,204 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$525,923 69	----------	$734,323 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	----------	$468,975 00
Population	----	----	----	----	855	1,100	1,322	1,547
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Business Manager	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2 400 00	2,400 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1 020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Stenographers	3	3	3	3	3,152 67	3,060 00	3,060 00	3,060 00
Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Mail Carrier	1	1	1	1	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
Clerk (patient)	----	1	1	1	----------	240 00	240 00	240 00
Telephone Operators	2	2	2	2	1,378 13	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Truck Drivers	2	2	2	2	1,502 58	2,040 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
First Assistant Physician	1	1	1	1	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Assistant Physicians	3	3	3	3	7 380 00	7,560 00	7,815 00	8,010 00
Surgical Nurse	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Hydrotherapist	1	2	2	2	288 99	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Dentist (part time)	----	1	1	1	----------	720 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Pharmacist	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,800 00	1,800 00
Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1 260 00	1,260 00	1 260 00	1,260 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1 260 00
Attendants	79	77	103	133	66,756 39	65,340 00	84,000 00	108,500 00
Industrial Teachers	2	2	2	2	1,977 32	2,100 00	2,340 00	2,340 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1 800 00	1,800 00
Assistant Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Firemen	1	1	1	1	824 22	900 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Handyman	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1 080 00	1,080 00
Carpenter	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1 320 00	1,320 00
Carpenter (patient)	1	1	1	1	16 67	120 00	120 00	120 00
Plumber	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 320 00	1,320 00
Landscape Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1 200 00	1,320 00
Milker	1	1	1	1	759 94	900 00	900 00	900 00
Farmer	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Farm Hands	4	4	3	3	2,570 19	3,120 00	2,340 00	2,340 00
Vegetable Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Cooks and Assistants	7	7	7	7	6,388 88	6 480 00	6,960 00	6,960 00
Baker	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,320 00	1 320 00
Kitchen Helper	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Waitresses	2	2	2	2	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Seamstress	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Housekeeper	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Laundry Help	2	2	2	2	1,555 93	1 560 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Parole Officer (half time)	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	900 00	900 00
Night Matron	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,020 00	1,020 00
Assistant Supervisor	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,020 00	1,020 00
Night Supervisor	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,020 00	1,020 00
Butcher	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	900 00	900 00
Waitress	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	600 00	600 00
Shoemaker	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,320 00	1,320 00
Maid for Superintendent	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	600 00	600 00
Laundry Help	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	780 00	780 00
Painter	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,320 00	1,320 00
Mason and Plasterer	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,320 00	1,320 00
Poultryman	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	960 00	960 00
Tractor Operator	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	600 00	600 00
Milker	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	900 00	900 00
Totals	134	135	175	205	$128,571 91	$131,560 00	$167,875 00	$192,690 00

CURATIVE.

NORWALK STATE HOSPITAL—(CONTINUED.)

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Feeding	$44 609 21	$62,750 00	$75 000 00	$75,000 00
Clothing	9 001 90	9 750 00	14,456 50	14,456 50
Housekeeping	2,198 64	2,900 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Laundry	1 409 05	2 000 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Medical	1,775 04	2,800 00	3 554 00	3,554 00
Personal (tobacco, etc)	1,610 72	1,600 00	2,036 00	2,036 00
Amusement	12 06	100 00	100 00	100 00
Maintenance of buildings	5,446 41	4,300 00	6,092 50	6,092 50
Maintenance of grounds	2,742 69	3,500 00	2,590 00	2,500 00
Light heat and power	2,694 97	3,500 00	4,000 00	4 000 00
Farming (feed, seeds, etc)	13,097 15	9,500 00	18,020 00	18 020 00
Fire protection	258 80	----------	----------	----------
Office stationery and supplies	893 54	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Automobile (gas, oil, etc)	793 05	1,100 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Miscellaneous	16 34	----------	----------	----------
Totals	$86,559 77	$105 300 00	$134,259 00	$134,259 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Maintenance of employees in lieu of room and board	$385 46	$500 00	$800 00	$800 00
Medical	504 13	500 00	500 00	500 00
Education	225 00	400 00	300 00	300 00
Amusement (moving pictures, etc)	100 00	100 00	200 00	200 00
Light, heat and power	10,941 64	12 000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00
Repairs to equipment	612 22	850 00	400 00	400 00
Harvesting crops	582 89	500 00	850 00	850 00
Traveling	1,423 57	250 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Postage	600 00	900 00	750 00	750 00
Telephone and telegraph	551 14	720 00	750 00	750 00
Freight, cartage and express	1,114 87	2,000 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Repairs to plant	----------	200 00	200 00	200 00
Miscellaneous	----------	80 00	----------	----------
Totals	$17,040 92	$19,000 00	$23,750 00	$23,750 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (crockery, utensils, etc)	$3,718 64	$3,673 99	$6,270 00	$4,270 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc)	8,427 64	10,393 51	10 000 00	10 000 00
Laundry	108 95	632 50	4,500 00	4,500 00
Medical	485 75	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Education	5 02	----------	----------	----------
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc	1,974 04	2,000 00	2,020 00	2,020 00
Farming implements, tools, etc	882 19	3,000 00	4,070 00	4,070 00
Office	421 05	150 00	200 00	200 00
Automobile	321 00	300 00	3,260 00	360 00
Miscellaneous	47 01	50 00	----------	----------
Totals	$16 391 29	$21,500 00	$31,320 00	$26,420 00

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NORWALK STATE HOSPITAL—(CONCLUDED)

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				$468,975 00
Construct three (3) buildings			$400,000 00	
Furnishings and equipment for same			48,200 00	
Lighting system			2,000 00	
Septic tank			8,375 00	
Smokestack			5,400 00	
Poultry plant			5,000 00	

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$80,077 32			
Revenue	33,730 51	$48,000 00	$49,500 00	$49,500 00
Totals	$113,807 83	$48,000 00	$49,500 00	$49,500 00
		113,807 83		49,500 00
Totals for biennium		$161,807 83		$99,000 00

CURATIVE.

PACIFIC COLONY AT SPADRA.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages			26	39			$29,500 00	$41,500 00
Materials and supplies							21,975 00	29,775 00
Service and expense							8,325 00	11,375 00
Equipment							3,275 00	4,275 00
Totals							$63,075 00	$86,925 00
								63 075 00
Totals for biennium								$150 000 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements								$410,167 00
Population							175	225
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent			1	1			$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Business Secretary			1	1			1 620 00	1,620 00
Stenographer			1	1			1,200 00	1,200 00
Telephone Operator			1	1			720 00	720 00
Graduate Nurse				1				1 080 00
Dentist, part time			1	1			840 00	840 00
Matron			1	1			1,200 00	1,200 00
Head Attendants			1	4			900 00	3,600 00
Night Attendants			2	4			1,800 00	3,600 00
Assistant Attendants			4	8			3,360 00	6,720 00
Chief Cook			1	1			1,320 00	1,320 00
Assistant Cook			1	1			1,020 00	1,020 00
Baker			1	1			1,200 00	1,200 00
Kitchen Help			1	1			720 00	720 00
Cook Maid for Superintendent			1	1			720 00	720 00
Seamstress			1	1			900 00	900 00
Janitor			1	1			660 00	660 00
Laundryman			1	1			1,080 00	1,080 00
Assistant Laundryman				1				900 00
General Mechanic			1	1			1,320 00	1 320 00
Landscape Gardener			1	1			1,200 00	1,200 00
Chief Engineer			1	1			1,620 00	1,620 00
Assistant Engineer				1				1,140 00
Head Farmer			1	1			1,320 00	1,320 00
Farm Hand			1	1			780 00	780 00
Hog and Poultryman				1				1,020 00
Totals			26	39			$29,500 00	$41,500 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Feeding							$15,000 00	$20,000 00
Clothing							2 500 00	3,000 00
Housekeeping							750 00	750 00
Laundry							600 00	600 00
Medical care							787 50	787 50
Personal care (tobacco, etc)							225 00	225 00
Education and amusement							112 50	112 50
Repairs to building							250 00	1 550 00
Maintenance of grounds							150 00	150 00
Light, heat and power							500 00	1,500 00
Fire protection							150 00	150 00
Farming (feeds, etc)							500 00	500 00
Office supplies							225 00	225 00
Auto (gas, oil, etc)							225 00	225 00
Totals							$21,975 00	$29,775 00

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PACIFIC COLONY AT SPADRA—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Allowance in lieu of board and room			$625 00	$1,125 00
Medical care			300 00	600 00
Education and amusement			225 00	225 00
Repairs to plant			375 00	375 00
Repairs to equipment			150 00	150 00
Postage			225 00	225 00
Telephone and telegraph			300 00	300 00
Freight, cartage and express			1,000 00	1,250 00
Traveling			300 00	300 00
Farming			450 00	450 00
Light, heat and power			4,375 00	6,375 00
Totals			$8,325 00	$11,375 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding			$900 00	$900 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc.)			500 00	1,500 00
Medical care			150 00	150 00
Education			75 00	75 00
Machinery, tools electric bulbs, etc			500 00	500 00
Farming implements			700 00	700 00
Office equipment			150 00	150 00
Automobile			300 00	300 00
Totals			$3,275 00	$4,275 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Construction of building			$280,000 00	
Machinery and equipment for building			89,329 00	
Subway, roads and bridges			25,000 00	
Steam service			15,838 00	$410,167 00

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	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	239	252	262	264	$201,612 53	$222,400 00	$237,700 00	$240,340 00
Materials and supplies					191,264 58	226,000 00	223,605 00	223,605 00
Service and expense					17,048 86	30,058 55	25,150 00	25,150 00
Equipment					31,852 04	42,480 00	50,865 00	50,865 00
Totals					$441,778 01	$520,938 55	$537,320 00	$539,960 00
						441,778 01		537,320 00
Totals for biennium						$962,716 56		$1,077,280 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements						$109,500 00		$110,500 00
Population					1,682	1,800	2,200	2,200
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$3,999 96	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Secretary to Superintendent	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Business manager	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Clerk to Business Manager	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Bookkeepers	2	2	2	2	2,508 31	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Auto Mechanic	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Auto Truck Driver	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Outside Messenger	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Telephone Operator	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Baker	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Cooks	7	7	8	8	6,564 50	6,480 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Butcher	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Waitresses	2	2	2	2	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Dishwasher	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Seamstresses	3	3	3	3	2,487 50	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Shoemaker	1	1	1	1	780 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Upholsterer and Embalmer	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Janitresses	2	2	2	2	811 75	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Laundry	5	5	5	5	3,770 71	4 098 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Supervisor, Assistant	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Matron, Assistant	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Nightwatchmen	2	2	2	2	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Attendants	110	118	120	122	87,230 75	97,764 00	104,160 00	106,800 00
Dentist		1	1	1		1,050 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Druggist	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Physicians, Assistant	3	3	4	4	7,920 00	8,460 00	11,160 00	11,160 00
Nurses	7	7	8	8	8,484 08	8,700 00	8,700 00	8,700 00
Stenographer, Clinical	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Teachers	8	11	11	11	10,914 87	15 240 00	15,240 00	15,240 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Operator, Moving Picture Machine	1	1	1	1	90 00	90 00	90 00	90 00
Parole Officers	1	2	2	2	780 64	2,100 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Carpenters	4	3	3	3	5,240 00	4,080 00	4,080 00	4,080 00
Cement Worker	1	1	2	2	1,320 00	1,320 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Handyman	1	1			900 00	900 00		
Plumber		1	1	1		1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Painters	3	3	3	3	3,324 08	3,660 00	3,660 00	3,660 00
Landscape Gardeners	2	2	4	4	2,075 86	2,931 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Firemen	5	4	4	4	5,684 40	4,560 00	4,560 00	4,560 00
Repair Worker	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Inmate Help					1,155 00	1,155 00	2,088 00	2,088 00

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SONOMA STATE HOME—(CONTINUED)

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Steamfitter	1	1			$1,440 00	$1,440 00		
Electrician		1	1	1		300 00	$1,440 00	$1,440 00
Utility man	1	1	1	1	325 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Milkers	2	2	2	2	1 775 79	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Farmers and Orchard Help	37	37	41	41	8,344 25	7,692 00	10,542 00	10,542 00
Poultryman	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Gardeners	2	2	2	2	1,750 08	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Tractor Operator	1	1	1	1	675 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Totals	239	252	262	264	*$201,612 53*	*$222,400 00*	*$237,700 00*	*$240,340 00*
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Feeding					$98,597 73	$107,885 36	$116,345 00	$116,345 00
Clothing					23,282 56	31,205 00	27,475 00	27,475 00
Housekeeping					3,255 02	4,200 00	3,840 00	3,840 00
Laundry					3,492 98	3,300 00	4,120 00	4,120 00
Medical care					4,387 13	7,345 00	5,180 00	5,180 00
Personal care					520 09	514 64	615 00	615 00
Education					341 93	1,000 00	400 00	400 00
Amusement					67 80	500 00	100 00	100 00
Maintenance of buildings					*12,514 99*	*14,625 00*	*14,750 00*	*14,750 00*
Maintenance of grounds					52 60	150 00	100 00	100 00
Light, heat and power					20,671 61	32,400 00	24,500 00	24,500 00
Fire protection					594 70	30 00	700 00	700 00
Dairy					10 697 99			
Farm and orchard					3,898 04	21,355 00	22,500 00	22,500 00
Hog ranch					116 00			
Poultry ranch					6,218 31			
Vegetable garden					38 19			
Officers					1,248 34	1,150 00	1,480 00	1,480 00
Automobile					1,067 27	940 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Miscellaneous					202 20			
Totals					$191,264 58	$226,000 00	$223,605 00	$223,605 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Maintenance of employees in lieu of room and board					$4,129 99	$5,720 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00
Medical care					677 17	1,300 00	800 00	800 00
Personal care					81 92	175 00	100 00	100 00
Education					545 93	500 00	650 00	650 00
Amusement (moving pictures)					334 73	450 00	400 00	400 00
Traveling					364 12	1,100 00	2,600 00	2,600 00
Repairs to plant					29 00	175 00	100 00	100 00
Repairs to equipment					573 56	650 00	600 00	600 00
Light, heat and power					5,577 27	9,280 00	6,700 00	6,700 00
Postage					*831 53*	*1,050 00*	*900 00*	*900 00*
Telephone and telegraph					934 53	1,150 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Freight, cartage and express					2,969 11	8,508 55	6,500 00	6,500 00
Totals					$17,048 86	$30,058 55	$25,150 00	$25,150 00
EQUIPMENT								
Feeding (crockery, kitchen utensils, etc)					$4,411 83	$6,488 00	$7,190 00	$7,190 00
Clothing (sewing machines, etc)						1,000 00	850 00	850 00
Housekeeping (blankets, etc)					13,429 06	12,500 00	16,350 00	16,350 00
Laundry					*430 66*	*700 00*	*3,250 00*	*3,250 00*
Medical care					415 35	2,000 00	750 00	750 00
Education					560 61		900 00	900 00
Amusement					113 99		200 00	200 00
Machinery tools, electric bulbs, etc					7,637 82	4,600 00	12,100 00	12,100 00
Fire protection					135 04		600 00	600 00
Farming implements, tools, etc					3,744 93	3,000 00	5,425 00	5,425 00
Office					363 18	512 00	750 00	750 00
Automobile					478 61	3,600 00	2,500 00	2 500 00
Miscellaneous					130 96			
Auditorium and school furnishings						7,400 00		
Auditorium stage equipment						680 00		
Totals					*$31,852 04*	*$42,480 00*	*$50,865 00*	*$50,865 00*

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SONOMA STATE HOME—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS		$109,500 00		$110,500 00
Alterations, receiving hospital, etc	$2,500 00			
Cottage for officers with furnishings	7 000 00			
Cottage for employees with furnishings	7,500 00			
Two cottages for inmates with furnishings	75,000 00			
Storeroom for flour at bakery	7,500 00			
Reflooring buildings	5,000 00			
Additions to sewers	5,000 00			
One cottage and equipment for inmates			$65,000 00	
Reconstruct farm buildings			10,000 00	
Complete electric system			25,000 00	
Complete sewage disposal plant			3,000 00	
Bake oven			2,500 00	
Garages for employees			5,000 00	

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$100,524 76			
Revenue	52,990 90	$53,000 00	$53 000 00	$53,000 00
Totals	$153,515 66	$53 000 00	$53,000 00	$53,000 00
		153,515 66		53,000 00
Totals for biennium		$206,515 66		$106,000 00

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA STATE HOSPITAL AT PATTON.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	294	306	336	336	$282,067 97	$296,910 00	$327,760 00	$327,760 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	218,335 59	225,585 00	234,045 00	234 045 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	-	30,080 01	39,950 00	33,320 00	33,320 00
Equipment	---	----	--	----	22 241 36	23,550 00	29,900 00	29,900 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$552,724 93	$585,995 00	$625,025 00	$625 025 00
						552,724 93		625,025 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----	$1,138,719 93	----	$1,250,050 00
Totals appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----	$98,000 00	----	$235,500 00
Population	----	----	----	----	2,284	2,400	2,450	2,550
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$3,999 96	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Business Manager	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Assistant Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Stenographers	4	4	4	4	3,449 74	4,040 00	4,080 00	4,080 00
Usher	1	1	1	1	*900 00*	*900 00*	*1,020 00*	*1,020 00*
Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Assistant Storekeeper and Clerk	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Day Telephone Operator	1	1	1	1	695 56	750 00	900 00	900 00
Truck and Tractor Drivers	2	2	2	2	2,040 00	2,250 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Assistant Physician	1	1	1	1	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Assistant Physicians	3	6	6	6	6,078 75	16,200 00	16,200 00	16,200 00
Assistant Physicians	3	1	1	1	7,560 00	2,625 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Assistant Physicians	2	----	1	1	4,680 00	----------	2,340 00	2,340 00
Druggist	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Dentist	*1*	*1*	*1*	*1*	*1,750 00*	*2,100 00*	*2,400 00*	*2,400 00*
Art Class Teacher	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Assistant Supervisors	2	2	2	2	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Assistant Matrons	3	3	3	3	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Attendant and Embalmer	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Day Attendants	31	32	32	32	27 900 00	28,800 00	28,800 00	28,800 00
Night Attendants	43	45	53	53	38 700 00	40,500 00	47,700 00	47,700 00
Assistant Attendants	83	86	102	102	69,153 61	72,240 00	85,680 00	85,680 00
Assistant Attendants	27	28	33	33	*21,060 00*	*21 840 00*	*25,740 00*	*25,740 00*
Assistant Attendants	7	8	6	6	5,040 00	5,760 00	4,320 00	4,320 00
Assistant Attendants	9	9	9	9	5,760 00	5,760 00	6,120 00	6.120 00
Parole Officer	----	1	1	1	----------	900 00	900 00	900 00
Carpenters	2	2	2	2	1,979 83	1,980 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Mason	1	1	1	1	1 440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Painter	1	2	2	2	1,440 00	1,965 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Plumber	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00
Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Assistant Engineers	3	2	2	2	3,000 00	2,880 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Firemen	2	2	3	3	*2,280 00*	*2,280 00*	*3,180 00*	*3,180 00*
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1 440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Assistant Dairyman	2	2	2	2	1,997 50	2,040 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
Farmer Head	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Blacksmith	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Farm Hands	11	13	13	13	8,431 88	10,140 00	10,140 00	10,140 00
Hostler and Pigman	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Poultryman	1	1	1	1	1 063 86	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Gardener	1	2	2	2	1,098 61	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Cook	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Assistant Cook	1	1	1	1	*1 140 00*	*1,140 00*	*1,140 00*	*1,140 00*
Assistant Cooks	2	2	2	2	1 879 28	2,040 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
Assistant Cooks	2	2	3	3	1,800 00	1,800 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Baker	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Assistant Baker	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Butcher	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Waitress	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Basementman	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA STATE HOSPITAL AT PATTON—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Staff Waitress	1	1	1	1	$660 00	$660 00	$660 00	$660 00
Staff Cook	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Superintent's Help	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
First Assistant Physician's Help	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Shoemaker	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Seamstress	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Assistant Seamstress	1	1	1	1	840 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Tailor	1	1	1	1	622 84	720 00	720 00	720 00
Industrial Department Man	1	1	1	1	1,175 10	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Industrial Teacher	1	2	2	2	1,020 00	2,040 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Assistant Laundryman	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Laundry Help	6	6	6	6	4,991 45	5,040 00	5,040 00	5,040 00
Totals	294	306	336	336	$282,067 97	$296,910 00	$327,760 00	$327,760 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Feeding					$130,908 03	$137,570 00	$138,788 25	$138 788 25
Clothing					12,602 67	12,255 00	14,606 00	14,606 00
Housekeeping					8,499 86	9,000 00	8,905 00	8,905 00
Laundry					2,063 80	1,460 00	2,167 50	2,167 50
Dental					252 05	250 00	281 52	281 52
Medical					2,828 67	2,900 00	3,175 26	3,175 26
Personal (tobacco, etc)					5,049 21	5,000 00	5,615 50	5,615 50
Education and amusement					125 53	150 00	158 72	158 72
Repairs to buildings					7,136 86	8,000 00	7,726 50	7,726 50
Maintenance of grounds					299 59	250 00	331 50	331 50
Light, heat and power					21,960 86	22,000 00	24,199 50	24,199 50
Farming (feeds seeds, etc)					24,171 59	24,000 00	25,545 75	25,545 75
Office supplies					699 26	850 00	744 00	744 00
Auto and trucks (gas oil, etc)					1,737 61	1,900 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Totals					$218,335 59	$225,585 00	$234,045 00	$234,045 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Allowances in lieu of board and room					$5,727 24	$6,020 00	$6,550 00	$6,550 00
Medical					28 00	150 00	550 00	550 00
Personal					1,523 18	1,500 00	50 00	50 00
Education and amusement (moving pictures, etc)					230 00	240 00	525 00	525 00
Repairs to plant					27 75	240 00	170 00	170 00
Repairs to equipment					11,368 83	12,000 00	12,100 00	12,100 00
Postage					965 00	1,000 00	1 000 00	1,000 00
Telephone and telegraph					359 91	400 00	500 00	500 00
Freight, cartage and express					2,342 55	10,000 00	7,500 00	7 500 00
Traveling					5,104 87	6,000 00	1,875 00	1,875 00
Farming					2,402 68	2 400 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Totals					$30,080 01	$39,950 00	$33,320 00	$33,320 00
EQUIPMENT								
Feeding (kitchen utensils, etc)					$4,769 55	$5,000 00	$6,250 00	$6,250 00
Clothing (sewing machines, etc)					21 83	50 00	100 00	100 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc)					9,794 92	10,700 00	11 250 00	11,250 00
Laundry					18 79	50 00	125 00	125 00
Dental					30 25	50 00	100 00	100 00
Medical					636 66	650 00	1,050 00	1 050 00
Education and amusement					6 25	50 00	375 00	375 00
Machinery tools, electric bulbs					3,010 07	3,150 00	4,100 00	4,100 00
Farm machinery					1 540 41	1,500 00	3,750 00	3,750 00
Office equipment					551 25	550 00	600 00	600 00
Automobile and trucks					1,861 38	1 800 00	2,200 00	2 200 00
Totals					$22,241 36	$23,550 00	$29,900 00	$29,900 00

CURATIVE.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA STATE HOSPITAL AT PATTON—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS		$98,000 00		$235,500 00
Two patients' cottages (65 beds each)	$48 000 00			
Dairy and piggery equipment	20,000 00			
New flooring and repairs to wards	30,000 00			
Completion East and West wing			$170,000 00	
Equipment, East and West wing			2,500 00	
Equipment, fire protection			1,000 00	
Imhoff tank			25,000 00	
Remodeling Ward 10 and employees' quarters			37,000 00	

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$117,696 44			
Revenue	99,278 17	$100,000 00	$100,000 00	$100 000 00
Totals	$216,974 61	$100,000 00	$100,000 00	$100,000 00
		216,974 61		100,000 00
Totals for biennium		$316,974 61		$200,000 00

CURATIVE.

STOCKTON STATE HOSPITAL.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	325	352	347	347	$307,600 84	$344,465 00	$349,820 00	$349,820 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	237,769 16	239,200 00	257,150 00	257,150 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	59,127 30	71,154 75	71,400 00	71,400 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	31,581 43	34,500 00	35,900 00	35,900 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$636,078 73	$689,319 75	$714,270 00	$714,270 00
						636,078 73		714,270 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$1,325,398 48	----------	$1,428 540 00
Totals appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$177,200 00	----------	$109,050 00
Population	----	----	----	----	2,732	2,782	2,900	2,900
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Business Manager	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Accountant	2	2	2	2	2,820 00	2,820 00	2,820 00	2,820 00
Storekeeper	2	2	2	2	2,580 00	2,580 00	2 880 00	2 880 00
Stenographers and Clerks	3	3	3	3	3,480 00	3 480 00	3,480 00	3,480 00
Inventory Clerk (3 months)	1	1	----	----	175 16	225 00	----------	----------
Telephone Operators	2	2	3	3	800 00	1,020 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Chauffeurs and Truck Drivers	2	2	2	2	2,100 00	2,220 00	2 220 00	2,220 00
First Assistant Physician	1	1	1	1	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Assistant Physician	7	7	7	7	*16,637 25*	*18,900 00*	*18,900 00*	*18,900 00*
Pathologist	1	1	1	1	2 700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Dentist	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Apothecary	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00	1 500 00
Laboratory Technician	----	1	1	1	----------	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Hydro and Masseur Operators	2	2	2	2	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Surgical Nurse	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Laboratory Assistant	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clerical Stenographers	2	2	2	2	1,860 00	1,860 00	1,860 00	1,860 00
Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1 500 00
Assistant Supervisor	1	1	5	5	1,080 00	1,080 00	5 280 00	5,280 00
Matron	1	1	2	2	1,500 00	1,500 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Assistant Matron	1	1	3	3	1,080 00	1,080 00	3,120 00	3,120 00
Attendants	189	207	188	188	148,095 36	173,505 00	159,420 00	159,420 00
Head Nurses	2	2	----	----	2 580 00	2,580 00	----------	----------
Nurses	5	5	6	6	4 800 00	4,800 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Nightwatchmen	2	2	2	2	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Teacher	1	1	3	3	1,124 37	1 140 00	3,300 00	3 300 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1 800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Assistant Engineer and Refrigeration	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00
Assistant Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Stationary Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Stationary Engineers	4	4	4	4	4,463 78	4 800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
General Mechanic and Crematory operator	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Electrician	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Carpenter	----	1	----	----	----------	360 00	----------	----------
Handyman	----	1	----	----	----------	255 00	----------	----------
Landscape Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,040 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Carpenters	2	2	3	3	2,880 00	2,880 00	4,320 00	4,320 00
Painters	1	2	3	3	1,3?0 56	2,880 00	4 320 00	4,320 00
Plasterer and Cement Worker	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00
Assistant Plaster and Cement Worker	1	1	1	1	120 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Plumber	1	1	2	2	1,440 00	1,440 00	2 880 00	2,880 00
Tinsmith	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Sewer Tender	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1 740 00	1 740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Milker and Machine Operators	2	2	2	2	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Milker (patient)	1	1	1	1	120 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Tailor	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,440 00	1,440 00
Cannery Help (6 months)	----	----	2	2	----------	----------	900 00	900 00
After care field work	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,800 00	1 800 00
Farm Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00

CURATIVE.

STOCKTON STATE HOSPITAL—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Farm Foreman, Sherman Island	1	1	1	1	$1,200 00	$1,200 00	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
Blacksmith	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Orchardman	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Farm Hands	14	14	14	14	10,432 49	10,920 00	10,920 00	10,920 00
Farm Hand (patient)	1	1	1	1	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Farm Hand and Truck Driver	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Watchman	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Farm Hands (5 months)		4	4	4		1,300 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
Hogman	1	1	1	1	892 24	900 00	900 00	900 00
Poultryman	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1 080 00	1 080 00	1,080 00
Vegetable Gardeners	2	2	2	2	2,152 26	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Tractor Operator and Hostler	2	2	2	2	1 989 67	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Cooks	14	15	16	16	14,566 26	17,280 00	18,540 00	18,540 00
Butcher	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1 020 00
Waitress and Telephone Operator	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	900 00	900 00
Waitresses	5	5	6	6	3,300 00	3,300 00	4,320 00	4,320 00
Waitress and Housemaid, First Physician	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Bakers	3	3	3	3	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Servant, Medical Superintendent	1	1	1	1	660 00	660 00	720 00	720 00
Waitress—psychopathic	1	1			660 00	660 00		
Shoemaker	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00
Seamstresses	2	2	2	2	1,725 88	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
General Mechanic	1	1	1	1	1 560 00	1,560 00	1 560 00	1,560 00
Upholsterer	1	1	1	1	1 217 89	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Housemaid—Medical Superintendent	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Laundry—Help and Teamster	7	7	7	7	6,297 07	6,300 00	6,300 00	6,300 00
Totals	325	352	347	347	$307,600 84	$344,465 00	$349,820 00	$349,820 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Feeding					$139,807 51	$135 830 00	$150,000 00	$150,000 00
Clothing					18,019 92	21,400 00	19,350 00	19,350 00
Housekeeping					3 913 55	4 500 00	4,300 00	4,300 00
Laundry					2,734 19	2,270 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Attendance					39 00	50 00	50 00	50 00
Medical care					5,468 59	5 850 00	6,150 00	6,150 00
Personal care					6,760 25	7,750 00	7,800 00	7 800 00
Amusement					131 48	150 00	250 00	250 00
Maintenance of buildings					11 023 15	13,500 00	12,600 00	12 600 00
Maintenance of grounds					237 15	500 00	500 00	500 00
Light, heat and power					25,058 69	25,500 00	27,150 00	27 150 00
Fire protection					168 68	200 00	250 00	250 00
Farming feeds, seeds etc					20,887 76	18,300 00	22,500 00	22,500 00
Office stationery and supplies					1 633 14	1,200 00	1,750 00	1 750 00
Automobile					1 535 15	2 200 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Miscellaneous					350 95			
Totals					$237,769 16	$239,200 00	$257,150 00	$257 150 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Maintenance of employees in lieu of room and board					$26,695 99	$30 600 00	$30,400 00	$30,400 00
Medical care					52 00	200 00	2,000 00	2 000 00
Light, heat and power					16 252 09	18 389 75	17,500 00	17,500 00
Repairs to equipment					5,607 26	8,365 00	7,925 00	7 925 00
Traveling and transportation					1,401 45	1,800 00	1,775 00	1,775 00
Postage					680 00	700 00	700 00	700 00
Telephone and telegraph					1,497 97	1,600 00	1,600 00	1 600 00
Freight, cartage and express					6 940 54	9,500 00	9,500 00	9,500 00
Totals					$59,127 30	$71,154 75	$71,400 00	$71,400 00

CURATIVE.

STOCKTON STATE HOSPITAL—(CONCLUDED)

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (crockery, kitchen utensils, etc.)	$5,943 44	$5,650 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Clothing (sewing machines, etc.)	32 74	700 00	750 00	750 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc.)	15,071 23	16,500 00	16,000 00	16,000 00
Laundry	740 27	750 00	750 00	750 00
Attendance	40 38			
Medical care	747 05	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc	3,881 18	4,350 00	4,250 00	4,250 00
Fire protection	1,592 69	500 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Farming implements, tools, etc	3,125 47	4,050 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Office	149 99	250 00	150 00	150 00
Automobiles	256 99	750 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Totals	$31,581 43	$34,500 00	$35,900 00	$35,900 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS		$177,200 00		$104,050 00
New boiler and fittings at engine room	$17,500 00			
Cost of installing boiler	1,500 00			
New steam pipes	3,500 00			
Additions to water system	8,000 00			
Sand trap	1,000 00			
New well pump and fittings	5,000 00			
Cost of three cottages for patients	130,000 00			
Equipment new psychopathic building	5,000 00			
Dry tumblers for laundry	3,000 00			
Three washing machines for laundry	2,700 00			
Repairs and equipment to power and water systems			$43,550 00	
Repairs to building			18,000 00	
House for farm hands			8,500 00	
Repairs to roads and streets			27,000 00	
Fire escapes			12,000 00	

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$103,001 85			
Revenue	98,993 19	$100,000 00	$100,000 00	$100,000 00
Totals	$201,995 04	$100,000 00	$100,000 00	$100,000 00
		201,995 04		100,000 00
Totals for biennium		$301,995 04		$200,000 00

CURATIVE.

TRANSPORTATION INSANE AND PRISONERS.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Transportation	$166,052 57	$103,947 43 166,052 57	$150,000 00	$150,000 00 150,000 00
Totals for biennium		$270,000 00		$300,000 00

CORRECTIVE

CALIFORNIA SCHOOL FOR GIRLS AT VENTURA.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	57	57	58	58	$58 655 66	$60,342 00	$61,368 00	$61,368 00
Materials and supplies					30 768 19	37,222 50	36,613 50	36,613 50
Service and expense					14,791 01	17,868 00	15 994 00	15 994 00
Equipment					2,643 03	5,325 50	4,812 00	4,812 00
Totals					$106,857 89	$120,758 00	$118 787 50	$118,787 50
						106,857 89		118 787 50
Totals for biennium						$227 615 89		$237,575 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements						$300 00		$15,400 00
Population					150	170	180	180
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$3 600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00
Secretary-stenographer	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	960 00	960 00
Business Manager	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Stenographer and telphone operator	1	1	1	1	840 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Chief Clerk and Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,275 00	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Commissary assistant	1	1	1	1	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Chauffeur mechanic	1	1			1,080 00	1,080 00		
Milker and Stockman	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	900 00	900 00
Garden officers	2	2	2	2	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Farm hands	2	1	2	2	1,348 57	780 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Carpenter	1	1	1	1	1,000 26	900 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Fireman			1	1			1,080 00	1,080 00
Assistant Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Physician	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Dentist (pro-rata)	1	1	1	1	660 00	660 00	660 00	660 00
Surgical nurse	1	1	1	1	971 88	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Housemothers	7	7	7	7	6,646 79	6,720 00	6,420 00	6,420 00
Parole officers	2	2	2	2	2,219 35	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
School Principal	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Physical Director	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Director Household Arts	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Weaving Teacher	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Commercial Teacher	1	1	1	1	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Teachers	2	2	2	2	2,319 19	2,340 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Teacher			1	1			1,140 00	1,140 00
Music Teacher		1	1	1		960 00	960 00	960 00
Director of Discipline	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Assistant Director of Discipline	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Dormitory watches	6	6	5	5	4,703 96	4,872 00	4,008 00	4,008 00
Relief officers	5	5	5	5	3,960 00	3,990 00	4,020 00	4,020 00
Housekeeper	1	1	1	1	835 33	840 00	840 00	840 00
Sewing Instructor	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Kitchen officers	7	7	7	7	6,255 33	6,420 00	6,180 00	6,180 00
Totals	57	57	58	58	$58,655 66	$60,342 00	$61,368 00	$61,368 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Feeding					$17,324 96	$20,050 00	$20,750 00	$20,750 00
Clothing					4,987 77	6,081 00	6,316 00	6,316 00
Housekeeping					564 60	1,025 00	686 00	686 00
Laundry					824 66	966 00	850 00	850 00
Medical					653 68	1,050 00	795 00	795 00
Personal					138 68	251 50	169 00	169 00
Amusement					465 83	853 00	566 00	566 00
Maintenance of buildings					425 98	684 00	425 00	425 00
Maintenance of grounds					33 67	65 00	114 50	114 50
Light, heat and power					224 49	425 00	412 50	412 50
Water					12 50			
Farming (feed, seeds, etc)					4,006 20	4,567 00	4,375 00	4,375 00
Office stationery and supplies					465 97	480 00	487 50	487 50
Automobile (gas, oil, etc)					639 20	725 00	650 00	650 00
Fire protection							17 00	17 00
Totals					$30,768 19	$37,222 50	$36,613 50	$36,613 50

CORRECTIVE

CALIFORNIA SCHOOL FOR GIRLS AT VENTURA—(CONCLUDED)

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Maintenance of employees in lieu of board	$63 00	$75 00	$76 50	$76 50
Medical care	389 25	450 00	500 00	500 00
Education	36 04	125 00	44 00	44 00
Amusement (moving pictures, etc)	496 06	550 00	495 00	495 00
Repairs to plant	241 15	550 00		
Repairs to equipment	193 36	348 00	293 50	293 50
Light, heat and power	8,643 55	10,100 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Water	931 17	1,050 00	911 00	911 00
Harvesting crops, etc	241 05	280 00	271 50	271 50
Traveling	2,142 74	2,465 00	2,875 00	2,875 00
Postage	240 00	240 00	267 50	267 50
Telephone and telegraph	755 00	785 00	787 50	787 50
Freight, cartage and express	418 64	850 00	462 50	462 50
Fire protection			10 00	10 00
Totals	$14,791 01	$17,868 00	$15,991 00	$15,994 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (crockery, kitchen utensils, etc)	$886 87	$1,175 00	$1,043 50	$1,043 50
Clothing (sewing machines, etc)	10 15	50 00	118 50	118 50
Housekeeping, bedding, carpets, etc	627 16	1,175 00	763 00	763 00
Laundry	491 13	135 00	462 00	462 00
Medical	37 09	135 00	225 00	225 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc	268 47	318 50	392 00	392 00
Water pipe				
Fire protection	30 84	200 00	163 00	163 00
Farming implements (tools, live stock, etc)	113 06	644 00	353 50	353 50
Office	5 53	8 00	51 50	51 50
Automobile	113 09	1,285 00	845 00	845 00
Education	69 64	125 00	359 00	359 00
Amusement		75 00	36 00	36 00
Totals	$2,613 03	$5,325 50	$4,812 00	$4,812 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.				
Addition to carpenter shop		$300 00		
Repairs and equipment to ice plant			$6,200 00	
Improvement of roads			9,200 00	$15,400 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$3,479 29			
Revenue during year	434 99	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Totals	$3,914 28	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
		3,914 28		500 00
Totals for biennium		$4,414 28		$1,000 00

CORRECTIVE.

PRESTON SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY AT IONE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	105	109	114	118	$121,635 15	$133,620 00	$139,140 00	$144,180 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	101,530 04	110,720 00	135,750 00	135,750 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	30 368 75	34,040 00	50,600 00	50 600 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	18,744 43	19,522 50	27,150 00	27,150 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$272,358 37	$297,902 50	$352,640 00	$357,680 00
						272,358 37		352,640 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$570,260 87	----------	$710,320 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$9,000 00	----------	$27,000 00
Population	----	----	----	----	485	550	600	700
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$3,300 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00
Business Manager	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Stenographer and Assistant Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Clerk-Librarian	1	1	1	1	535 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Auto mechanic	1	1	1	1	1 284 00	1,440 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Physician	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	2,100 00
Nurse	1	1	1	1	593 39	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Vocational Director and Assistant Superintendent	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2 400 00
Instructor in auto mechanics	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,440 00	1,440 00
Teacher	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Teachers	2	2	2	2	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Teacher and Pianist	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,500 00	1,560 00	1,620 00
Teacher	1	1	1	2	1,140 00	1,440 00	1,500 00	3,120 00
Teacher	1	1	1	1	720 00	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Teacher and Company Officer	1	1	1	----	720 00	1,440 00	1,500 00	----------
Chaplains	2	2	2	2	720 00	720 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Printer	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Physical Director	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Band and Orchestra Instructor	1	1	1	1	1,451 61	1,440 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Parole Officer	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Assistant Parole Officer	1	1	1	1	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Deputy Parole Officer	1	1	1	1	950 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Day attendants	3	3	----	----	3,420 00	3,420 00	----------	----------
Relief officers	----	----	5	5	----------	----------	5,400 00	5,400 00
Night Captain	1	1	1	1	1 260 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Night Supervisors	13	12	14	15	12,480 00	11,520 00	13,440 00	14,400 00
Company Officers	21	26	24	26	24 527 51	29,400 00	28,800 00	31,200 00
Company Officer and Commissary	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Company Officer and Military Instructor	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1 440 00	1,440 00
Detail Officer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Assistant Detail Officer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Inspector	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Horticulturist—Landscape Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Millman	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Carpenters	2	2	1	1	974 33	2,880 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Painter	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Steam Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Night Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Electrician	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Plasterer	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Plumber	----	1	1	1	----------	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1 320 00

CORRECTIVE.

PRESTON SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY AT IONE—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Farmer	1	1	1	1	$1,200 00	$1,200 00	$1,320 00	$1,320 00
Blacksmith	1	1	1	1	1,250 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Chef	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Assistant Chef	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Superintendent's Cook	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Baker	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Butcher and Meat Cutter	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Chef, detention unit				1				1,200 00
Dining Room Supervisor (boys)	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Dining Room Matron-Officers	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Sewing Room Instructress	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Tailor	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00
Shoemaker	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Supervising Matron	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Hospital Supervisor	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Housekeepers	5	5	7	7	1,619 31	2,400 00	3,360 00	3,360 00
Housemothers	4	4	4	4	2,880 00	2,880 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Totals	105	109	114	118	$121,685 15	$133,620 00	$139,140 00	$144,180 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Feeding					$44,737 26	$50 000 00	$59,500 00	$59,500 00
Clothing					17,739 08	21,500 00	24 000 00	24,000 00
Housekeeping					1 435 19	1 500 00	2,250 00	2,250 00
Laundry					632 79	600 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Medical					2,054 95	2,000 00	2,750 00	2,750 00
Personal					433 62	600 00	550 00	550 00
Education					169 41	200 00	400 00	400 00
Amusement					900 61	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Maintenance of buildings					7 877 20	10,420 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Maintenance of grounds					160 38	200 00	400 00	400 00
Light, heat and power					10,469 90	8,000 00	13,000 00	13,000 00
Farming (feeds, seeds, etc)					10,400 91	9,100 00	15,250 00	15,250 00
Office stationery and supplies					816 77	1,000 00	1,000 00	1 000 00
Auto and truck (gas, oil, etc)					3,522 84	3,500 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Traveling					209 13	500 00	550 00	550 00
Fire protection						100 00	350 00	350 00
Totals					$101,560 04	$110,720 00	$135,750 00	$135 750 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Allowance in lieu of board and room					$5,432 63	$5,400 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Medical					4,908 60	6,000 00	5,500 00	5,500 00
Education and religion					478 62	1,000 00	500 00	500 00
Amusement					676 23	600 00	750 00	750 00
Personal					113 50		500 00	500 00
Repairs to plant					79 60		100 00	100 00
Repairs to equipment					1,264 04	1 200 00	1,650 00	1,650 00
Water					480 00	240 00	500 00	500 00
Farming					65 73	200 00	600 00	600 00
Postage					764 00	700 00	900 00	900 00
Telephone and telegraph					905 59	1,000 00	1 000 00	1,000 00
Freight, cartage and express					3 992 49	9,000 00	8,650 00	8,650 00
Traveling					11 207 72	8,700 00	13,400 00	13,400 00
Extraordinary repairs							10,550 00	10,550 00
Totals					$30,368 75	$34,040 00	$50,600 00	$50,600 00

CORRECTIVE.

PRESTON SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY AT IONE—(CONCLUDED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
EQUIPMENT.								
Feeding (crockery kitchen utensils, etc.)	----	----	----	----	$2 340 46	$3,000 00	$3,500 00	$3,500 00
Clothing (sewing machines, etc.)	----	----	----	----	134 02	400 00	900 00	900 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc.)	----	----	----	----	4,203 78	3,800 00	4,500 00	4 500 00
Laundry	----	----	----	----	77 09	200 00	750 00	750 00
Medical	----	----	----	----	415 02	500 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Education	----	----	----	----	261 05	1,000 00	1,250 00	1 250 00
Amusement	----	----	----	----	1,288 04	1,000 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Machinery, tools, electric light bulbs, etc.)	----	----	----	----	7,192 59	3,902 50	4,250 00	4,250 00
Fire protection	----	----	----	----	437 71	500 00	750 00	750 00
Farming implements, tools, etc	----	----	----	----	1,342 18	1,520 00	2,250 00	2,250 00
Office equipment	----	----	----	----	45 70	----	250 00	250 00
Automobiles and trucks	----	----	----	----	1,006 79	3,700 00	6,500 00	6,500 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$18,744 43	$19,522 50	$27,150 00	$27,150 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS		$9,000 00		$27,000 00
Completion machine shop	$5 000 00			
New calf barn	1,000 00			
Piping farm for irrigation	3 000 00			
Furnishings for Superintendent's apartment	----	----	$1 500 00	
Shop machinery and equipment	----	----	3,000 00	
Live stock	----	----	2,000 00	
Tailor shop and sewing room	----	----	8,000 00	
Farm cottage	----	----	10,000 00	
Garages for employees	----	----	2,500 00	

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$3,006 39	----	----	----
Revenue	1,553 66	$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Totals	$4,560 05	$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
		4,560 05		1,500 00
Totals for biennium	----	$6,060 05	----	$3,000 00

CORRECTIVE.

WHITTIER STATE SCHOOL.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	75	84	88	88	$86,126 25	$100,045 00	$109 170 00	$109,170 00
Materials and supplies	---	---	---	---	60,580 74	71,020 00	69,030 00	67,530 00
Service and expense	---	---	---	---	26,848 48	28,085 00	28,580 00	28,580 00
Equipment	---	---	---	---	11,933 42	10,432 50	13,750 00	11,750 00
Totals	---	---	---	---	$185,488 89	$209,582 50 185 488 89	$220,530 00	$217,030 00 220,530 00
Totals for biennium	---	---	---	---	---	$395,071 39	---	$437,560 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	---	---	---	---	---	$20,000 00	---	$116 025 00
Population	---	---	---	---	301	300	300	300
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$3 600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00
Assistant Superintendent and Business Manager	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1 800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer and Senior Clerk	1	1	1	1	621 88	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Stenographer-Clerk	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Storekeeper-Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Edphone Operator-Clerk	1	1	1	1	960 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Physician	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Dentist (pro-rata)	1	1	1	1	600 00	720 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Surgical Nurse	1	1	1	1	1,110 67	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Night Nurse	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Teaching School Principal	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Teachers (10 months)	5	6	8	8	5,630 85	7,560 00	11,200 00	11,200 00
Director Physical Education	---	1	1	1	---	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Psychologist	---	1	1	1	---	1,200 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Band Master, Leader and Instructor	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Printing Instructor	1	1	1	1	1,396 12	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Chief Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Day Supervisors	11	11	11	11	12,461 83	12,300 00	12,500 00	12,500 00
Night Supervisors	10	13	13	13	9,600 00	12,495 00	12,740 00	12,740 00
Head Night Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Placement Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Lost Privilege Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Assistant Lost Privilege Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00	1,200 00
Supervisor Extra Squad and Farm Detail	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Housemothers	5	5	5	5	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Dining Room Supervisor	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Officers' Dining Room Supervisor	1	1	1	1	660 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Day Supervisor Rec. Co.	---	1	1	1	---	1,320 00	1 320 00	1,320 00
Carpenter	1	2	1	1	1,440 00	2 760 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Repair Mechanics	---	---	2	2	---	---	2,880 00	2,880 00
Painter	1	1	1	1	1 440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Handyman and locksmith	---	---	1	1	---	---	1 320 00	1,320 00
Plumber	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Machinist-Blacksmith	1	1	1	1	1,409 55	1 440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00
Garage Foreman	1	1	1	1	1 440 00	1,560 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Landscape Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Engineer Electrician	1	1	1	1	1 800 00	1,800 00	1 800 00	1,800 00
Milker	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Farm Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,380 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Irrigator and Handyman	1	1	1	1	960 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Pruner and Handyman	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Pruner (part time)	1	1	1	1	212 76	600 00	600 00	600 00
First Cook	1	1	1	1	1,397 30	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Second Cook	1	1	1	1	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Camp Cook (2½ months)	---	1	1	1	---	250 00	250 00	250 00
Baker	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Shoemaker	1	1	1	1	1,269 03	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Seamstress	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Housekeepers and janitors	3	3	3	3	1,696 51	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1,319 75	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Totals	75	84	88	88	$86,126 25	$100,045 00	$109,170 00	$109,170 00

CORRECTIVE

WHITTIER STATE SCHOOL—(CONTINUED)

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Feeding	$29,020 72	$26 300 00	$28,000 00	$28 000 00
Clothing	7,650 18	16,650 00	8,000 00	8,000 00
Housekeeping	1,106 65	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Laundry	994 50	1,150 00	1,150 00	1,150 00
Medical	229 30	400 00	400 00	400 00
Personal	271 02	440 00	450 00	450 00
Amusement	488 64	720 00	700 00	700 00
Education	165 80	380 00	350 00	350 00
Maintenance of buildings	3,844 76	4,600 00	7,470 00	7,470 00
Maintenance of grounds	13 32	50 00	1,800 00	300 00
Light, heat and power	855 05	1,300 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
Fire protection		100 00	100 00	100 00
Farming (feeds, seeds etc)	12,289 40	13,075 00	13,300 00	13,300 00
Office stationery and supplies	987 75	900 00	900 00	900 00
Automobile (gas, oil, etc)	2,091 85	2,200 00	2,200 00	2,200 00
Printing	571 80	1,255 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Water			150 00	150 00
Totals	$60,580 74	$71,020 00	$69,030 00	$67,530 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Maintenance of employes in lieu of board and room	$6,637 09	$6,900 00	$6,900 00	$6,900 00
Medical care	144 33	160 00	160 00	160 00
Education	955 62	1,000 00	1 100 00	1,100 00
Amusement, moving pictures, etc	3 00	200 00	100 00	100 00
Repairs to plant	978 80	1,000 00	500 00	500 00
Repairs to equipment	360 33	640 00	1,410 00	1,410 00
Light, heat and power	8,698 43	8,000 00	8,000 00	8,000 00
Water	5 900 86	5,800 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Harvesting crops	160 49	240 00	240 00	240 00
Traveling	1,321 21	1,305 00	1,420 00	1,420 00
Postage	401 27	600 00	600 00	600 00
Telephone and telegraph	584 20	750 00	750 00	750 00
Freight, cartage and express	702 85	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,400 00
Totals	$26,848 48	$28,085 00	$28,580 00	$28,580 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (crockery, kitchen utensils, etc)	$1,889 15	$2,100 00	$2,600 00	$2,100 00
Clothing (sewing machines, etc)		10 00	10 00	10 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc)	2,493 03	1,600 00	3,300 00	1,800 00
Laundry	86 49	1,000 00	100 00	100 00
Medical	112 01	200 00	200 00	200 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc	2,406 70	2,550 00	3,100 00	3,100 00
Water pipe				
Fire protection		300 00	300 00	300 00
Farming implements, tools, live stock, etc	3,133 12	1,710 00	1,920 00	1 920 00
Office	15 39	120 00	120 00	120 00
Automobile	1,433 34	442 50	1,500 00	1,500 00
Education and amusement	364 19	400 00	600 00	600 00
Totals	$11,933 42	$10,432 50	$13,750 00	$11,750 00

CORRECTIVE

WHITTIER STATE SCHOOL—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS		$20,000 00		$116,025 00
Completion Administration Building	$20,000 00			
Hospital, Receiving and Lost Privilege Building			$80,000 00	
Remodel present Hospital and Lost Privilege Building			10,000 00	
Bake shop			6,000 00	
Storage for oil and paints			1,500 00	
Cottage for farm foreman and engineer			7,500 00	
Auto shelter shed			1,000 00	
Laundry and mechanical shop equipment			10,025 00	

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$64,293 13			
Revenue	11,460 68	$12,000 00	$12,000 00	$12,000 00
Totals	$75,753 81	$12,000 00	$12,000 00	$12,000 00
		75,753 81		12,000 00
Totals for biennium		$87,753 81		$24,000 00

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	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	137	138	138	138	$168,575 79	$170,400 00	$170,400 00	$170,400 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	364,739 22	344,881 00	344,881 00	344,881 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	94,424 07	109,403 00	109,403 00	109 403 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	24,517 39	56,941 00	56,941 00	56 941 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$652,256 47	$681,625 00	$681,625 00	$681,625 00
						652,256 47		681,625 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$1,333,881 47	----------	$1,363,250 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$115,000 00	----------	$239,000 00
Population	----	----	----	----	2,550	2,600	2,600	2,600
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Warden	1	1	1	1	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Secretary to Warden	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Clerk of Board	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3 300 00	3,300 00
Commissary	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Accountant	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Receiving and Shipping Clerk	1	1	1	1	1 200 00	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Steward—general mess	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Steward Assistant—general mess	1	1	1	1	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Steward—Officers' and Guards' mess	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1 200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Captain of Yard	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Captain of Guards	1	1	1	1	1 800 00	1 800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Lieutenant of Yard	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Lieutenant of Guards	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Turnkey	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Turnkey, Assistant	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Sergeant of Yard	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1 260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Sergeants of Guards	2	2	2	2	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Gatekeepers	2	2	2	2	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Armorer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00	1,200 00
Sergeant of Outside Watch	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Night Gate Keeper	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Matron, Assistant	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Matron, Night	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Guards	93	93	93	93	98,602 47	97,740 00	97,740 00	97,740 00
Physician	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Physician Assistant and Druggist	1	1	1	1	613 32	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Dentist	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Chaplain and Educational Director	----	1	1	1	----------	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Chaplain, Visiting	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Boss, Road Gang	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Master Mechanic	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Electrician	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Farm Boss and Stableman	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clothing Factory Superintendent	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Clothing Factory Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Shoe Factory Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Furniture Factory Superintendent	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1 800 00
Furniture Factory Foreman	1	1	1	1	900 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Furniture Sales Manager	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Jute Mill Superintendent	1	1	1	1	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Jute Mill Spinner	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Jute Mill Lieutenant	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Totals	137	138	138	138	$168,575 79	$170,400 00	$170,400 00	$170,400 00

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SAN QUENTIN PRISON—(CONTINUED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Feeding	$188,073 52	$188,361 00	$188,361 00	$188,361 00
Clothing	79,459 75	64 297 00	64,297 00	64,297 00
Housekeeping	7 506 05	2,498 00	2,498 00	2,498 00
Laundry	1,332 94	1 397 00	1 397 00	1,397 00
Guarding (ammunition)	2,691 47	6,075 00	6,075 00	6,075 00
Medical and dental care	7,020 12	3,505 00	3,505 00	3,505 00
Personal care (bath toilet, tobacco, etc)	14,654 32	15,675 00	15,675 00	15,675 00
Religion and education	552 59	*700 00*	*700 00*	*700 00*
Photo and Bertillon	2,430 07	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Recreation	161 31			
Maintenance of buildings and grounds	22,677 01	16,354 00	16,354 00	16,354 00
Heat, light and power	21,226 07	26,166 00	26,166 00	26,166 00
Farming, (feeds, seeds etc)	9,820 38	8,878 00	8,878 00	8,878 00
Office stationery and supplies	4,091 44	3,456 00	3,456 00	3,456 00
Automobiles, gas, oils, etc	1,103 07	2,804 00	2,804 00	2,804 00
Printing	1,746 05	2,615 00	2,615 00	2,615 00
Miscellaneous	193 06			
Totals	$364,739 22	$344,881 00	$344,881 00	$344,881 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Maintenance of employees in lieu of board	$25,549 62	$25,011 00	$25,011 00	$25,011 00
Medical and dental care	1,262 63	1,135 00	1,135 00	1,135 00
Traveling and transportation	10 008 69	15,840 00	15,840 00	15,840 00
Light, heat and power	23 637 04	23,425 00	23,425 00	23,425 00
Repairs to equipment	1 846 52	1,402 00	1,402 00	1,402 00
Postage	1,789 25	2,800 00	2,800 00	2,800 00
Telephone and telegraph	1,402 38	*2,800 00*	*2,800 00*	*2,800 00*
Freight, cartage and express		12,150 00	12,150 00	12,150 00
Miscellaneous	78 27	185 00	185 00	185 00
Factories	5,472 20	3,910 00	3,910 00	3,910 00
Jute mill	8,540 90	7,823 00	7,823 00	7,823 00
Water	14 436 08	12,127 00	12,127 00	12,127 00
Printing	76 11	465 00	465 00	465 00
Executions	150 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Cost of trials	174 38	230 00	230 00	230 00
Totals	$94,424 07	$109,403 00	$109,403 00	$109,403 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (crockery, kitchen utensils)	$2,153 21	$5,600 00	$5,600 00	$5,600 00
Housekeeping (sewing machines, beds, etc)	8,072 41	9 680 00	9 680 00	9,680 00
Laundry	97 93	2,336 00	2,336 00	2,336 00
Guarding	940 52	1,868 00	1,868 00	1,868 00
Medical and dental care	312 92	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,400 00
Personal care	364 06			
Religion and education	26 27	42 00	42 00	42 00
Photo and Bertillon	198 72	140 00	140 00	140 00
Recreation	33 10			
Machinery, tools electric bulbs, etc	2,151 81	3,644 00	3 644 00	3,644 00
Farming implements, tools	1,110 79	2 935 00	2,935 00	2,935 00
Office	1,032 95	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,400 00
Automobiles	316 76	1,635 00	1,635 00	1,635 00
Printing	52 25	230 00	230 00	230 00
Factories	4,080 55	10,890 00	10,890 00	10,890 00
Jute mill	3,573 14	15,141 00	15,141 00	15,141 00
Totals	$24,517 39	$56,941 00	$56,941 00	$56,941 00

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SAN QUENTIN PRISON—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Recommended, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Construction of cottages for employees	$15,000 00		$15,000 00	
Repairs, machinery and equipment	100,000 00			
Women's building and equipment			142,000 00	
Laundry building			32,000 00	
Industrial equipment and repairs			50,000 00	
Totals		$115,000 00		$239,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$928 56			
Revenue	$41,424 06	$42,000 00	$42,000 00	$42,000 00
Totals	$42,352 62	$42,000 00	$42,000 00	$42,000 00
		42,352 62		42,000 00
Totals for biennium		$84,352 62		$84,000 00

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STATE PRISON AT FOLSOM.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	98	102	107	107	$128,901 28	$134,640 00	$139 616 00	$139,616 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	179,749 47	174,770 00	208,205 00	208,205 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	33,320 59	33,500 00	35,505 00	35,505 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	23,164 92	18,930 00	28,747 50	26,747 50
Totals	----	----	----	----	$365,136 26	$361,840 00	$412,073 50	$410,073 50
						365,136 26		412,073 50
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$726,976 26	----------	$822,147 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$23,000 00	----------	$32,500 00
Population	----	----	----	----	1,196	1,215	1,400	1,400
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Warden	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,983 87	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Stenographer	----	1	----	----	----------	1,200 00	----------	----------
Commissary	1	1	1	1	1,860 81	2,220 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Accountant	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Stage driver	1	1	1	1	1,056 00	1,056 00	1,056 00	1,056 00
Locomotive Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Foreman of Quarries	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Blacksmith	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Stonecutter	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Captain of Guard	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Turnkey	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Assistant Turnkey	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Lieutenant	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Lieutenant of Yard	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Sergeants	2	2	2	2	2,640 00	2,640 00	2,640 00	2,640 00
Inside Gatekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Back Gatekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Armorer	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Guard and Mail Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Guards	62	63	70	70	72,148 99	73,864 00	81,600 00	81,600 00
Oculist	----	1	1	1	----------	300 00	300 00	300 00
Physician	1	1	1	1	2,570 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Dentist	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00
Clergymen	2	2	2	2	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Educational Director	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Carpenter	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Electrician	----	1	----	----	----------	1,440 00	----------	----------
Electricians	3	3	3	3	3 960 00	3,960 00	3,960 00	3,960 00
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1,419 35	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00
Farmer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Steward, Officers' and Guards' mess	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Steward, prison mess	1	1	1	1	1,302 26	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Foreman Shoe and Tailor Shop	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Totals	98	102	107	107	$128,901 28	$134,640 00	$139 616 00	$139,616 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Feeding					$84,113 16	$84,420 00	$95,000 00	$95,000 00
Clothing					35,263 19	38,000 00	42,000 00	42,000 00
Housekeeping					4,338 39	4,500 00	5,000 00	5 000 00
Laundry					910 92	900 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Guarding (ammunition)					1,300 84	1 500 00	1,772 50	1,772 50
Medical care					5,049 12	5,300 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Personal care (bath, toilet, tobacco, etc)					6,904 10	6,700 00	7,000 00	7,000 00
Amusement and recreation, rehgion					286 98	250 00	310 00	310 00
Maintenance of buildings					7 149 24	5,000 00	19,200 00	19,200 00
Maintenance of grounds					176 79	200 00	200 00	200 00
Light, heat and power					11,368 15	11,000 00	12,250 00	12,250 00
Farming (feeds, seeds, etc)					15,554 08	12,000 00	12,000 00	12 000 00
Office stationery and supplies					2,263 58	1,800 00	2,272 50	2,272 50
Automobile, oils, gas, etc					1,361 58	900 00	900 00	900 00
Miscellaneous					806 37	300 00	300 00	300 00
Railroad					60 64	200 00	200 00	200 00
Quarries					2,842 34	1 800 00	2,800 00	2,800 00
Totals					$179,749 47	$174,770 00	$208,205 00	$208,205 00

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STATE PRISON AT FOLSOM—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Maintenance of employees in lieu of board and room	$22,308 73	$22,500 00	$22,500 00	$22,500 00
Medical care	289 90	250 00	310 00	310 00
Light, heat and power	3,281 75	3,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Repairs to equipment	661 80	900 00	1 150 00	1,150 00
Traveling and transportation	5,040 14	5,050 00	5,645 00	5,645 00
Postage	750 00	800 00	800 00	800 00
Telephone and telegraph	684 17	600 00	700 00	700 00
Freight, cartage and express	256 18	300 00	300 00	300 00
Miscellaneous	47 92	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals	$33,320 59	$33,500 00	$35,505 00	$35 505 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (crockery, kitchen utensils, etc)	$2,407 89	$2,500 00	$3,002 50	$3,002 50
Clothing (sewing machines etc)	694 57	500 00	645 00	645 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc)	5 882 37	5,300 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Laundry	80 73	130 00	147 50	147 50
Guarding	225 77	130 00	177 50	177 50
Medical care	1,041 78	670 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Personal care	326 40	200 00	500 00	500 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc	3,967 91	4,800 00	5,500 00	5,500 00
Fire protection	2,746 16	200 00	200 00	200 00
Farming implements, tools	4,552 28	3,000 00	5,150 00	5,150 00
Office	901 57	750 00	750 00	750 00
Automobiles	284 49	750 00	2,500 00	500 00
Miscellaneous	53 00			
Railroad			1,250 00	1 250 00
Quarries			1,425 00	1,425 00
Totals	$23,164 92	$18,930 00	$28,747 50	$26,747 50

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendations, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Repairs to cottages	$9,250 00			
Repairs to electric equipment	3,500 00			
Rock crushers and pulverizer	2,000 0			
Ice storage house	1,250 0			
Repairs and improvements	7,000 00			
Farm buildings			$7,500 00	
Wall derricks and equipment			5,000 00	
Steam boiler			5,000 00	
Post office			1,000 00	
Repairs			14,000 00	
Totals		$23,000 00		$32,500 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$5,136 09			
Revenue	$19,458 01	$20,000 00	$20,000 00	$20,000 00
Totals	$24,594 10	$20 000 00	$20,000 00	$20,000 00
		24,594 10		20,000 00
Totals for biennium		$44,594 10		$40,000 00

PENAL.

STATE BOARD OF PRISON DIRECTORS—PAROLE DEPARTMENT.

	Number officers and employees fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	6	6	7	7	$12,065 00	$13,140 00	$14,640 00	$14,640 00
Materials and supplies					1,190 67	1,200 00	1,550 00	1,550 00
Service and expense					3,784 29	3,886 00	4,775 00	4,775 00
Equipment						150 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$17,039 96	$18,376 00	$21,065 00	$21,065 00
						17,039 96		
Totals for biennium						$35,415 96		$42,130 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
State Parole Officer	1	1	1	1	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00
Deputy Parole Officer	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Deputy Parole Officer	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Deputy Parole Officer	1	1	1	1	1,430 00	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Deputy Parole Officer	1	1	1	1	1,305 00	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Confidential Stenographer-Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,530 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Confidential Stenographer-Clerk			1	1			1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals	6	6	7	7	$12,065 00	$13,140 00	$14,640 00	$14 640 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
General office supplies					$278 77	$500 00	$350 00	$350 00
Clothing and tools					911 90	700 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals					$1 190 67	$1,200 00	$1,550 00	$1,550 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.								
Office and traveling expense					$1,203 58	$1,086 00	$1,700 00	$1,700 00
Rent					1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Telephone and telegraph					855 21	800 00	900 00	900 00
Postage					225 00	250 00	300 00	300 00
Cuts for violators circulars						250 00	125 00	125 00
Aid to paroled and discharged prisoners					300 50	300 00	550 00	550 00
Totals					$3,784 29	$3,886 00	$4,775 00	$4,775 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office						$150 00	$100 00	$100 00

PENAL.

BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION—INVESTIGATION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	12	12	16	16	$20,767 21	$21,040 00	$27,660 00	$28,140 00
Materials and supplies					392 99	1,118 02	870 00	1,280 00
Service and expense					2,455 36	2,383 00	2,775 00	1,575 00
Equipment					34 24	274 00	750 00	750 00
Totals					$23,649 80	$24,815 02	$32,055 00	$31,745 00
						23,649 80		32,055 00
Totals for biennium						$48,464 82		$63,800 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,900 00	$4,200 00
Identification Experts	3	3	3	3	7,200 00	7,200 00	8,100 00	8,100 00
Handwriting Expert	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Finger Print Clerks	2	2	2	2	2,615 00	2,320 00	2,820 00	3,000 00
Typists	5	5	8	8	4,952 21	5,520 00	8,640 00	8,640 00
Stenographer			1	1			1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals	12	12	16	16	$20,767 21	$21,040 00	$27,660 00	$28,140 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$225 18	$275 52	$350 00	$350 00
Photographic					64 16	189 50	275 00	275 00
Fuel, electric globes, etc						110 00	125 00	125 00
Printing					103 65	543 00	120 00	530 00
Totals					$392 99	$1,118 02	$870 00	$1,280 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$209 35	$200 00	$250 00	$300 00
Clerical and office					48 70	21 00	50 00	50 00
Equipment repairs					21 81		50 00	50 00
Freight, cartage and express					18 86	40 00	50 00	250 00
Light, heat and power					186 27	144 00	175 00	175 00
Postage					249 00	255 00	400 00	400 00
Telephone and telegraph					221 37	223 00	300 00	350 00
Rent					1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	
Totals					$2,455 36	$2,383 00	$2,775 00	$1,575 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$34 24	$274 00	$750 00	$750 00

PENAL.

ARREST OF CRIMINALS WITHOUT STATE.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Transportation	$21,617 70	$28,382 30 21,617 70	$25,000 00	$25,000 00 25,000 00
Totals for biennium		$50,000 00		$50,000 00

REWARDS OFFERED BY GOVERNOR.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Rewards offered by Governor		$750 00		
Rewards offered by Governor, illegal voting		250 00	$250 00	$250 00
Rewards offered by Governor, highway robbers		1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals		$2,000 00	$1,250 00	$1,250 00 1,250 00
Totals for biennium		$2 000 00		$2,500 00

BENEVOLENT.

BOARD OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	10	9	11	11	$15 727 18	$16,140 00	$19,800 00	$19,800 00
Materials and supplies					449 61	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,400 00
Service and expense					3,660 50	6,590 00	9,210 00	9,210 00
Equipment						150 00	75 00	75 00
Totals					$19,837 29	$24,280 00	$30,485 00	$30,485 00
						19,837 29		30,485 00
Totals for biennium						$44,117 29		$60,970 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Secretary	1				$2,400 00			
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	$1,740 00	$1,800 00	1,800 00
Chief Agent			1	1			2,400 00	2,400 00
Agents	4	4	4	4	7,120 48	8,880 00	8,880 00	8,880 00
Nurse	1	1	1	1	1,860 00	2,100 00	2 100 00	2,100 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,157 25	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer	1	1	2	2	990 00	1 200 00	2,400 00	2 400 00
Stenographer-clerk			1	1			720 00	720 00
Clerk	1	1			579 45	720 00		
Totals	10	9	11	11	$15,727 18	$16,140 00	$19,800 00	$19 800 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$124 31	$200 00	$400 00	$400 00
Printing					325 30	1,200 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$449 61	$1,400 00	$1,400 00	1 400 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Freight, cartage and express					$17 30	$25 00	$25 00	$25 00
Office					266 43	225 00	400 00	400 00
Postage					149 78	100 00	200 00	200 00
Telephone and telegraph					413 47	400 00	400 00	400 00
Traveling					2,813 52	5 600 00	7,900 00	7 900 00
Rent						240 00	285 00	285 00
Totals					$3 660 50	$6,590 00	$9,210 00	$9,210 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office						$150 00	$75 00	$75 00

BENEVOLENT.

VETERANS' HOME OF CALIFORNIA AT YOUNTVILLE

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	204	202	202	202	$126,556 86	$130,862 00	$130,862 00	$130,862 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	97,246 32	103,300 00	103,300 00	103,300 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	10,195 51	12,211 00	12,211 00	12,211 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	7,579 96	9,160 00	9,160 00	9,160 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$241,578 65	$255,533 00 241,578 65	$255,533 00	$255,533 00 255,533 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$497,111 65	----------	$511,066 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$36,000 00	----------	----------
Population	----	----	----	----	578	600	600	600
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commandant	1	1	1	1	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Secretary-Treasurer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Quartermaster Commissary	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Stenographers	2	2	2	2	1,490 30	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Quartermaster Clerk	1	1	1	1	360 00	360 00	360 00	360 00
Orderly	1	1	1	1	420 00	420 00	420 00	420 00
Bus Drivers	1	2	2	2	1 025 23	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Truck Driver	1	1	1	1	1,025 23	900 00	900 00	900 00
Telephone Operators	3	3	3	3	964 51	960 00	960 00	960 00
Surgeon	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Assistant Surgeon	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Druggist	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Night Nurse and Superintendent	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Surgical Attendant and Undertaker	1	1	1	1	1 200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Nurses	6	6	6	6	5,980 00	6,480 00	6,480 00	6,480 00
Night Attendants—Hospital	5	5	5	5	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Attendants—Hospital	4	4	4	4	3,110 00	3,110 00	3,110 00	3,110 00
Attendants—Hospital	3	3	3	3	1,910 00	1,910 00	1,910 00	1,910 00
Attendants—Hospital	2	2	2	2	1,070 00	1,070 00	1,070 00	1,070 00
Attendants—Hospital	4	4	4	4	2 150 00	2,150 00	2,150 00	2,150 00
Attendants—Hospital	5	5	5	5	2 364 64	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Hospital Steward	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Hospital Mail Orderly	1	1	1	1	420 00	420 00	420 00	420 00
Barber	1	1	1	1	178 55	180 00	180 00	180 00
Baggageman	1	1	1	1	120 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Flagman	1	1	1	1	72 00	72 00	72 00	72 00
Billiard hall employee	1	1	1	1	420 00	420 00	420 00	420 00
Bowling hall employee	1	1	1	1	120 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Theatre employee	1	1	1	1	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Band Leader	1	1	1	1	840 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Assistant Band Leader	1	1	1	1	540 00	540 00	540 00	540 00
Musicians	11	11	11	11	1,707 84	4,920 00	4,920 00	4,920 00
Pall Bearers	6	6	6	6	177 50	360 00	360 00	360 00
Sergeant Firing Party	1	1	1	1	90 00	90 00	90 00	90 00
Members Firing Party	3	3	3	3	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Company Captains	7	7	7	7	2 403 35	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Sergeant Guard	1	1	1	1	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
Members Guard	5	5	5	5	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Adjutant	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Sergeant Major	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Orderly	1	1	1	1	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Bugler	1	1	1	1	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
Grave Digger	2	2	2	2	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Chaplain	1	1	1	1	120 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Reader	1	1	1	1	120 00	120 00	120 00	120 00
Carpenters	3	3	3	3	1,812 63	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Painter	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Tinsmith	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Plumber	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Plumber's Assistant	1	1	1	1	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00

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VETERANS' HOME OF CALIFORNIA AT YOUNTVILLE—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont.								
Florist	1	1	1	1	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00
Laborers	3	3	3	3	2 255 97	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Policing Grounds	2	2	2	2	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Crossing Sweeper	1	1	1	1	240 00	240 00	240 00	240 00
Dumpman	1	1	1	1	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Assistant Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Firemen	3	3	3	3	3,509 88	3,420 00	3,420 00	3,420 00
Watchman Water Source, pro rata	1				125 00			
Dairyman	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Dairyman Helper	1	1	1	1	768 64	900 00	900 00	900 00
Farm Manager	1	1	1	1	1 440 00	1,440 00	1 440 00	1,440 00
Laborers—Farm	3	2	2	2	1,830 84	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Pigman	1	1	1	1	840 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Hog Killer	1	1	1	1	112 50	120 00	120 00	120 00
Poultryman	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Watchman	1	1	1	1	660 00	660 00	660 00	660 00
Laborer—Poultry Ranch	1	1	1	1	71 94	120 00	120 00	120 00
Head Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1 080 00
Laborer—Garden	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Teamsters	4	4	4	4	2,750 00	2,880 00	2 880 00	2,880 00
Tractor Operator	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Chefs	2	2	2	2	3,360 00	3,360 00	3,360 00	3,360 00
Assistant Cook	2	2	2	2	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Cook—Guest House	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Cook—Commandant	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Cook—Night	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Cook—Helper	2	2	2	2	1,200 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Reliefman	3	2	2	2	1 196 20	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Pot Washer	1	1	1	1	480 00	480 00	480 00	480 00
Pot Washer	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Dishwasher	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Head Dishwasher	1	1	1	1	540 00	540 00	540 00	540 00
Dishwashers	3	3	3	3	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Coffeeman	1	1	1	1	480 00	480 00	480 00	480 00
Waitresses	22	22	22	22	10,800 00	10,800 00	10,800 00	10,800 00
Poultrymen	2	2	2	2	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,140 00
Baker	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Assistant Baker	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Vegetable Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	480 00	480 00	480 00	480 00
Food Carrier	1	1	1	1	420 00	420 00	420 00	420 00
Butcher	1	1	1	1	1,020 00	1 020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Assistant Butcher	1	1	1	1	480 00	480 00	480 00	480 00
Mattress Maker	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Garbageman	1	1	1	1	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Housekeeper	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Sergeant Charge Quarters	1	1	1	1	480 00	480 00	480 00	480 00
Janitor Headquarters	1	1	1	1	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Window Washer	1	1	1	1	342 76	420 00	420 00	420 00
Tailor	1	1	1	1	240 00	240 00	240 00	240 00
Seamstress	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Laundryman	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Assistant Laundryman	1	1	1	1	540 00	540 00	540 00	540 00
Laundresses	4	4	4	4	2,021 35	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals	204	202	202	202	$126,556 86	$130,862 00	$130,862 00	$130,862 00

BENEVOLENT.

VETERANS' HOME OF CALIFORNIA AT YOUNTVILLE—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Feeding	$47,655 46	$50,000 00	$50,000 00	$50,000 00
Clothing	13,757 19	13,000 00	13,000 00	13,000 00
Housekeeping	1,304 27	1,300 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
Laundry	991 92	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Medical	1,424 43	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Personal (tobacco, etc)	405 71	500 00	500 00	500 00
Education and amusement	19 44	25 00	25 00	25 00
Burials	535 31	600 00	600 00	600 00
Maintenance of building	1,786 78	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Maintenance of grounds	122 89	125 00	125 00	125 00
Light, heat and power	16,804 69	17,000 00	17,000 00	17,000 00
Farming (feeds, seeds, etc)	10,549 78	11,000 00	11,000 00	11,000 00
Office supplies	1,330 73	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Auto (gas, oil, etc)	557 72	750 00	750 00	750 00
Totals	$97,246 32	$103,300 00	$103,300 00	$103,300 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Feeding, (housekeeping laundry)	$62 42	$400 00	$400 00	$400 00
Medical	3 00	10 00	10 00	10 00
Education and amusement	32 75	50 00	50 00	50 00
Repairs to equipment	1,022 48	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Light, heat and power	4,305 74	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Water	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00
Traveling	231 70	250 00	250 00	250 00
Postage	287 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
Telephone and telegraph	729 79	700 00	700 00	700 00
Freight, cartage and express	3,519 63	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Totals	$10,195 51	$12,211 00	$12,211 00	$12,211 00
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (kitchen utensils, etc)	$1,035 10	$1,400 00	$1,400 00	$1,400 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc)	2,433 71	2,650 00	2,650 00	2,650 00
Laundry	802 72	960 00	960 00	960 00
Medical	244 22	450 00	450 00	450 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs	2,324 24	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Farming implements, tools, etc	590 15	650 00	650 00	650 00
Auto and truck	149 82	550 00	550 00	550 00
Totals	$7,579 96	$9,160 00	$9,160 00	$9,160 00

REVENUE.

	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$37,056 97			
Revenue	71,251 56	$72,000 00	$72,000 00	$72,000 00
Totals	$108,308 53	$72,000 00 108,308 53	$72,000 00	$72,000 00 72,000 00
Totals for biennium		$180,308 53		$144,000 00

BENEVOLENT

INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR THE ADULT BLIND AT OAKLAND

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	30	32	34	34	$23,388 45	$25,920 00	$29,160 00	$29,160 00
Materials and supplies					18,918 13	20,088 00	21,620 00	21,620 00
Service and expense					6,456 62	7,760 00	9,870 00	9,870 00
Equipment					3,017 43	2,150 00	1,950 00	1,950 00
Totals					$51,780 63	$55,918 00	$62,600 00	$62,600 00
						51,780 63		62,600 00
Totals for biennium						$107,698 63		$125,200 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements						$10,000 00		
Population					124	127	144	144
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Cooks	2	2	2	2	$2,280 00	$2,280 00	$2 460 00	$2,460 00
Dishwasher, extra help	2	2	1	1	840 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Waitresses	8	8	10	10	4,177 80	4,320 00	5,400 00	5,400 00
Matrons	3	3	3	3	2,280 00	2 280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Janitors	3	5	4	4	1 889 68	3,180 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Extra help (attendants)		1	1	1		600 00	600 00	600 00
Physician	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Reader	1	1	1	1	180 00	180 00	180 00	180 00
Traveling teachers			2	2			3,000 00	3,000 00
Watchman	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Gardener	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Laborers	2	1	1	1	1,051 22	660 00	660 00	660 00
Engineers	2	2	2	2	1,780 09	2 340 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Gardener	1	1			207 00	720 00		
Superintendent	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Bookkeeper, clerk	2	2	2	2	2,882 66	2,700 00	2,760 00	2,760 00
Storekeeper, half time			1	1			480 00	480 00
Totals	30	32	34	34	$23,388 45	$25,920 00	$29,160 00	$29,160 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES.								
Feeding					$15,356 40	$15,500 00	$17,000 00	$17,000 00
Housekeeping					579 12	650 00	750 00	750 00
Medical care					134 87	175 00	175 00	175 00
Maintenance of buildings					488 88	300 00	550 00	550 00
Maintenance of grounds					19 50	25 00	25 00	25 00
Light, heat, power, refrigeration					2,123 55	3,138 00	2,895 00	2,895 00
Orchard and vegetable garden						75 00		
General office					176 23	225 00	225 00	225 00
Miscellaneous					39 58			
Totals					$18,918 13	$20,088 00	$21,620 00	$21,620 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Maintenance of employees in lieu of room and board					$550 30	$1,000 00	$850 00	$850 00
Laundry					3,000 00	3,000 00	3,250 00	3,250 00
Medical care					127 87	180 00	200 00	200 00
Education							1,800 00	1,800 00
Traveling					47 75	80 00	100 00	100 00
Repairs to equipment					115 69	400 00	125 00	125 00
Burial of inmates					45 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Water					641 45	750 00	700 00	700 00
Light, heat, power and refrigeration					1,546 33	1,775 00	2,050 00	2,050 00
Postage					35 00	75 00	45 00	45 00
Telephone and telegraph					239 67	200 00	280 00	280 00
Freight, cartage and express					107 56	200 00	150 00	150 00
Miscellaneous							220 00	220 00
Totals					$6,456 62	$7,760 00	$9,870 00	$9,870 00

BENEVOLENT.

INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR THE ADULT BLIND AT OAKLAND—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
EQUIPMENT				
Feeding (kitchen utensils, crockery, etc.)	$1,148 29	$500 00	$650 00	$650 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, etc.)	1,510 00	750 00	850 00	850 00
Medical			50 00	50 00
Maintenance of buildings and grounds	*20 35*	*550 00*	*50 00*	*50 00*
Fire protection	105 30		100 00	100 00
Light, heat power and refrigeration	152 36	150 00	150 00	150 00
Orchard and vegetable garden		100 00		
General offices	81 13	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals	$3,017 43	$2,150 00	$1,950 00	$1,950 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Reconstruction of bakeshop, dining rooms and kitchen		$10,000 00		

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$1,996 42			
Revenue	1,697 05	$1,700 00	$1,700 00	$1,700 00
Totals	$3,693 47	$1,700 00	$1,700 00	$1,700 00
		3,693 47		1,700 00
Totals for biennium		$5,393 47		$3,400 00

BENEVOLENT.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS HOME AT SANTA CLARA.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	9	9	11	11	$6,456 61	$6,425 00	$9,450 00	$9,450 00
Materials and supplies					6,562 97	4 345 00	6,975 00	6,975 00
Service and expense					2,212 36	2,550 00	2,350 00	2,350 00
Equipment					44 40	180 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$15,276 34	$13,500 00	$19,775 00	$19,775 00
						15,276 34		19,775 00
Totals for biennium						$28,776 34		$39,550 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements						$5,000 00		
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Matron	1	1	1	1	$1,200 00	$1,200 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Cook	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Waitress help	1	1	1	1	506 03	600 00	720 00	720 00
Nurses	2	2	4	4	1,710 97	1,505 00	2,970 00	2,970 00
Farm help	2	2	2	2	1,558 00	1,620 00	1 980 00	1,980 00
Secretary-Treasurers	2	2	2	2	581 61	600 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals	9	9	11	11	$6,456 61	$6,425 00	$9,450 00	$9,450 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Support and subsistence					$5,181 26	$3,000 00	$5,300 00	$5,300 00
Care and welfare					61 72	150 00	100 00	100 00
Maintenance—buildings and grounds					82 98	150 00	50 00	50 00
Farming					326 16	400 00	525 00	525 00
General					907 85	645 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$6,562 97	$4,345 00	$6,975 00	$6,975 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Automobile					$150 18	$125 00	$150 00	$150 00
Laundry					714 68	775 00	750 00	750 00
Light, heat and power					435 12	500 00	450 00	450 00
Miscellaneous					414 33	550 00	500 00	500 00
Traveling					290 94	350 00	300 00	300 00
Telephone and telegraph					207 11	250 00	200 00	200 00
Totals					$2,212 36	$2,550 00	$2,350 00	$2,350 00
EQUIPMENT								
Automobile					$44 40		$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Miscellaneous						180 00		
Totals					$44 40	$180 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Purchase of land		$5,000 00		

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period			$7,000 00	
Revenue	$4,634 48	$4,500 00	4,500 00	$4,500 00
Totals	$4,634 48	$4,500 00	$11,500 00	$4,500 00
		4,634 48		11,500 00
Totals for biennium		$9,134 48		$16,000 00

BENEVOLENT.

AID TO ORPHANS.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
FIXED CHARGES				
Aid to orphans	$1 473,800 00	$1 474,000 00 1,473,800 00	$1,475 000 00	$1,475,000 00 1,475,000 00
Totals for biennium		$2,947,800 00		$2,950,000 00

CONSERVATION

STATE BOARD OF FORESTRY.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	13	10	12	12	$58,814 69	$62 285 00	$61 145 00	$61,145 00
Materials and supplies					5,973 84	4,595 00	4,687 50	4,687 50
Service and expense					16,841 24	15,865 00	25,212 50	25,212 50
Equipment					1,925 56	1,470 00	2,050 00	2,050 00
Totals					$83,555 33	$84,215 00	$93,095 00	$93 095 00
						83,555 33		93,095 00
Totals for biennium						$167,770 33		$186,190 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Administrative and Executive								
State Forester	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Deputy Forester	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00	1 920 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,810 00	1,820 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Stenographers	1	1	2	2	1,200 00	1,200 00	2,580 00	2,580 00
Totals	5	5	6	6	$12,530 00	$12,540 00	$13,900 00	$13,900 00
Forest and Watershed Protection								
Inspectors	2	2	2	2	$4,200 00	$4 200 00	$4 560 00	$4,560 00
Rangers, Lookouts, Laborers					33,865 15	39,950 00	35 710 00	35,710 00
Totals	2	2	2	2	$38 065 15	$44,150 00	$40,270 00	$40,270 00
State Nursery								
Nurseryman	1	1	1	1	$1,800 00	$1,800 00	$1,800 00	$1,800 00
Laborers	5	1	2	2	3,242 00	600 00	1,675 00	1,675 00
Assistant Nurseryman		1	1	1		1,320 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals	6	3	4	4	$5 042 00	$3,720 00	$4,975 00	$4,975 00
Humboldt Redwood Park								
Rangers, Patrolmen, Laborers					$3,177 54	$1,875 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Totals salaries and wages	13	10	12	12	$58,814 69	$62,285 00	$61,145 00	$61,145 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Administration								
Automobiles					$469 32	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
Office					138 47		275 00	275 00
Printing					794 70	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$1,402 49	$1,300 00	$1,575 00	$1,575 00
Forest and Watershed Protection								
Automobiles					$1,496 13	$1,000 00		
Rangers, laborers' supplies					2,328 48	1,790 00	$2,500 00	$2,500 00
Totals					$3,824 61	$2,790 00	$2,500 00	$2,500 00
State Nursery								
Automobiles					$128 77	$75 00	$125 00	$125 00
Nursery supplies					200 64	100 00	312 50	312 50
Totals					$329 41	$175 00	$437 50	$437 50
Humboldt Redwood Park								
Automobiles					$417 33	$330 00	$175 00	$175 00
Totals, materials and supplies					$5,973 84	$4,595 00	$4,687 50	$4,687 50

CONSERVATION.

STATE BOARD OF FORESTRY—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Administrative and Executive				
Traveling	$1,385 54	$1,900 00	$3,750 00	$3,750 00
Telephone and telegraph	479 65	765 00	600 00	600 00
Automobiles	419 30	300 00	300 00	300 00
Freight, cartage and express	18 46	25 00	25 00	25 00
Postage	405 00	900 00	500 00	500 00
Press clippings	115 84			
Miscellaneous	44 86		75 00	75 00
Totals	$2,868 65	$3,890 00	$5,250 00	$5,250 00
Forest and Watershed Protection				
Traveling	$6,844 58	$6,100 00	$12,500 00	$12,500 00
Automobiles	2,920 06	2,500 00		
Transportation	2,713 70	2 500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Freight cartage and express	9 43	59 00	50 00	50 00
Telephone and telegraph	201 27			
Miscellaneous	558 60			
Totals	$13,247 64	$11,150 00	$15,050 00	$15,050 00
State Nursery				
Telephone and telegraph	$55 45		$62 50	$62 50
Automobiles	71 59	$25 00	125 00	125 00
Light heat and power	317 57	150 00	250 00	250 00
Miscellaneous	49 18	50 00	150 00	150 00
Totals	$493 79	$225 00	$587 50	$587 50
Humboldt Redwood Park				
Automobiles	$84 82	$300 00	$175 00	$175 00
Telephone and telegraph	4 47			
Traveling	83 74	200 00	250 00	250 00
Miscellaneous	58 13	100 00	100 00	100 00
Freight, cartage and express			50 00	50 00
Clearing sites, etc			3,750 00	3,750 00
Totals	$231 16	$600 00	$4,325 00	$4,325 00
Totals, service and expense	$16,841 24	$15,865 00	$25,212 50	$25,212 50
EQUIPMENT				
Administrative and Executive				
Books	$19 00			
Automobiles		$1,200 00	$1,050 00	$1,050 00
Totals	$19 00	$1,200 00	$1,050 00	$1,050 00
Forest and Watershed Protection				
Automobiles	$1,235 00			
Tools, etc	147 35	$270 00		
Totals	$1,382 35	$270 00		
State Nursery				
Tools, etc	$524 21		$500 00	$500 00
Humboldt Redwood Park				
Automobiles			$500 00	$500 00
Totals, equipment	$1,925 56	$1,470 00	$2,050 00	$2,050 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Revenue during year	$33,463 03	$35,300 00	$38 375 00	$38 375 00
		33,463 03		38,375 00
Totals for biennium		$68,763 03		$76,750 00

CONSERVATION

REDWOOD PARK COMMISSION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	2	3	5	5	$10,089 50	$8,442 00	$10,342 00	$10,342 00
Materials and supplies					2,067 43	1,668 00	1,818 00	1,818 00
Service and expense					1,334 08	1,410 00	1,490 00	1,490 00
Equipment					160 00			
Totals					$13,651 01	$11,520 00	$13,650 00	$13,650 00
						13,651 01		13,650 00
Totals for biennium						$25,171 01		$27,300 00
Recurrent Appropriations						30,000 00		30,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
Executive Officer	1				$810 00			
Accountant (part time)		1	1	1		$420 00	$600 00	$600 00
Stenographer (part time)		1	1	1		240 00	240 00	240 00
Warden	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Plumber and General Mechanic			1	1			1,800 00	1,800 00
Foreman			1	1			1,500 00	1,500 00
Extra labor					7,779 50	6,282 00	4,702 00	4,702 00
Totals	2	3	5	5	$10,089 50	$8,442 00	$10,342 00	$10,342 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
General upkeep					$1,084 14	$1,078 00	$1,078 00	$1,078 00
Automobile					180 72	200 00	250 00	250 00
Stable					722 13	300 00	400 00	400 00
Printing and stationery					70 39	90 00	90 00	90 00
Totals					$2,067 43	$1,668 00	$1,818 00	$1,818 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Postage					$14 00	$30 00	$30 00	$30 00
Telephone and telegraph					55 15	60 00	60 00	60 00
Traveling					236 01	200 00	230 00	230 00
Warden					720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Automobile					164 82	200 00	250 00	250 00
Stable					44 10	100 00	100 00	100 00
Water					100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$1,334 08	$1,410 00	$1,490 00	$1,490 00
EQUIPMENT								
Tools and equipment					$160 00			

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years	Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years
RECURRENT APPROPRIATIONS		
Purchase of Land, Statutes 1917, Ch 690	$30,000 00	$30,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year				
Revenue during year	$11,180 33	$10 000 00	$10,000 00	$10,000 00
		11,180 33		10,000 00
Totals for biennium		$21,180 33		$20,000 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	12	12	12	12	$41,029 67	$40,820 00	$42,230 00	$42,230 00
Materials and supplies					9,246 70	10,800 00	13,300 00	13,300 00
Service and expense					102,672 36	109,650 00	105,630 00	105,630 00
Property and equipment					92 07	500 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$153,040 80	$161,770 00	$161,260 00	$161,260 00
						153,040 80		161,260 00
Totals for biennium						$314,810 80		$322,520 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements								$51,500 00
Total recurrent appropriations						$10,000 00		$10,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Secretary	1	1	1	1	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00
Accountant	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Financial Department (Fair period)					2,606 74	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Watchmen	2	2	2	2	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Watchmen (Fair period)					2,479 84	2,500 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Laborers (Fair period)					10,894 70	11,200 00	12,850 00	12,850 00
Gardener	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Electricians and carpenters (Fair period)					7,424 75	6,500 00	5,350 00	5,350 00
Publicity Agent (2 months)	1	1	1	1	500 00	500 00	500 00	500 00
Stenographer (2 months)	1	1	1	1	200 00	200 00	200 00	200 00
Chief Clerk (Exhibits 3 mos.)	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Exhibit Solicitor (2 months)	1	1	1	1	400 00	400 00	400 00	400 00
Superintendent of Art Gallery	1	1	1	1	100 00	100 00	150 00	150 00
Assistant, Vocation and Women's Department	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Races—Help					85 00	700 00	700 00	700 00
Miscellaneous extra help—Fair period					4,218 64	4,100 00	4,380 00	4,380 00
Totals	12	12	12	12	$41,029 67	$40,820 00	$42,230 00	$42,230 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$521 87	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
Maintenance and repairs					8,724 83	10,500 00	13,000 00	13,000 00
Totals					$9,246 70	$10,800 00	$13,300 00	$13,300 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Directors traveling					$2,569 55	$2,750 00	$2,980 00	$2,980 00
Office expense					3,354 69	3,950 00	3,200 00	3,200 00
Automobile					832 94	700 00	700 00	700 00
Maintenance, repairs, rent, equipment					13,511 71	18,000 00	14,500 00	14,500 00
Newspaper advertising					2,754 60	4 000 00	2,750 00	2,750 00
Outdoor advertising					450 65	500 00	500 00	500 00
Attractions					17,773 17	19,500 00	18,000 00	18,000 00
General exhibit expense					5,175 61	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Premiums					36,111 84	33,750 00	37,500 00	37,500 00
Judges					3,490 04	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Trophies, medals and ribbons					2,837 56	2,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Race purses					13,810 00	17,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00
Totals					$102,672 36	$109,650 00	$105,630 00	$105,630 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$92 07	$500 00	$100 00	$100 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Purchase of land			$20,250 00	
Construction of barns			22,500 00	
Painting			8,750 00	
Total				$51,500 00
RECURRENT APPROPRIATIONS				
Agricultural statistics (Chapter 584, 1911)		$10,000 00		$10,000 00

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year		$80,000 00	$88,250 00	$88,250 00
Revenue during year	$91,003 46	91,003 46		88,250 00
Totals for biennium		$171,003 46		$176,500 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

SIXTH DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION AT LOS ANGELES.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	14	13	13	13	$24,878 41	$25,100 00	$26,080 00	$26,080 00
Materials and supplies					2,294 32	2,225 00	2,475 00	2,475 00
Service and expense					3,578 93	4,625 00	4,875 00	4,875 00
Equipment					275 22	350 00	1,075 00	225 00
Totals					$31,026 88	$32,300 00	$34,505 00	$33,655 00
						31,026 88		34,505 00
Totals for biennium						$63,326 88		$68,160 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Secretary	1	1	1	1	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$4,200 00	$4,200 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1 800 00
Processor	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2 400 00
Processor Assistant	1	1	1	1	1,980 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1 800 00
Assistant Exhibit Installer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1 500 00
Handyman (part time)	1	1	1	1	1,125 00	1,500 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Information Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Policeman	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Cabinetmaker	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Janitors	2	2	2	2	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Night Janitors	2	2	2	2	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Handyman (part time)	1				375 00			
Extra help					2,738 41	3,740 00	4,360 00	4,360 00
Totals	14	13	13	13	$24,878 41	$25,100 00	$26,080 00	$26,080 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Directors					$63 18	$75 00	$75 00	$75 00
Secretary and office					25 72	50 00	50 00	50 00
Automobile					263 32	300 00	300 00	300 00
Stationery and printing					49 01	100 00	100 00	100 00
Exhibits					1,063 98	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Publicity					229 27	100 00	250 00	250 00
Janitors and mechanics					364 10	300 00	400 00	400 00
Light, heat and power					235 74	300 00	300 00	300 00
Totals					$2,294 32	$2,225 00	$2,475 00	$2,475 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.								
Directors					$9 91	$260 00	$260 00	$260 00
Secretary and office					70 02	125 00	75 00	75 00
Automobile					246 09	300 00	300 00	300 00
Freight, cartage and express					56 95	75 00	75 00	75 00
Postage					20 00	50 00	50 00	50 00
Printing							125 00	125 00
Telephone and telegraph					153 27	165 00	165 00	165 00
Exhibits					1,042 05	1,200 00	1 375 00	1 375 00
Traveling expense					144 25	200 00	200 00	200 00
Publicity					27 37	100 00	100 00	100 00
Janitors and mechanics					108 16	150 00	150 00	150 00
Heat, light and power					1,700 86	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals					$3 578 93	$4,625 00	$4,875 00	$4,875 00
EQUIPMENT								
Secretary and office					$9 88	$25 00	$25 00	$25 00
Automobile					3 35		850 00	
Exhibits					64 70	200 00	75 00	75 00
Publicity					177 75	25 00	25 00	25 00
Janitors and mechanics					19 54	75 00	75 00	75 00
Heat, light and power						25 00	25 00	25 00
Totals					$275 22	$350 00	$1,075 00	$225 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	200	212	254	254	$377,415 46	$436,521 00	$464 606 00	$475 136 00
Materials and supplies	---	---	---	---	13,952 62	21,730 00	23,225 00	23,225 00
Service and expense	---	---	---	---	118,951 16	163 847 00	178,899 50	178,899 50
Equipment	---	---	---	---	5,284 25	10,025 00	18,720 00	18,720 00
Totals	---	---	---	---	$515,603 49	$632,123 00	$685,450 50	$695,980 50
						515,603 49		685,450 50
Totals for biennium	---	---	---	---	---	$1,147,726 49	---	$1,381,431 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Administration								
Director	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Chief Accountant	1	1	1	1	3,500 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Senior Accountant	---	1	1	1	---	2,100 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,070 00	2,280 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Stenographer-Clerks	2	2	2	2	2,580 00	2,820 00	2,820 00	2,880 00
Typist-Clerks	3	3	4	4	2,971 95	3 300 00	4,620 00	4,800 00
Clerks	3	3	5	5	4,280 00	4,680 00	7,320 00	7,440 00
Stenographer-Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Stenographers	3	3	3	3	3,186 50	3,240 00	3 900 00	3,900 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	750 32	780 00	840 00	900 00
Telephone operator	1	1	1	1	1,152 48	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	1,196 94	1,020 00	1,080 00	1,200 00
Technical Assistant	1	1	1	1	2,580 00	2,700 00	2 700 00	2,700 00
Statistician	1	1	1	1	2,175 00	2,400 00	2,520 00	2 640 00
Collaborator	1	1	1	1	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
Handyman	1	1	1	1	1,400 00	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Janitors (part time)	2	2	2	2	1,656 00	1,656 00	1,656 00	1,656 00
Additional help	---	---	---	---	313 09	1,500 00	840 00	840 00
Totals	24	25	28	28	$37,212 28	$43,026 00	$47,676 00	$48,336 00
Division of Animal Industry								
Livestock Sanitary Service								
Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Associate Chief	---	1	1	1	---	3,300 00	3,420 00	3,600 00
Superintendent Tuberculosis Control	1	1	1	1	3,170 00	3,420 00	3,420 00	3,600 00
Superintendent Meat Inspection	1	1	1	1	3,354 73	3,420 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Principal Clerk	1	1	---	---	2,158 26	1 800 00	---	---
Stenographer-Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,500 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Stenographers (part time)	2	2	2	2	1,503 00	1,560 00	1 650 00	1,650 00
Stenographers	4	4	5	5	4 980 00	5,160 00	6,540 00	6,840 00
Clerk-Typist	1	1	1	1	1,017 26	1,080 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Supervising Veterinarian	1	1	1	1	3,120 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Supervising Veterinarian (part time)	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,560 00	1,650 00	1,650 00
Senior Veterinarians	3	5	5	5	8,427 90	14,040 00	14,400 00	15,000 00
Veterinarians	17	15	20	20	38,079 51	34,380 00	46,170 00	48,840 00
Additional help	---	---	---	---	2,419 02	1,800 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Totals	34	35	40	40	$75,409 68	$80,320 00	$93,070 00	$97,000 00
Bureau of Dairy Control								
Chief of Bureau	1	1	1	1	$3,300 00	$3,600 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Supervising Veterinarian (part time)	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,560 00	1,650 00	1,650 00
Clerks	2	2	2	2	2,958 72	3,240 00	3,480 00	3,720 00
Stenographer (part time)	1	1	1	1	693 00	750 00	750 00	750 00
Stenographers	2	1	1	1	2,520 00	1,320 00	1,500 00	1,620 00
Typists	1	2	2	2	909 55	2,040 00	2,280 00	2,520 00
Market Milk Specialist	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,760 00	2,880 00	3,000 00
Assistant Market Milk Specialist	---	1	1	1	---	2,400 00	2 520 00	2,640 00
Factory Inspector	1	1	1	1	2,135 97	2,100 00	2,220 00	2,340 00
Senior Dairy Inspector	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Dairy Inspectors	12	11	11	11	21,886 61	21,000 00	22,140 00	22,980 00
Additional help	---	---	---	---	30 65	350 00	240 00	240 00
Totals	23	23	23	23	$40,614 50	$43,520 00	$46,180 00	$47,980 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—(CONTINUED)

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Division of Chemistry								
Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographers (part time)		1	1	1		420 00	420 00	420 00
Typists	3	3	3	3	3,214 61	3,360 00	3,240 00	3,480 00
Assistant Chemists	2	2	2	2	5,820 00	5,820 00	5,820 00	6,180 00
Assistant Bacteriologist	1	1	1	1	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Junior Chemists	5	6	7	7	11,260 00	13,800 00	15,840 00	16,560 00
Laboratory Assistants	3	3	4	4	2,633 03	2,760 00	3,660 00	3,780 00
Janitor (part time)	1	1	1	1	535 50	300 00	300 00	300 00
Senior Inspector	1	2	1	1	2,180 00	2,370 00	2 400 00	2,520 00
Senior Inspector (part time)	2	1	1	1	2,395 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Inspectors	3	3	5	5	5,440 00	5,760 00	8,880 00	9,240 00
Additional help					69 00	500 00	500 00	500 00
Totals	23	25	28	28	$41,567 14	$44 310 00	$50,280 00	$52,200 00
Division of Plant Industry—Bureau of Plant Quarantine and Pest Control								
Chief of Bureau	1	1	1	1	$3,999 60	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Supervising Quarantine Officers	3	3	3	3	7,435 00	9,060 00	9,180 00	9,180 00
Quarantine Officers	3	5	6	6	6,840 00	11,370 00	13,800 00	13,920 00
Port Inspectors	16	14	14	14	29,165 39	26,580 00	26 160 00	26,520 00
Border Inspectors	8	8	9	9	13,420 85	14 580 00	16,560 00	16,560 00
Border Inspectors (part time)	9	14	19	19	6 539 53	10 260 00	11,620 00	11 620 00
Quarantine Guards	3	3	3	3	2,754 39	4 500 00	4.500 00	4,500 00
Collaborators	4	3	24	24	1,037 90	900 00	3,600 00	3 600 00
Stenographers	6	6	7	7	7,930 00	8,400 00	10,020 00	10,020 00
Stenographers (part time)	3	2	1	1	985 89	960 00	420 00	420 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	1,190 32	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Entomologists	2	2	2	2	4,901 08	6 600 00	6,600 00	6,600 00
Assistant Entomologists		1	2	2		2,400 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
Field Assistants	2	2	2	2	3,860 00	3,840 00	3.840 00	3,960 00
Viticulturist	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2 700 00	2 760 00	2,880 00
Plant Pathologist	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Assistant Pathologist	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,310 00	2,400 00	2,520 00
Superintendent Nursery Service	1	1	1	1	2,340 00	2,640 00	2,760 00	2,880 00
Zoologists	2	2	2	2	3,784 68	4,560 00	5 040 00	5,340 00
Hunters, Trappers					22,041 19	29,660 00	13,860 00	13,860 00
Laborer (part time)	1	1	1	1	507 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Additional help					91 87	900 00	600 00	600 00
Totals	68	72	101	101	$126,924 69	$151,320 00	$147,620 00	$148,880 00
Division of Markets								
Chief of Division	1				$1,249 95			
Stenographer (part time)	1				526 94			
Produce Reporter	1	1	1	1	2,520 00	$2,820 00	$2,820 00	$2,820 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Livestock Reporter	1	1	1	1	2,007 96	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Clerk (part time)	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Deputy	1				120 97			
Additional help						60 00	60 00	60 00
Totals	7	4	4	4	$8,225 82	$7,080 00	$7,080 00	$7,080 00
Bureau of Fruit and Vegetable Standardization								
Chief of Bureau (part salary)	1	1	1	1	$3,000 27	$1,600 00	$1,600 00	$1,600 00
Assistant Chief of Bureau (part salary)	1	1	1	1	1,725 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Supervising Inspector	1	1	1	1	2,556 05	2,700 00	2,700 00	3,000 00
Assistant Supervising Inspector		1	1	1		2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Supervising Potato Inspector		1	1	1	1,680 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,228 23	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,380 00
Additional help					1,384 72	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals	4	6	6	6	$11,574 27	$14,320 00	$14,320 00	$14,620 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—(CONCLUDED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Bureau of Grain, Seed and Warehouse Standardization								
Chief of Bureau	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Supervising Inspector	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,120 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Chief Deputy Grain Inspector	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3 000 00	3,000 00
Inspectors	4	5	6	6	7 429 35	10,590 00	12,240 00	12,360 00
Grain Sampler	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1 320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Cotton classers	1	4	4	4	2 700 00	12,050 00	13,500 00	13,500 00
Stenographers	2	2	2	2	2,552 75	2 580 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Seed Specialist	1	1	1	1	2,760 00	2,880 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Seed Analyst	1	2	2	2	1,800 00	3,790 00	4,080 00	4 200 00
Seed Analyst (part time)	1	1	1	1	922 50	1,000 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Additional help					1,333 65	1,975 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals	14	19	20	20	$30,698 25	$46,305 00	$50,340 00	$50,580 00
Division of Weights and Measures								
Assistant Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	$2,400 00	$2,700 00	$3,000 00	$3 300 00
Stenographers	2	2	3	3	2,766 83	2,880 00	4,140 00	4,260 00
Additional help					22 00	740 00	900 00	900 00
Totals	3	3	4	4	$5,188 83	$6,320 00	$8,040 00	$8 460 00
Totals, salaries and wages	200	212	254	254	$377,415 46	$436.521 00	$464,606 00	$475,136 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Fuel oil					$214 20	$250 00	$250 00	$250 00
Printing					5,229 57	11,335 00	11,960 00	11,960 00
Office laboratory and miscellaneous supplies					8 508 85	10,145 00	11,015 00	11,015 00
Totals					$13,952 62	$21,730 00	$23,225 00	$23,225 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$66,982 89	$104,000 00	$116 562 50	$116,562 50
Automobiles					14 042 39	13,600 00	16,925 00	16 925 00
Telephone and telegraph					6,255 95	6 080 00	6 290 00	6,290 00
Postage					3,896 30	5,550 00	4,835 00	4,835 00
Freight, cartage and express					873 76	800 00	815 00	815 00
Rent					22,057 00	23,352 00	23,652 00	23,652 00
Light heat and power					1,751 32	1,825 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Reporting vessels					289 75	300 00	300 00	300 00
Cotton sampling						4,000 00	4,000 00	4,600 00
Miscellaneous					2,801 80	4,340 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Totals					$118,951 16	$163,847 00	$178,899 50	$178,899 50
EQUIPMENT								
New and replacements					$5,284 25	$10,025 00	$18,720 00	$18 720 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Revenue during year	$119,123 55	$140,150 00 119,123 55	$147,750 00	$147,750 00 147,750 00
Totals for biennium		$259,273 55		$295,500 00

DEVELOPMENTAL

SURVEYOR GENERAL.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	10	10	10	10	$24,249 13	$24,440 00	$24,800 00	$25,100 00
Materials and supplies					1,264 32	2,170 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
Service and expense					2,185 21	1,610 00	1,822 50	1,822 50
Equipment							300 00	300 00
Totals					$27 698 66	$28 220 00	$28,222 50	$28,522 50
						27,698 66		28,222 50
Totals for biennium						$55,918 66		$56,745 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Surveyor General	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5 000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Deputy Surveyor General	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Assistant Surveyor General	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,300 00	3,600 00
Civil Engineer	1	1			2,280 00	2 280 00		
Abstractor	1	1	1	1	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Abstractors	3	3	3	3	5,929 13	6,120 00	6,480 00	6,480 00
Stenographer-Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,860 00	1,860 00	1,920 00	1 920 00
Secretary			1	1			1,800 00	1,800 00
Porter	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Totals	10	10	10	10	$24,249 13	$24,440 00	$24,800 00	$25,100 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Automobile supplies					$181 33	$260 00	$200 00	$200 00
Office supplies					196 86	560 00	200 00	200 00
Printing					886 13	1,350 00	900 00	900 00
Totals					$1,264 32	$2,170 00	$1,300 00	$1,300 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Automobile					$238 95	$400 00	$250 00	$250 00
Clerical and office					311 76	150 00	325 00	325 00
Postage					384 00	387 50	387 50	387 50
Telephone and telegraph					107 43	72 50	110 00	110 00
Traveling					1,143 07	600 00	750 00	750 00
Totals					$2,185 21	$1,610 00	$1,822 50	$1,822 50
EQUIPMENT								
Office							$300 00	$300 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY COMMISSION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	4	4	4	4	$20,800 00	$20,800 00	$20,800 00	$20,800 00
Materials and supplies								
Service and expense								
Equipment								
Totals					$20,800 00	$20,800 00 20,800 00	$20,800 00	$20,800 00 20,800 00
Totals for biennium						$41,600 00		$41,600 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
State Highway Engineer	1	1	1	1	$10,000 00	$10,000 00	$10,000 00	$10,000 00
Commissioners	3	3	3	3	10,800 00	10,800 00	10,800 00	10,800 00
Totals	4	4	4	4	$20,800 00	$20,800 00	$20,800 00	$20,800 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—GENERAL OFFICE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	9	9	9	9	$20,080 00	$20,540 00	$20,540 00	$20,540 00
Materials and supplies					135 10	175 00	175 00	175 00
Service and expense					931 17	1,240 00	1,240 00	1,240 00
Equipment					106 06			
Totals					$21,252 33	$21,955 00 21,252 33	$21,955 00	$21,955 00 21,955 00
Totals for biennium						$43,207 33		$43,910 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Director	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Chief Accountant	1	1	1	1	2,450 00	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Senior Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,120 00	2,160 00	2 160 00	2,160 00
Senior Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,120 00	2,160 00	2,160 00	2 160 00
Senior Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,730 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Senior Clerk	1	1	1	1	1 575 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Junior Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,525 00	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Typist Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,160 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Totals	9	9	9	9	$20,080 00	$20,540 00	$20,540 00	$20,540 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Printing and stationery					$135 10	$175 00	$175 00	$175 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Telephone and telegraph					$132 07	$175 00	$175 00	$175 00
Miscellaneous					45 70	65 00	65 00	65 00
Traveling					753 40	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$931 17	$1,240 00	$1,240 00	$1,240 00
EQUIPMENT.								
Office					$106 06			

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	27	27	27	27	$48,778 94	$60,763 94	$64,000 00	$64,000 00
Materials and supplies	---	---	---	---	4,883 38	6 555 00	6,775 00	7.450 00
Service and expense	---	---	---	---	13,717 62	9 975 00	11,200 00	11,200 00
Equipment	---	---	---	---	510 25	3,525 00	1 025 00	3,525 00
Totals	---	---	---	---	$67,890 19	$80,818 94	$83,000 00	$86,175 00
						67,890 19		83 000 00
Totals for biennium	---	---	---	---	---	$148,709 13	---	$169,175 00
Total special appropriations	---	---	---	---	---	$20,000 00	---	---
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	$4,666 55	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Deputy Chief of Division	1	---	---	---	2,330 00	---	---	---
Attorney	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Office Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,360 00	3,360 00	3,360 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,280 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Assistant Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
File Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,170 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographers	4	4	4	4	5,390 00	5,760 00	5,760 00	5 760 00
Stenographer (part time)	---	1	1	1	---	750 00	750 00	750 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	900 00	960 00	960 00	960 00
Accountant (part time)	---	1	1	1	---	780 00	780 00	780 00
Associate Hydraulic Engineer (part time)	1	1	---	---	200 96	1,980 00	---	---
Associate Hydraulic Engineer	---	---	1	1	---	---	3,960 00	3,960 00
Associate Hydraulic Engineer (part time)	1	---	---	---	1,552 89	---	---	---
Associate Hydraulic Engineer	---	1	1	1	---	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Assistant Hydraulic Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,360 00	2,820 00	2,820 00	2,820 00
Assistant Hydraulic Engineer	1	1	---	---	2,585 00	2,820 00	---	---
Junior Hydraulic Engineers	9	8	9	9	12,710 55	17 070 00	20 280 00	20,280 00
Consulting Engineers	---	---	---	---	150 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Draftsman	1	1	1	1	2 050 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	570 56	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Extra help, salary increases, etc	---	---	---	---	1,242 43	2,543 94	3,410 00	3,410 00
Totals	27	27	27	27	$48,778 94	$60,763 94	$64,000 00	$64,000 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Stationery and printing					$1,830 74	$2,680 00	$3,575 00	$4,250 00
Blue printing and photostats					381 19	400 00	400 00	400 00
Miscellaneous					2,671 45	3,475 00	2,800 00	2,800 00
Totals					$4,883 38	$6,555 00	$6,775 00	$7,450 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$5,263 41	$5,525 00	$6,200 00	$6,200 00
Postage					930 00	925 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Freight and express					90 79	100 00	100 00	100 00
Automobile expense					2,753 52	2,850 00	3,300 00	3 300 00
Telephone and telegraph					571 04	575 00	600 00	600 00
Rent					4,108 86	---	---	---
Totals					$13,717 62	$9,975 00	$11,200 00	$11,200 00
EQUIPMENT								
Automobiles (replacement)					---	$2,500 00	---	$2,500 00
Typewriters (replacement)					---	200 00	$200 00	200 00
Files					$393 25	675 00	675 00	675 00
Miscellaneous					117 00	150 00	150 00	150 00
Totals					$510 25	$3,525 00	$1,025 00	$3,525 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendations, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
SPECIAL APPROPRIATION Aiding the Department of Interior of the United States in stream gauging work, Chapter 309-1923	----------	$20,000 00	----------	----------

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Revenue during year	$16,150 91	$20,125 00 16,150 91	$20,125 00	$20,125 00 20,125 00
Totals for biennium	----------	$36,275 91	----------	$40,250 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—DIVISION OF ENGINEERING AND IRRIGATION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	5	5	6	6	$13,260 00	$13,560 00	$17,380 00	$17,380 00
Materials and supplies					213 40	850 00	500 00	500 00
Service and expense					3,279 03	5 400 00	4,050 00	4,050 00
Equipment					200 00	250 00	250 00	250 00
Totals					$16,952 43	$20,060 00	$22,180 00	$22,180 00
						16,952 43		22,180 00
Totals for biennium						$37,012 43		$44,360 00
Special appropriation						$150,000 00	$75,000 00	$75,000 00
Recurrent appropriation						$60,000 00	$30,000 00	$30,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Deputy Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	$4,800 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00
Assistant to Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Assistant Hydraulic Engineer	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Hydraulic Engineer			1	1			3,000 00	3,000 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,740 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	900 00	1,020 00	780 00	780 00
Extra Help							1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals	5	5	6	6	$13,260 00	$13,560 00	$17,380 00	$17,380 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Stationery and printing					$213 40	$850 00	$500 00	$500 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Auto expense					$786 60	$750 00	$750 00	$750 00
Freight, cartage and express					89 62	150 00	200 00	200 00
Postage					202 45	500 00	250 00	250 00
Rent and janitor service					461 04	750 00	750 00	750 00
Telephone and telegraph					121 80	250 00	150 00	150 00
Traveling					745 33	2,300 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Office supplies					872 19	700 00	750 00	750 00
Totals					$3,279 03	$5,400 00	$4,050 00	$4,050 00
EQUIPMENT								
Miscellaneous					$200 00	$250 00	$250 00	$250 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years	Budget recommendations	
		Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SPECIAL APPROPRIATION			
Emergency flood protection and rectification of river channels in co-operation with other agencies, Chapter 121, 1923	$150,000 00	$75,000 00	$75,000 00
RECURRENT APPROPRIATION			
Cooperation with federal government, Chapter 704, 1909	$60,000 00	$30,000 00	$30,000 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	5	5	5	5	$15,597 63	$16,058 37	$116,000 00	$116,000 00
Materials and supplies					1,690 51	1,600 00	1,950 00	1,950 00
Service and expense					8,484 49	7,075 00	8,300 00	8,300 00
Equipment						1,500 00	7,350 00	250 00
Totals					$25,772 63	$26,233 37	$133,600 00	$126,500 00
						25,772 63		133,600 00
Totals for biennium						$52,006 00		$260,100 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
State Architect	1	1	1	1	$4,800 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00
Assistant Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	2,790 00	3,090 00	3,090 00	3,090 00
General Superintendent of Construction	1	1	1	1	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,356 67	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Janitor	1	1	1	1	750 96	668 37	610 00	610 00
Architectural and Office Salaries							57,000 00	57,000 00
Superintendent and field salaries							43,000 00	43,000 00
Totals	5	5	5	5	$15,597 63	$16,058 37	$116,000 00	$116,000 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$669 13	$600 00	$750 00	$750 00
Printing					1,021 38	1,000 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals					$1,690 51	$1,600 00	$1,950 00	$1,950 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$3,324 48	$2,775 00	$3,500 00	$3,500 00
Postage					402 90	400 00	400 00	400 00
Freight and express					81 56	100 00	100 00	100 00
Automobile					3 054 23	2,700 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Telephone and telegraph					1 228 05	800 00	1,000 00	1 000 00
Miscellaneous					393 27	300 00	300 00	300 00
Totals					$8,484 49	$7,075 00	$8,300 00	$8,300 00
EQUIPMENT								
Automobile						$1,500 00	$7,100 00	
Office							250 00	250 00
Totals						$1,500 00	$7,350 00	$250 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

STATE MINING BUREAU—MINING DIVISION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th....	76th....	77th....	78th....	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	17	17	16	16	$31,353 03	$34,506 67	$33,860 00	$34,400 00
Materials and supplies					4,696 09	6,890 00	6,150 00	6 150 00
Service and expense					9,575 52	8,818 00	8 638 00	8,638 00
Equipment					210 90	275 00	2,050 00	1,554 00
Totals					$45,835 54	$50,489 67	$50,698 00	$50,742 00
						45,835 54		50,698 00
Totals for biennium						$96,325 21		$101,440 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
State Mineralogist	1	1	1	1	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00	$3,600 00
Deputy	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,760 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Mineral Technologist	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Mining Engineers	3	3	3	3	8,775 00	9,000 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Geologist (part time)		1				1,000 00		
Field Geologist	1				100 00			
Chief Draftsman	1	1	1	1	2,340 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Geologist Draftsman	1				250 00			
Museum Assistant	1	1			54 17	316 67		
Laboratory Assistant	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1 800 00
Librarian	1	1	1	1	1,455 64	1,500 00	1 680 00	1,800 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Stenographers	3	4	5	5	4,455 00	5,700 00	5,700 00	5 820 00
Vacation—extra help					303 22	250 00	500 00	500 00
Totals	17	17	16	16	$31,353 03	$34,506 67	$33,860 00	$34,400 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office supplies					$288 72	$275 00	$400 00	$400 00
Printing					3,838 93	6,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Automobile					556 31	600 00	700 00	700 00
Drafting supplies					12 13	15 00	50 00	50 00
Totals					$4,696 09	$6,890 00	$6,150 00	$6,150 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.								
Rent					$958 80	$1,000 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Postage					920 97	850 00	800 00	800 00
Freight and cartage					282 76	280 00	300 00	300 00
Gas and electric					232 04	230 00	230 00	230 00
Telephone and telegraph					442 86	450 00	500 00	500 00
Miscellaneous					620 36	600 00	600 00	600 00
Insurance on loaned specimens					108 00	108 00	108 00	108 00
Alterations to San Francisco office					964 40			
Blue printing and photography					3,018 27	1,500 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Traveling					965 18	3,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Automobile repairs					1,061 88	800 00	1,100 00	1,100 00
Totals					$9,575 52	$8,818 00	$8,638 00	$8,638 00
EQUIPMENT.								
Office					$190 82	$225 00	$300 00	$100 00
Automobiles							1,500 00	1,250 00
Automobile parts					20 08	25 00	100 00	100 00
Drafting equipment						25 00	150 00	104 00
Totals					$210 90	$275 00	$2,050 00	$1,554 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

RECURRENT APPROPRIATIONS.

	Citations	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years	Recommended, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years
Flood control—Los Angeles County	Stats 1921-749	$600,000 00	$600,000 00
Sutter Basin Assessment No 6	Stats 1919-556	600 000 00	600,000 00
Sacramento building	Stats 1919-619	100,000 00	
Totals		$1,300,000 00	$1,200,000 00

DEFENSIVE.

CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD AND ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	15	15	15	15	$26,995 02	$26,380 00	$25,740 00	$25 740 00
Materials and supplies					6,612 84	4,900 00	4,900 00	4,900 00
Service and expense					156,409 86	199,155 00	203,990 00	222,640 00
Equipment					3,760 38	8,220 24	21,500 00	6,500 00
Totals					$193,778 10	$238,655 24	$256,130 00	$259,780 00
						193,778 10		256,130 00
Totals for biennium						$432,433 34		$515,910 00
Special appropriation for biennium						$20,000 00		$20,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Adjutant General	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Auditor	1	1	1	1	2,200 00	2,200 00	2,200 00	2 200 00
Personnel Registrar	1	1	1	1	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Record keeper	1	1			2,000 00	2,000 00		
Property Accountant	1	1	1	1	1,833 34	2 000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Stenographer-Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,700 00	1,700 00	1,700 00	1,700 00
Military Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,400 00
Stenographer Clerk—Auditor	1	1	1	1	1 500 00	1,590 00	1,620 00	1 620 00
Stenographer Clerk—Personnel	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,590 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
File Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,425 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerks	3	3	3	3	3,600 00	3,780 00	3 960 00	3,960 00
Janitor, Office	1	1	1	1	840 00	840 00	840 00	840 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	720 00	855 00	900 00	900 00
Extra Clerical and Stenographer help					1,501 68			
Assistant Military Storekeeper			1	1			1,000 00	1 000 00
Totals	15	15	15	15	$26,995 02	$26,380 00	$25,740 00	$25,740 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
General office					$1,377 84	$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Printing					1,169 28	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Armories					3,077 79	1 000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Rifle ranges and target practice					470 29	500 00	500 00	500 00
Medals and trophies					97 46	150 00	150 00	150 00
Encampments, maneuvers and parades					295 85	100 00	100 00	100 00
Military publications					124 33	150 00	150 00	150 00
Totals					$6,612 84	$4,900 00	$4,900 00	$4,900 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling expenses, officers and enlisted men					$2,124 38	$2,500 00	$2 500 00	$2,500 00
Officer details					273 98	300 00	500 00	500 00
Automobiles					656 74	800 00	800 00	800 00
Expressage and freight					2,553 41	1,900 00	1,850 00	1,850 00
Telephone and telegraph					1,490 06	1,225 00	1,425 00	1,425 00
Postage					759 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Bond premiums					270 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
Armories and arsenals care and custody					11,791 83	8,920 00	8,920 00	8,920 00
Rent of storage space					2,637 50	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Light, heat and water					3,472 88	100 00	100 00	100 00
Rentals and care of rifle ranges					5,522 74	4,200 00	4,300 00	4,300 00
Traveling expense, rifle competitions					177 77	150 00	150 00	150 00
Subsistence, rifle competitions					485 03	500 00	500 00	500 00
Entrance fees, rifle competitions					200 00	200 00	200 00	200 00
Transportation, encampments					372 17	250 00	250 00	250 00
Subsistence, encampments					954 00	250 00	250 00	250 00
Miscellaneous services, encampments					78 46	100 00	100 00	100 00
Organization and recruiting					857 61	1,100 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Care of animals					142 95			
Uniform allowances						11,850 00	10,000 00	11,250 00
Quarterly allowances					119,743 35	160,810 00	166,545 00	183 945 00
Miscellaneous					1,846 00			
Totals					$156,400 66	$199,155 00	$203,990 00	$222,640 00
EQUIPMENT								
Labor on property and equipment					$611 86	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Purchase of horses for field artillery						2,500 00	3,000 00	
Building of hangars for air unit, Los Angeles						3,120 24		
Repairs and improvements to armories					3,148 52	2,100 00	18,000 00	3,000 00
Mules for infantry regiments								3 000 00
Totals					$3,760 38	$8,220 24	$21,500 00	$6 500 00

DEFENSIVE.

CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD AND ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated		Budget recommendations	
	Seventy-fifth fiscal year	Seventy-sixth fiscal year	Seventy-seventh fiscal year	Seventy-eighth fiscal year
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS				
Maintenance of high school cadets	$10,000 00	$10,000 00 10,000 00	$10,000 00	$10,000 00 10,000 00
Totals for biennium		$20,000 00		$20,000 00

EDUCATIONAL

BOARD OF EDUCATION—ADMINISTRATIVE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	20	21	21	21	$29,957 40	$39,945 00	$37,060 00	$37,060 00
Materials and supplies	---	---	---	---	1 636 28	1,800 00	2,900 00	2 900 00
Service and expense	---	---	---	---	9 347 23	9,800 00	13,950 00	13 950 00
Equipment	---	---	---	---	156 76	200 00	550 00	550 00
Totals	---	---	---	---	$41,097 67	$51,745 00 41,097 67	$54,460 00	$54,460 00 54 460 00
Totals for biennium	---	---	---	---		$92,842 67		$108,920 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board members (per diem)	7	7	7	7	$3,570 00	$5,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Commissioners	2	2	2	2	9,000 00	9,000 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Commissioner (half time)	1	1	1	1	1,458 28	2 500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Supervisor (part time)	1	1	1	1	3,323 60	3,200 00	3,200 00	3 200 00
Assistant Supervisor	--	1	1	1	---	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2 400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Accountant (part time)	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Secretarial Stenographers	3	2	3	3	4,450 00	3,120 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
Secretarial Stenographer (pt time)	1	1	1	1	780 00	780 00	900 00	900 00
Stenographers	2	3	2	2	1,800 00	3,780 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	1 320 00	1,500 00	1,800 00	1 800 00
Additional help	---	---	---	-	655 52	1,405 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Expert service	---	---	---	---	---	3,000 00	---	---
Totals	20	21	21	21	$29 957 40	$39,945 00	$37,060 00	$37,060 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$601 71	$700 00	$900 00	$900 00
Printing					1,034 57	1,100 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals					$1,636 28	$1,800 00	$2,900 00	$2,900 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Expert readers					$534 00	$600 00	$1,400 00	$1,400 00
Freight, cartage and express					112 94	150 00	200 00	200 00
Office					836 56	900 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Traveling					6,131 87	6,250 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Telephone and telegraph					524 21	600 00	650 00	650 00
Postage					1 207 65	1,300 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals					$9,347 23	$9,800 00	$13,950 00	$13 950 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$156 76	$200 00	$550 00	$550 00

EDUCATIONAL.

BOARD OF EDUCATION—CREDENTIALS DEPARTMENT.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	11	16	15	15	$20,762 07	$28,320 00	$33,000 00	$33 000 00
Materials and supplies					3,621 09	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Service and expense					2,333 92	4,800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
Equipment					186 00	500 00	500 00	500 00
Totals					$26,903 08	$36,120 00	$40,800 00	$40,800 00
						26,903 08		40,800 00
Totals for biennium						$63,023 08		$81,600 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board members (per diem)					$1,440 00			
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	$4,200 00	$4,200 00	$4,200 00
Executive Assistants			2	2			6,000 00	6,000 00
Credential Clerks	6	7	4	4	8,835 15	11,400 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Secretary-Stenographers	1	1	2	2	83 33	1,500 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Stenographers	2	4	3	3	3,321 54	5 820 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Clerks	1	3	3	3	1,132 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3 600 00
Extra help					2,950 05	1,800 00	4,260 00	4,260 00
Totals	11	16	15	15	$20,762 07	$28,320 00	$33,000 00	$33,000 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$338 84	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
Printing					3,282 25	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals					$3,621 09	$2,500 00	$2,500 00	$2,500 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Office					$1,816 12	$2,000 00	$2 000 00	$2,000 00
Postage					517 80	600 00	600 00	600 00
Special examinations						1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Telephone and telegraph						700 00	700 00	700 00
Totals					$2,333 92	$4,800 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$186 00	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year				
Revenue during year	$19,500 00	$36,000 00	$40,800 00	$40,800 00
Totals	$19,500 00	$36,000 00	$40,800 00	$40,800 00
		19,500 00		40,800 00
Totals for biennium		$55,500 00		$81,600 00

EDUCATIONAL

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION—FREE TEXT BOOKS

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	4	4	4	4	$6,822 69	$6,990 00	$7,350 00	$7,350 00
Materials and supplies					238,121 79	214,908 00	270,386 50	270,386 51
Service and expense					63,731 84	73,102 00	105,465 04	105,465 04
Equipment							500 00	500 00
Totals					$308,676 32	$295,000 00	$383,701 54	$383,701 55
						308,676 32		383,701 54
Totals for biennium						$603,676 32		$767,403 09
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Shipping clerk	1	1	1	1	$1,977 50	$1,665 00	$1,800 00	$1,800 00
Assistant Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,350 00	1,470 00	1 650 00	1,650 00
Bookkeeper (part time)	1	1	1	1	45 00	480 00	480 00	480 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	960 00	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Extra help					2,490 19	2,355 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Totals	4	4	4	4	$6 822 69	$6,990 00	$7,350 00	$7,350 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical—shipping					$2,574 17	$2,200 00	$3,300 00	$3,300 00
Printing					235,547 62	212,708 00	267,086 50	267,086 51
Totals					$238,121 79	$214,908 00	$270,386 50	$270,386 51
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Freight and postage					$7,274 80	$8,102 00	$9,250 00	$9,250 00
Telephone and telegraph							125 00	125 00
Royalties					$56,457 04	65,000 00	96,090 04	96,090 04
Totals					$63,731 84	$73,102 00	$105,465 04	$105,465 04
EQUIPMENT.								
Clerical—office							$500 00	$500 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Revenue during year	$12,375 25	$11,000 00	$12,500 00	$12,500 00
		12,375 25		12,500 00
Totals for biennium		$23,375 25		$25,000 00

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SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	9	9	10	10	$21,482 01	$23,795 00	$27,460 00	$27,460 00
Materials and supplies	---	---	---	---	9,884 26	11,253 15	13,150 00	13,150 00
Service and expense	---	---	---	---	6,735 58	6,860 00	7,650 00	7,650 00
Equipment	---	---	---	---	243 27	356 73	300 00	300 00
Totals	---	---	---	---	$38,345 12	$42,264 88	$48,560 00	$48,560 00
						38,345 12		48,560 00
Totals for biennium	---	---	---	---	---	$80,610 00	---	$97,120 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent of Public Instruction	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Deputy Superintendent	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Assistant Superintendent of Education	1	1	1	1	2,800 00	3,000 00	3,500 00	3,500 00
Assistant Superintendent of Education (part time)	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	3,000 00	3,500 00	3,500 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Head of textbook distribution	1	1	1	1	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Supervisor of Attendance (part time)	---	1	1	1	---	1,575 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Assistant Statistician	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,440 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,199 33	1,260 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Stenographer	1	---	1	1	309 66	---	1,200 00	1,200 00
Extra help	---	---	---	---	1,163 02	900 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals	9	9	10	10	$21,482 01	$23,795 00	$27,460 00	$27,460 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$121 34	$150 00	$150 00	$150 00
Printing					9,762 92	11 103 15	13,000 00	13,000 00
Totals					$9,884 26	$11,253 15	$13,150 00	$13,150 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.								
Clerical and office, including freight, cartage, express telephone telegraph, postage, etc					$6,299 43	$6,410 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00
Miscellaneous					436 15	450 00	450 00	450 00
Totals					$6,735 58	$6,860 00	$7,650 00	$7,650 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$243 27	$356 73	$300 00	$300 00

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

	Appropriations, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendations, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
RECAPITULATION				
Non-recurrent appropriations		$4,679,541 02		$6,130,671 47
Support	$4,597,251 02		$5,450,671 47	
Permanent improvements	82,290 00		680,000 00	
Recurrent appropriations		5,256,696 77		5,903,276 32
Totals		$9,936,237 79		$12,033,947 79
NON-RECURRENT APPROPRIATIONS				
Support		$4,597,251 02		$5,450,671 47
Southern Branch	$1,450,000 00			
College of Agriculture	2,857,251 02		$5,450,671 47	
Hospital—patients unable to pay	200,000 00			
Repairs etc	90,000 00			
Permanent improvements		$82,290 00		$680,000 00
Purchase of land	50 000 00			
Improve Oxford street, reappropriation	32,290 00			
Agricultural Engineering building			125,000 00	
Additional book stacks			120,000 00	
Improvements and repairs, Davis			50,000 00	
Improvements and repairs, Scripps Institute			10,000 00	
Improvements			200,000 00	
Purchase and improve land, Berkeley			175,000 00	
RECURRENT APPROPRIATIONS		$5,256,696 77		$5 903,276 32
Support (Stats 1919-427)	$400,000 00		$400,000 00	
Salaries (Stats 1919-426)	149,450 00		149,450 00	
Support Scripps Institute (Stats 1921-737)	45,000 00		45,000 00	
Support Medical Department (Stats 1919-428)	100,000 00		100,000 00	
Support Extension Courses (Stats 1919-429)	100,000 00		100,000 00	
University Fund (Stats 1921-741)	4,462,246 77		5,108,826 32	

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FIXED CHARGES AND RECURRENT APPROPRIATIONS.

	Seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years			Recommended seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years		
	Total expenditures	Contributions from sources other than General Fund	General Fund expenditures	Total appropriations	Contributions from sources other than General Fund	General Fund appropriations
Elementary schools	$30,770,400 00	$2,171,832 98	$28,598,567 02	$36,487,740 00	$3,500,000 00	$32,987,740 00
Secondary schools	7,984,261 44		7,984,261 44	10,153,710 00		10,153,710 00
Teachers' Permanent Fund (5 per cent Inheritance Taxes)	562,063 81		562,063 81	575,000 00		575,000 00
Common School Fund (Inheritance Taxes)	500,000 00		500,000 00	500,000 00		500,000 00
Textbooks for orphans	20,000 00		20,000 00	20,000 00		20 000 00
Vocational education (cooperation U S Government—Smith-Hughes)	702,380 60	351,190 30	351,190 30	905,280 68	452,640 34	452,640 34
Junior colleges	242,500 00	242,500 00		348,200 00	348,200 00	
Totals	$40,781,605 85	$2,765,523 28	$38,016,082 57	$48,989,930 68	$4,300,840 34	$44,689,090 34
Analysis of contributions from sources other than General Fund						
Balance in School Fund		$159,545 28				
Interest on bonds		853,551 58			$900,000 00	
County settlements						
Interest, school lands		72,177 00			96,200 00	
Poll taxes		104 22			2,000 000 00	
Delinquent interest		2 900 00			3,000 00	
Surveyor General						
Permit fees		810 00			800 00	
Federal government—junior colleges		825,244 90			348,200 00	
Federal government—Smith-Hughes		351,190 30			452,640 34	
Common School Fund						
Inheritance taxes		500,000 00			500,000 00	
Total		$2,765,523 28			$4,300,840 34	

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CHICO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	35	39	44	44	$80,467 13	$90,370 00	$108,480 00	$108,480 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	--	8,102 78	9,025 00	10,438 00	10,438 00
Service and expense	----	----	---	----	4,436 01	4,550 00	7,987 00	7,987 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	3,177 10	2,700 00	5,400 00	5,400 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$96,183 02	$106,645 00	$132,305 00	$132,305 00
						96,183 02		132,305 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$202,828 02	----------	$264,610 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$35,000 00	----------	$40,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
President	1	1	1	1	$5,400 00	$5,400 00	$5,400 00	$5,400 00
Financial Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,400 00	1,400 00
Business Secretary	1	----	----	----	1,758 26	----------	----------	----------
Instructor	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,800 00	3,800 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	3,400 00	3,400 00	3,500 00	3,500 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	3,500 00	3,500 00	3,500 00	3,500 00
Instructors	2	2	2	2	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,200 00	6,200 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,850 00	2,850 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,800 00	2,800 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,750 00	2,750 00	2,800 00	2,800 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,800 00	2,800 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,500 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,500 00	2,640 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Instructors	1	4	9	9	2,500 00	10,000 00	22,450 00	22,450 00
Instructors	3	3	3	3	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Instructors	2	2	2	2	4,600 00	4,600 00	4,700 00	4,700 00
Instructors	5	5	5	5	9,479 11	11,000 00	12,500 00	12,500 00
Instructors	1	2	2	2	2,000 00	4,000 00	4,700 00	4,700 00
Student Assistant in Art	----	1	----	----	----------	300 00	----------	----------
Librarian	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,200 00	2,200 00
Librarian, Assistant	----	---	1	1	----------	----------	2,000 00	2,000 00
Supervisor, Maintenance and Operation	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Engineer and Janitor	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,400 00	1,400 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Janitors	4	4	4	4	4,929 76	4,930 00	4,930 00	4,930 00
Totals	35	39	44	44	$80,467 13	$90,370 00	$108,480 00	$108,480 00

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CHICO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE—(CONCLUDED)

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Teaching	$2 857 07	$2,700 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Library	119 14	150 00	200 00	200 00
School officers		50 00	100 00	100 00
Business officers	102 77	100 00	200 00	200 00
Printing		1,000 00		
Light, heat and power	2,218 00	2,500 00	2,800 00	2,800 00
Gardening	32 30	25 00	38 00	38 00
Janitors	919 70	800 00	700 00	700 00
Repairs	1,853 80	1,700 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Totals	$8,102 78	$9,025 00	$10,438 00	$10,438 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Teaching	$147 60	$150 00	$300 00	$300 00
Library	403 38	400 00	700 00	700 00
School officers	160 06	300 00	300 00	300 00
Business officers	68 88	100 00	100 00	100 00
Freight, cartage and express	304 05	400 00	600 00	600 00
Postage	277 48	300 00	300 00	300 00
Printing	567 90		1 000 00	1,000 00
Telephone and telegraph	194 82	250 00	250 00	250 00
Light, heat and power	1,262 76	1,300 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Gardening	280 55	100 00	300 00	300 00
Janitors	137 90	150 00	137 00	137 00
Repairs	570 13	1,000 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Water	60 50	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals	$4,436 01	$4,550 00	$7,987 00	$7,987 00
EQUIPMENT				
Teaching	$1,068 84	$1,000 00	$3,100 00	$3,100 00
Library	1,235 81	1,200 00	1,400 00	1,400 00
Office	208 83	200 00	300 00	300 00
Light, heat and power	66 78	100 00	100 00	100 00
Gardening	23 70	50 00	100 00	100 00
Janitors	573 14	150 00	400 00	400 00
Totals	$3,177 10	$2,700 00	$5,400 00	$5,400 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Permanent improvement and repairs	$10,000 00			
Purchase of land	25,000 00			
Construction of gymnasium			$35,000 00	
Repairs, Mt Shasta school			5,000 00	
Totals		$35,000 00		$40,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$1,380 85			
Revenue during year	1,355 77	$1,300 00	$1,300 00	$1,300 00
Totals	$2,736 62	$1,300 00	$1,300 00	$1,300 00
		2,736 62		1,300 00
Totals for biennium		$4,036 62		$2,600 00

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FRESNO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	54	59	58	58	$122,590 02	$146,185 00	$150,210 00	$155 680 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	3,942 11	7,800 00	9,800 00	9,800 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	3 229 29	3,550 00	4,975 00	4,975 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	3,453 06	4,200 00	8,225 00	8,225 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$133,214 48	$161,735 00	$173,210 00	$178,680 00
						133,214 48		173,210 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	---- ----	$294,949 48	----	$351,890 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----	$10,000 00	----	$28,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
President	1	1	1	1	$7,200 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00
Vice President and Professor of Education	1	1	1	1	4,200 00	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,700 00
Dean of Women and Instructor	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,120 00	3,300 00	3,450 00
Secretary and Registrar	1	----	----	----	1,680 00	----	----	----
Office Secretary and Stenographer	1	----	----	----	1,200 00	----	----	----
Stenographer-Clerk	1	----	----	----	929 03	----	----	----
Student Assistants for Registrar	----	----	----	----	----	900 00	----	----
Recorder and Accountant	----	1	1	1	----	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Assistant Recorder	----	1	1	1	----	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Office Assistant	----	1	1	1	----	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Professor	----	----	2	2	----	----	6,900 00	7,200 00
Associate Professors	1	3	6	6	3,150 00	9,900 00	18,600 00	19,580 00
Assistant Professor	1	1	1	1	3,180 00	3,060 00	2,820 00	3,000 00
Assistant Professors	1	2	2	2	3,150 00	6,000 00	5,640 00	6,000 00
Assistant Professors	1	3	3	3	2,940 00	8,820 00	8,460 00	9,000 00
Assistant Professors	1	3	3	3	2,820 00	8,460 00	8,280 00	8,460 00
Instructor and Principal of Training School	1	1	1	1	2,910 00	3,750 00	3,750 00	3,900 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,940 00	2,820 00	2,400 00	2,520 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,880 00	2,940 00	2 400 00	2,520 00
Instructors	4	3	3	3	11,040 00	8 280 00	7,200 00	7,560 00
Instructors	6	1	1	1	14,818 70	2,640 00	2,400 00	2,520 00
Instructors	1	2	2	2	2,520 00	5,040 00	4 800 00	5,040 00
Instructors	5	5	5	5	12,300 00	12,300 00	11,640 00	12,240 00
Instructors	3	6	6	6	7,200 00	14,400 00	13,680 00	14,400 00
Instructors	2	1	----	----	4,560 00	2,280 00	----	----
Instructor	1	----	----	----	2,100 00	----	----	----
Instructor—summer session	----	----	----	----	----	----	5,000 00	5,000 00
Assistant Professors	1	2	4	4	2,190 00	5,520 00	8,000 00	8,000 00
Instructor (half time)	1	1	----	----	1,275 00	1,275 00	----	----
Instructor (part time)	1	----	----	----	900 00	----	----	----
Instructor (part time)	1	1	----	----	660 00	660 00	----	----
Instructor (part time)	1	1	----	----	360 00	420 00	----	----
Instructor (part time)	1	1	----	----	2,000 00	2,100 00	----	----
Instructor (part time)	1	1	----	----	1,920 00	1,920 00	----	----
Instructors	1	2	----	----	1,380 00	3,000 00	----	----
Instructor	1	1	----	----	2,370 00	2,280 00	----	----
Dean of Men and Instructor	----	1	1	1	----	3 120 00	3,300 00	3,450 00
Student Assistants, Readers, etc	----	----	----	----	----	500 00	720 00	720 00
Librarian	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Assistant Librarian	1	1	1	1	750 00	1,860 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Gardeners	2	2	2	2	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Student Assistant Janitors	----	----	----	----	510 00	1,100 00	----	----
Janitors and Watchmen	2	2	3	3	2 400 00	2,700 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Mechanic	1	1	1	1	1,207 29	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Janitress	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Engineer and Mechanic	1	1	1	1	2,040 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Extra help, repairs	----	----	----	----	510 00	----	----	----
Totals	54	59	58	58	$122,590 02	$146,185 00	$150,210 00	$155,680 00

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FRESNO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Teaching supplies	$2,006 93	$4,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Library	379 17	500 00	500 00	500 00
Administration—general		900 00	300 00	300 00
Gardeners and janitors	155 93	550 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Light, heat and power	1,266 77	1,350 00	2 500 00	2,500 00
Repairs	133 31	500 00	500 00	500 00
Totals	$3,942 11	$7,800 00	$9,800 00	$9,800 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Teaching	$198 57	$300 00	$250 00	$250 00
Library		450 00	125 00	125 00
Lectures			200 00	200 00
Traveling	162 54	300 00	500 00	500 00
Freight, cartage and express	104 00	250 00	750 00	750 00
Postage	255 00	250 00	500 00	500 00
Printing	857 67		1,200 00	1,200 00
Telephone and telegraph	369 33	400 00	500 00	500 00
Light, heat and power	1,241 43	1,500 00	500 00	500 00
Repairs	40 75			
Miscellaneous			325 00	325 00
Gardening		100 00	125 00	125 00
Totals	$3 229 29	$3,550 00	$4,975 00	$4,975 00
EQUIPMENT				
Teaching (maps, globes, industrial arts, etc)	$1,420 18	$1,500 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Library (books etc)	1,851 38	2,500 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Office (furniture, typewriters, etc)			525 00	525 00
Machinery (tools, electric bulbs, etc)	181 50	200 00	700 00	700 00
Totals	$3,453 00	$4,200 00	$8,225 00	$8,225 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Paving		$10,000 00		
Improvement of streets			$10,000 00	
Temporary building			18,000 00	
				$28,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$2,206 83			
Revenue during year	3,542 05	$3,500 00	$3,500 00	$3,500 00
Totals	$5,748 88	$3,500 00	$3,500 00	$3,500 00
		5,748 88		3,500 00
Totals for biennium		$9,248 88		$7,000 00

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HUMBOLDT STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	17	16	20	20	$38,112 38	$44,160 00	$57,450 00	$59,940 00
Materials and supplies					1,580 48	2,550 00	3,850 00	3,850 00
Service and expense					2,479 69	2,360 00	3,400 00	3,400 00
Equipment					364 34	3,519 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Totals					$42,536 89	$52,589 00	$67,700 00	$70,190 00
						42,536 89		67,700 00
Totals for biennium						$95,125 89		$137,890 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements and new equipment						$1,275 00		$6,785 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
President	1	1	1	1	$4,999 92	$5,000 00	$5,100 00	$5,400 00
Secretary and Registrar	1	1	1	1	1,460 74	1,500 00	1,650 00	1,800 00
Student Assistants in office						480 00	480 00	480 00
Instructors	12	12	16	16	26,760 00	28,920 00	41,340 00	43,140 00
Summer School Instructors							3,000 00	3,000 00
Summer School (part time)						1,030 00		
Student Assistants teaching						960 00		
Special Lecturers						900 00		
Librarian	1	1	1	1	2,040 00	2,280 00	2,400 00	2,520 00
Janitor and Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,260 00	1,410 00	1,560 00	1,680 00
Gardener	1				910 26			
Student Assistant Janitors (9 mos)					681 46	960 00	960 00	960 00
Student Gardeners (9 mos)						720 00	960 00	960 00
Totals	17	16	20	20	$38,112 38	$44,160 00	$57,450 00	$59,940 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Instruction					$370 08	$700 00	$1,600 00	$1,600 00
Library					17 30	300 00	200 00	200 00
Administration (general)					235 96	500 00		
Gardening and janitors					209 83	700 00	650 00	650 00
Repairs to buildings and equipment					232 97	150 00	200 00	200 00
Light, heat and power					514 34	600 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals					$1,580 48	$2,550 00	$3,850 00	$3,850 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Telephone and telegraph							$250 00	$250 00
Library					$100 00	$100 00		
Lectures						300 00	250 00	250 00
Administration (general)					914 80	960 00	1,900 00	1,900 00
Gardening and janitors					11 00	50 00	100 00	100 00
Light heat and power					358 95	600 00	540 00	540 00
Repairs and improvements					882 84	50 00		
Water					212 10	300 00	360 00	360 00
Totals					$2,479 69	$2,360 00	$3,400 00	$3,400 00
EQUIPMENT								
Teaching (maps, globes, industrial arts, etc)					$105 53	$1,415 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Library (books, etc)					243 40	600 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Administration (general)					4 56			
Gardening and janitors					10 85	150 00	500 00	500 00
Tools, electric bulbs, etc						1,354 00		
Totals					$364 34	$3,519 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00

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	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Purchase of land		$1,275 00		
New equipment				$6,875 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$490 86			
Revenue during year	2,178 05	$2,000 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Totals	$2,668 91	$2,000 00 2,668 91	$2,000 00	$2,000 00 2,000 00
Totals for biennium		$4,668 91		$4,000 00

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SAN DIEGO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	55	57	59	59	$105,969 40	$111,540 00	$152,830 00	$152,830 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	9,492 00	6,400 00	7,050 00	7,050 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	4,267 82	5,010 00	5,950 00	5,950 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	1,649 58	5,820 00	4,900 00	4,900 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$121,378 80	$128,770 00 121,378 80	$170,730 00	$170,730 00 170,730 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$250,148 80	----------	$341,460 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$16,000 00	----------	$55,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
President	1	1	1	1	$6,000 00	$6 000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Business Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,250 00	2,250 00
Registrar	1	1	1	1	1,830 00	1,830 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Office Assistant	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Office Assistant	----	1	1	1	----------	300 00	900 00	900 00
Engineer, 75th and 76th fiscal years (8 mos)	1	1	----	----	1,354 40	1,705 00	----------	----------
Engineer, 77th and 78th fiscal years (11 mos)	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,850 00	1,850 00
Assistant Engineer, 75th and 76th fiscal years (9 mos)	1	1	----	----	1,200 00	1,595 00	----------	----------
Assistant Engineer, 77th and 78th fiscal years (11 mos)	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,750 00	1,750 00
Janitors	4	5	5	5	6,100 00	6,910 00	7,300 00	7,300 00
Gardeners	3	3	3	3	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Librarians	3	3	3	3	5,160 00	5,400 00	5,600 00	5,600 00
Instructors	39	39	41	41	76,925 00	80,400 00	110,680 00	110,680 00
Summer session	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	8,300 00	8,300 00
Totals	55	57	59	59	$105,969 40	$111,540 00	$152,830 00	$152,830 00

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SAN DIEGO TEACHERS COLLEGE—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES.				
Teaching	$2 960 04	$3,400 00	$3,500 00	$3,500 00
Library	3,469 42	100 00	150 00	150 00
Secretary and registrar	43 86	100 00	100 00	100 00
Printing	1,106 51	1,000 00	1,100 00	1,100 00
Miscellaneous	264 95			
Gardeners	348 40	200 00	200 00	200 00
Janitors	231 72	600 00	700 00	700 00
Heat, light, power	1 030 00	1,000 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
Repairs	28 10			
Totals	$9,492 00	$6,400 00	$7,050 00	$7,050 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.				
Teaching	$638 72	$970 00	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
Library	407 25	430 00	300 00	300 00
President	143 16	250 00	250 00	250 00
Secretary and registrar	155 85	150 00	100 00	100 00
Freight, cartage and express	232 40	300 00	300 00	300 00
Postage	176 00	200 00	225 00	225 00
Telephone and telegraph	331 56	360 00	650 00	650 00
Miscellaneous	96 35	50 00	75 00	75 00
Gardening	67 75	50 00	150 00	150 00
Janitors	74 70	50 00	150 00	150 00
Heat, light, power	1,172 33	1,200 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
Repairs	32 40			
Water	739 35	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Books			250 00	250 00
Totals	$4,267 82	$5,010 00	$5,950 00	$5,950 00
EQUIPMENT.				
Teaching	$1,431 72	$1,870 00	$500 00	$500 00
Library		150 00	200 00	200 00
Books		3,400 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Secretary and Registrar	3 05		50 00	50 00
Gardeners	38 71	100 00	150 00	150 00
Janitors	107 57	150 00	150 00	150 00
Heat, light, power	68 53	150 00	250 00	250 00
Totals	$1,649 58	$5,820 00	$4,900 00	$4,900 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Purchase of land		$16,000 00		
Repairs			$25,000 00	
Shop, building and equipment			30,000 00	
				$55,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$3,623 63			
Revenue during year	4,800 79	$4,800 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00
Totals	$8,424 42	$4,800 00	$4,800 00	$4,800 00
		8,424 42		4,800 00
Totals for biennium		$13,224 42		$9,600 00

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	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	56	56	59	59	$117,959 78	$128,330 00	$159,210 00	$159,210 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	5,406 63	7,994 44	9 400 00	9,400 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	8,057 20	14,845 00	15,150 00	15,150 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	1,495 38	3,525 00	5,350 00	5,350 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$132,918 99	$154,694 44	$189,110 00	$189,110 00
						132,918 99		189,110 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$287,613 43	----------	$378,220 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	----------	$195,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
President	1	1	1	1	$5,999 96	$5,500 00	$5,500 00	$5,500 00
Dean of College	1	1	1	1	4,000 00	3,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Business Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Stenographers	1	2	2	2	1,380 00	2,760 00	2,820 00	2,820 00
Registrar	----	1	1	1	----------	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Dean of Women	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	3,000 00	3,000 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,940 00	2,940 00	3 240 00	3 240 00
Instructors	1	1	2	2	2,890 00	2,880 00	6,240 00	6,240 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,820 00	2,820 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Instructors	4	2	2	2	*11,040 00*	*5,520 00*	*6,000 00*	*6,000 00*
Instructors	5	6	6	6	13,500 00	16,200 00	16,920 00	16,920 00
Instructors	3	3	3	3	7,740 00	7,740 00	7,560 00	7,560 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,640 00	2,640 00
Instructors	5	6	6	6	12,000 00	14,400 00	14,400 00	14,400 00
Instructors	3	4	4	4	7,020 00	9,360 00	10,800 00	10,800 00
Instructors	8	3	3	3	18,240 00	6,840 00	7,380 00	7,380 00
Instructors	3	2	2	2	6,300 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	1 840 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Instructor (part time)	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Instructors (part time)	3	2	----	----	1,050 00	1,350 00	----------	----------
Assistant Instructors (part time)	3	----	----	----	690 12	----------	----------	----------
Instructors	----	4	5	5	----------	12,000 00	12,000 00	12,000 00
Instructors	----	2	3	3	----------	4,920 00	8,100 00	8,100 00
Librarian	1	1	1	1	1,980 00	2,340 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Assistant Librarian	1	1	2	2	1,920 00	2,100 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Janitors	2	3	4	4	3,120 00	4,680 00	6,480 00	6,480 00
Janitor and Watchman	1	1	----	----	1,560 00	1,560 00	----------	----------
Janitor	1	----	----	----	1,140 00	----------	----------	----------
Janitor (part time)	1	1	1	1	300 00	700 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Watchman	----	1	1	1	----------	600 00	750 00	750 00
Janitor and Engineer	1	1	1	1	509 70	1,620 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Summer sessions	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	7,500 00	7,500 00
Special lectures for advance courses	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	7,500 00	7,500 00
Totals	56	56	59	59	$117,959 78	$128,330 00	$159,210 00	$159,210 00

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	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Teaching	$2,724 52	$4,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Library	34 69	394 44	250 00	250 00
Printing	660 00	900 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Gardening and Janitors	286 31	500 00	650 00	650 00
Light, heat and power	561 60	1,200 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Repairs	1 139 51	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals	$5,406 63	$7,994 44	$9,400 00	$9,400 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Teaching	$1,473 42	$1,600 00	$1,800 00	$1,800 00
Library	1,256 50	1,350 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Traveling	192 87	450 00	550 00	550 00
Freight, cartage and express	180 91	220 00	250 00	250 00
Postage	220 00	400 00	400 00	400 00
Printing	7 10	----------	----------	----------
Telephone and telegraph	437 98	400 00	650 00	650 00
Fire protection	96 00	150 00	200 00	200 00
Gardening and janitors	274 20	500 00	600 00	600 00
Light, heat and power	1,444 96	2,000 00	2,200 00	2,200 00
Water	861 66	1,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Repairs to plant and equipment	1,611 60	6,775 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Totals	$8,057 20	$14,845 00	$15,150 00	$15,150 00
EQUIPMENT				
Teaching (maps, globes, industrial arts, etc)	$915 94	$1,200 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Library (books, etc)	530 93	2,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs	48 51	200 00	350 00	350 00
Office	----------	125 00	----------	----------
Totals	$1,495 38	$3,525 00	$5,350 00	$5,350 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
The Laboratory group	----------	----------	$160,000 00	
Boiler plant and building equipment	----------	----------	35,000 00	
				$195,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$4,141 02	----------	----------	----------
Revenue during year	2,257 38	$2,200 00	$2,200 00	$2,200 00
Totals	$6,398 40	$2,200 00	$2,200 00	$2,200 00
		6,398 40		2,200 00
Totals for biennium	----------	$8,598 40	----------	$4,400 00

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	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	88	93	90	90	$174,697 29	$209,840 00	$227,150 00	$246,090 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	8 561 14	9,200 00	13,425 00	13,425 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	8,818 06	6,600 00	10,800 00	10,800 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	2,656 93	7,000 00	11,050 00	11,050 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$194,733 42	$232,640 00	$262,425 00	$271,365 00
						194,733 42		262,425 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$427,373 42	----------	$533,790 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$13,500 00	----------	$105,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
President	1	1	1	1	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00
Vice President	1	----	----	----	3,400 00	----------	----------	----------
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	2,400 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Registrar and Recorder	1	1	1	1	2,000 00	2,400 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Assistant Registrar and Clerk	1	1	1	1	1 500 00	1,800 00	1,500 00	1,620 00
Secretarial Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,800 00	1,920 00	2,040 00
Stenographer	1	----	1	1	1,200 00	----------	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clerical Assistants (part time)	----	----	----	----	923 05	1,400 00	----------	----------
Registrar	1	----	----	----	450 00	----------	----------	----------
Assistant to President	----	1	1	1	----------	3,600 00	3,750 00	3,900 00
Financial Secretary (part time)	----	1	1	1	----------	1,500 00	2,280 00	2,400 00
Assistant Secretary	----	1	1	1	----------	1,500 00	1,620 00	1,740 00
Assistant, training school	----	1	1	1	----------	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,440 00
Professor	1	1	1	1	3,800 00	4,000 00	4,050 00	4,200 00
Professor	1	1	1	1	3,800 00	3,800 00	4,050 00	4,200 00
Professor	1	1	3	3	3 800 00	3,800 00	11,750 00	12,050 00
Associate Professor	1	2	2	2	3,300 00	5,880 00	6,150 00	6,300 00
Associate Professor	1	3	5	5	3 500 00	8,400 00	17,420 00	18,200 00
Assistant Professor	2	3	3	3	5 600 00	10,100 00	9,150 00	9,450 00
Assistant Professor	1	5	5	5	2,700 00	13,500 00	13,920 00	13,920 00
Assistant Professor	1	6	6	6	3 000 00	16 080 00	16,560 00	17,460 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	4,000 00	2.880 00	2.880 00	2,880 00
Instructor	1	----	----	----	2,800 00	----------	----------	----------
Instructor	3	3	4	4	8,100 00	8,100 00	10,380 00	10,440 00
Instructor	1	1	1	1	2,640 00	2,640 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Instructor	2	----	----	----	5,200 00	----------	----------	----------
Instructor	2	9	9	9	5,000 00	22,680 00	21,420 00	21,840 00
Instructor	6	1	6	6	14,760 00	2,460 00	13,140 00	13,740 00
Instructor	3	5	5	5	7,802 44	12,000 00	12,000 00	12,260 00
Instructor	2	2	1	1	4,080 00	4,680 00	2,400 00	2,460 00
Instructor	1	----	----	----	2,280 00	----------	----------	----------
Instructor	1	----	----	----	2,230 00	----------	----------	----------
Instructor	1	3	----	----	2,220 00	6,660 00	----------	----------
Instructor	3	----	----	----	6,600 00	----------	----------	----------
Instructor	1	2	----	----	2,160 00	4,320 00	----------	----------
Instructor	1	3	----	----	2,100 00	6,300 00	----------	----------
Instructor	2	----	----	----	4,080 00	----------	----------	----------
Instructor	2	1	----	----	4,000 00	1,900 00	----------	----------
Assistant Instructor	3	2	2	2	5,400 00	3,600 00	3,840 00	3,940 00
Instructor (half time)	4	4	----	----	5,160 00	5,130 00	----------	----------
Assistants (part time)	2	----	----	----	2,000 00	----------	----------	----------
Assistants (part time)	2	----	----	----	1,550 00	----------	----------	----------
Assistants (part time)	2	3	1	1	500 00	1,500 00	2,000 00	3,000 00
Assistants (part time)	1	----	----	----	1,000 00	----------	----------	----------
Assistants (part time)	1	1	1	1	700 00	250 00	750 00	750 00
Emergency Instructor	1	----	----	----	740 00	----------	----------	----------
Student Assistants	1	----	1	1	400 00	----------	1,000 00	1,100 00
Assistant Supervisor (part time)	1	1	----	----	100 00	100 00	----------	----------
Physical Adviser	1	1	1	1	1,400 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Summer Session Teachers	----	----	----	----	7,550 00	8,800 00	13,000 00	15 000 00
Extra classes	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	1,000 00	1,500 00
Librarian	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	2,400 00	2,520 00	2,520 00
Assistant Librarian	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,380 00	1,440 00
Assistant Librarian	1	2	2	2	1,200 00	2,820 00	3,000 00	3,300 00
Student Assistants (part time)	4	2	1	1	900 00	500 00	500 00	500 00
Head Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,800 00	1,800 00

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	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Assistant Gardeners	2	2	3	3	$2,419 92	$2,420 00	$3,620 00	$3,620 00
Head Janitor	1	1	1	1	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Janitors	2	6	7	7	2,300 00	6,520 00	8,400 00	8,400 00
Janitors (part time)	3				2,631 88			
Nightwatchman	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Carpenter and Repairman	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Head Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Assistant Engineer	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Emergency help						1,500 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals	88	93	90	90	$174,697 29	$209,840 00	$227,150 00	$236,090 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Teaching					$3,265 89	$2,200 00	$5,500 00	$5,500 00
Library					34 07	100 00	150 00	150 00
Administration (general)					141 07	1,600 00	1,475 00	1,475 00
Gardening and janitors					1,359 39	1,100 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Light, heat and power					3,159 07	3,000 00	3,500 00	3,500 00
General repairs					701 65	1,200 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$8,561 14	$9,200 00	$13,425 00	$13,425 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Teaching					$969 10	$800 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Library					506 80	500 00	500 00	500 00
Traveling					161 87	100 00	250 00	250 00
Freight, cartage and express					240 16	200 00	300 00	300 00
Postage					412 75	400 00	500 00	500 00
Printing and publicity					1,435 57		500 00	500 00
Telephone and telegraph					823 61	900 00	1,100 00	1,100 00
Light, heat and power					2,912 64	2,500 00	3,250 00	3,250 00
Water					120 80	100 00	150 00	150 00
Repairs to plant equipment					1,234 76	1,100 00	2,750 00	2,750 00
Totals					$8,818 06	$6,600 00	$10,800 00	$10,800 00
EQUIPMENT								
Teaching (maps, globes, industrial arts, etc)					$484 26	$3,300 00	$3,500 00	$3,500 00
Library (books, etc)					1,738 23	3,000 00	5,500 00	5,500 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs, etc					434 44	700 00	2,050 00	2,050 00
Totals					$2,656 93	$7,000 00	$11,050 00	$11,050 00

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Permanent improvements and repairs		$13 500 00		
Construct and equip women's gymnasium			$70,000 00	
Remodel assembly hall			5,000 00	
Repairs and improvements			15,000 00	
New equipment			15,000 00	
				$105 000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$12,507 05			
Revenue during year	11,938 91	$12,000 00	$12,000 00	$12,000 00
Totals	$24,445 96	$12,000 00	$12,000 00	$12,000 00
		24,445 96		12,000 00
Totals for biennium		$36,445 96		$24,000 00

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STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF SANTA BARBARA.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	59	60	72	72	$74,793 95	$77,031 84	$109,819 69	$109,819 69
Materials and supplies					2,955 14	4 850 00	4 500 00	4 500 00
Service and expense					4 006 09	5,150 00	3,850 00	3,850 00
Equipment					2,350 49	1,750 00	5,100 00	5,100 00
Totals					$84,105 67	$88,781 84	$123,269 69	$123,269 69
						$4,105 69		123,269 69
Totals for biennium						$172 887 53		$246,539 38
Total appropriated for permanent improvements						$15,000 00		$160,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
President	1	1	1	1	$5,500 00	$5 500 00	$5,500 00	$5,500 00
Registrar	1	1	1	1	2 200 00	2 200 00	2,200 00	2 200 00
Financial secretary	1	1	1	1	1,720 00	1,720 00	1,720 00	1 720 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,255 20	1,320 00	2,640 00	2,640 00
Janitors, gardeners, etc	5	5	5	5	6,014 03	6,060 00	6,060 00	6,060 00
Instructors	50	29	41	41	58,104 72	53,350 00	82,799 69	82,799 69
Summer school		22	22	22		6,881 84	8,900 00	8,900 00
Totals	59	60	72	72	$74,793 95	$77,031 84	$109,819 69	$109,819 69
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Library							$125 00	$125 00
Teaching					$1,941 78	$3,000 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
School officers					412 17	200 00	250 00	250 00
Business officers					40 06	200 00	125 00	125 00
Printing						450 00	500 00	500 00
Maintenance of buildings					410 70	600 00	750 00	750 00
Light, heat and power					150 43	400 00	250 00	250 00
Tota's					$2,955 14	$4,850 00	$4,500 00	$4,500 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Teaching					$311 46	$300 00	$225 00	$225 00
Library					100 85	200 00	125 00	125 00
School officers					599 83	650 00	500 00	500 00
Business officers						150 00	150 00	150 00
Freight, cartage and express					152 95	250 00	200 00	200 00
Postage					233 00	350 00	300 00	300 00
Telephone and telegraph					306 96	300 00	300 00	300 00
Maintenance of buildings					1,216 34	1,350 00	550 00	550 00
Light, heat and power					1,084 70	1,600 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals					$4,006 09	$5,150 00	$3,850 00	$3,850 00
EQUIPMENT								
Teaching					$1,113 63	$250 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Library					855 78	1,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
School officers						150 00		
Business officers					203 10	150 00	200 00	200 00
Maintenance of buildings					177 98	200 00	900 00	900 00
Totals					$2,350 49	$1,750 00	$5,100 00	$5,100 00

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STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF SANTA BARBARA—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendations, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Permanent improvements and repairs	$15,000 00		$10 000 00	
Construction main building			150 000 00	
		$15,000 00		$160,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning year	$1,908 89			
Revenue during year	6,158 94	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Totals	$8,067 83	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
		8,067 83		6,000 00
Totals for biennium		$14,067 83		$12,000 00

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CALIFORNIA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND THE BLIND AT BERKELEY.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th...	76th...	77th...	78th...	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	86	92	102	102	$109,906 93	$118,686 00	$127,340 50	$127,340 50
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	31,310 82	41,520 00	42,750 00	42,750 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	16,368 55	22,515 00	18,425 00	18,425 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	14,527 44	17,300 00	14,650 00	14,650 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$172,113 74	$200,021 00	$203,165 50	$203,165 50
						172,113 74		203,165 50
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$372,134 74	----------	$406,331 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	$90,000 00	----------	$110,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Principal—Deaf	1	1	1	1	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Principal—Blind	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Business Manager	1	1	1	1	3 000 00	3,000 00	3,420 00	3,420 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,824 00	1,824 00	1,824 00	1,824 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Clerk and Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	840 00	840 00
Storekeeper and Truck Driver	1	1	1	1	956 14	840 00	840 00	840 00
Instructors—Deaf	20	21	22	22	32,596 00	35,435 00	37,842 50	37,842 50
Librarian	1	1	----	----	720 00	720 00	----------	----------
Instructors—Blind	15	15	15	15	21,740 00	23,120 00	24,380 00	24,380 00
Chef	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,560 00	1,788 00	1,788 00
Assistant Cook	1	1	1	1	1,140 00	1,140 00	1,236 00	1,236 00
Baker	1	1	1	1	1,524 00	1,524 00	1,524 00	1,524 00
Waiters	3	3	3	3	2,361 20	2,340 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Waitress	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Pot and Dishwashers	2	2	2	2	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Rehefman	1	1	1	1	720 00	720 00	720 00	720 00
Hospital Housekeeper	1	1	----	----	780 00	780 00	----------	----------
Janitors	5	5	5	5	3,360 00	3,360 00	3,360 00	3,360 00
Janitresses	2	2	3	3	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Servants—Principals	2	2	2	2	817 62	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Physician	1	2	2	2	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Dentist	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Oculist and Aurist	1	1	1	1	600 00	600 00	600 00	600 00
Nurse	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Emergency Nurses	----	----	----	----	90 00	1,100 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Matrons	5	5	6	6	3,672 40	3,900 00	4,680 00	4,680 00
Assistant Matron	1	1	1	1	660 00	660 00	660 00	660 00
Boys' Supervisor	1	1	3	3	660 00	660 00	1,530 00	1,530 00
Girls' Supervisor	1	1	2	2	660 00	660 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Watchman	1	1	1	1	960 00	960 00	720 00	720 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,428 00	1,428 00	1,428 00	1,428 00
Fireman and Repairman	1	1	1	1	1,584 00	1,584 00	1,584 00	1,584 00
Gardeners, Landscape	2	2	2	2	1,710 00	1,710 00	1,710 00	1,710 00
Grounds Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Yard Men	2	3	3	3	1,440 00	1,560 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Carpenter and Painter	1	1	1	1	1,524 00	1,524 00	1,524 00	1,524 00
Extra Plumbers	----	----	----	----	1,022 00	500 00	----------	----------
Extra Carpenters	----	----	----	----	856 00	4,155 00	----------	----------
Extra Painters	----	----	----	----	280 27	----------	----------	----------
Dairyman (part time)	----	----	----	----	641 30	----------	----------	----------
Expert Fruit Canner	----	1	1	1	----------	102 00	150 00	150 00
Psychologist (part time)	----	1	1	1	----------	500 00	500 00	500 00
Weight and Condition Analyst	----	1	1	1	----------	500 00	500 00	500 00
Laundryman	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	2,460 00	2,460 00
Laundryworkers (contract)	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	2,100 00	2,100 00
Extra help	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	1,100 00	1,100 00
Busboy	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	720 00	720 00
Truck Driver	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	840 00	840 00
Totals	86	92	102	102	$109,906 93	$118,686 00	$127,340 50	$127,340 50

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CALIFORNIA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND THE BLIND AT BERKELEY—(CONTINUED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Deaf teaching	$1,420 65	$1,600 00	$1,600 00	$1 600 00
Blind Teaching	101 68	900 00	900 00	900 00
Feeding	17,290 31	23,255 00	24,900 00	24,900 00
Clothing		700 00	750 00	750 00
Housekeeping	671 01	700 00	750 00	750 00
Laundry	622 54	600 00	750 00	750 00
Personal care	75 02	100 00	100 00	100 00
Medical care	367 40	400 00	500 00	500 00
Amusement and recreation	255 98	300 00	300 00	300 00
Carpentering	1,582 97			
Fire protection	2 15	150 00	150 00	150 00
Genera repairs	374 62	3,000 00		
Light heat and power	5,193 77	6,550 00	8,250 00	8,250 00
Landscape gardening	2 84	200 00	100 00	100 00
Painting and plastering	622 81	915 00		
Plumbing	479 90			
Dairy	1,470 93			
Farm	80 92	100 00	300 00	300 00
General office supplies	331 72	350 00	200 00	200 00
Automobile (gas, oil, etc)	251 26	400 00	300 00	300 00
Miscellaneous	112 34	100 00	50 00	50 00
Water system repairs		1,200 00	2,850 00	2,850 00
Totals	$31,310 82	$41,520 00	$42,750 00	$42,750 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.				
College readers for graduates			$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Deaf teaching	$2,099 74	$2,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Blind teaching	2,886 94	4,700 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Feeding	318 89	450 00	300 00	300 00
Housekeeping	186 02	250 00	250 00	250 00
Laundry	2,303 69	2,660 00	250 00	250 00
Personal care	64 25	50 00	100 00	100 00
Medical care	171 00	500 00	500 00	500 00
Amusement and recreation	90 50	100 00	100 00	100 00
Blacksmithing	53 45			
Fire protection	237 60	250 00	250 00	250 00
General repairs	292 97	2,000 00	1,150 00	1,150 00
Light, heat and power	1,679 73	1,875 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Painting and plastering	45 50			
Water system repairs	2,949 51	3,000 00	3,250 00	3,250 00
Department of Public Works	1,051 81	1,930 00		
Dairy	118 61			
Farm	81 08	200 00	125 00	125 00
General offices	354 69	400 00	150 00	150 00
Automobiles	110 79	150 00	200 00	200 00
Freight, cartage and express	277 37	300 00	600 00	600 00
Telephone and telegraph	692 69	750 00	750 00	750 00
Postage	265 05	350 00	350 00	350 00
Miscellaneous	36 67	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals	$16,368 55	$22,515 00	$18,425 00	$18,425 00
EQUIPMENT				
Deaf school (machinery, books, educational, etc)	$4,879 68			
Blind school (maps, phonographs, writing machines, etc)	2,392 55	$9,000 00	$5,525 00	$5,525 00
Feeding (ranges, utensils, dishes, etc)	1,593 23	1,625 00	1,725 00	1,725 00
Housekeeping (bedding, carpets, furniture, etc)	1,676 97	2,025 00	1,700 00	1,700 00
Laundry	181 61	500 00	1,100 00	1,100 00
Medical	55 89	150 00	150 00	150 00
Machinery, tools, electric bulbs	3,310 62	2,800 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Farming implements and tools	318 62	150 00	200 00	200 00
General office equipment	21 05	100 00	200 00	200 00
Auto	81 90	600 00	1,100 00	1,100 00
Miscellaneous	15 32			
Amusement and recreation		350 00	950 00	950 00
Totals	$14,527 44	$17,300 00	$14,650 00	$14,650 00

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CALIFORNIA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND THE BLIND AT BERKELEY—(CONCLUDED).

	Appropriated, seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years		Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS				
Construction and equipment of new buildings	$90,000 00		$90,000 00	
Repairs, improvements, equipment			20,000 00	
Totals		$90,000 00		$110,000 00

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$14,138 09			
Revenue during year	5,638 77	$5,500 00	$5,500 00	$5,500 00
Totals	$19,776 86	$5,500 00	$5,500 00	$5,500 00
		19,776 86		5,500 00
Totals for biennium		$25,276 86		$11,000 00

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CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL AT SAN LUIS OBISPO.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	25	25	30	30	$46,162 77	$52,500 00	$63,550 00	$63,850 00
Materials and supplies					2,843 10	4,600 00	9,675 00	9,675 00
Service and expense					8,128 88	6,150 00	9,950 00	9,650 00
Equipment					112 99	500 00	8,290 00	8,290 00
Totals					$57,247 74	$63,750 00	$91,465 00	$91,465 00
						57,247 74		91,465 00
Totals for biennium						$120,997 74		$182,930 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
President	1	1	1	1	$4,583 27	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Business Manager	1	1	1	1	2 400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,500 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	498 46	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Janitor	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,320 00
Gardener	1	1	1	1	1,435 20	1,320 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Truck Driver			1	1			1,260 00	1,260 00
Engineers	2	2	3	3	1,658 00	1,740 00	4,860 00	4,860 00
Carpenter			1	1			1,500 00	1,500 00
Instructors	17	17	19	19	33,187 84	38,440 00	43,310 00	43,310 00
Totals	25	25	30	30	$46,162 77	$52,500 00	$63,550 00	$63,850 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Teaching					$1,861 56	$3,000 00	$4,500 00	$4,500 00
Maintenance buildings and grounds					159 62	500 00	1,625 00	1,625 00
Office					128 12	200 00	1,750 00	1,750 00
Automobile					434 45	300 00	800 00	800 00
Heat, light, power and water					239 35	600 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$2,823 10	$4,600 00	$9,675 00	$9,675 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Teaching					$3,408 99	$700 00	$3,300 00	$3,000 00
Janitors					556 15	350 00	100 00	100 00
Repairs to buildings					8 00	250 00	200 00	200 00
General offices					690 00	650 00	900 00	900 00
Light, heat, power and water					2,216 88	2,450 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Automobile					134 45	200 00	200 00	200 00
Gardening							100 00	100 00
Traveling					213 60	600 00	600 00	600 00
Postage					181 97	300 00	600 00	600 00
Telephone and telegraph					444 48	500 00	600 00	600 00
Freight and express					124 36	150 00	350 00	350 00
Music					150 00			
Totals					$8,128 88	$6,150 00	$9,950 00	$9,650 00
EQUIPMENT.								
Teaching					$98 07	$400 00	$6,165 00	$6,165 00
Automobile							962 50	962 50
Maintenance buildings and grounds					8 35		950 00	950 00
Heat, light, power and water					6 57	100 00	212 50	212 50
Totals					$112 99	$500 00	$8,290 00	$8,290 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$15,765 29			
Revenue during year	9,981 35	$9,000 00	$9,000 00	$9,000 00
Totals	$25,746 64	$9,000 00	$9,000 00	$9,000 00
		25,746 64		9,000 00
Totals for biennium		$34,746 64		$18,000 00

EDUCATIONAL.

HASTINGS COLLEGE OF THE LAW AT SAN FRANCISCO.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Salaries—professors	$2,400 00	$2,400 00	$2,400 00	$2,400 00
Interest	7,000 00	7,000 00	7,000 00	7,000 00
Totals	$9,400 00	$9,400 00	$9,400 00	$9,400 00
		9,400 00		9,400 00
Totals for biennium		$18,800 00		$18,800 00

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STATE LIBRARY

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	41	47	50	50	$66,108 42	$69 530 00	$80,200 00	$81,880 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	5,584 30	6,925 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	6,794 96	4,775 00	6,855 00	6,855 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	20,652 60	21,150 00	32,450 00	30,850 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$99,140 28	$102,380 00	$126,705 00	$126,785 00
						99,140 28		126,705 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$201,520 28	----------	$253,490 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
State Librarian	1	1	1	1	$5 000 00	$5 000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Assistant State Librarian	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,300 00	3,600 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,560 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Organizer	1	1	1	1	1,939 52	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Reference Librarian	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2 400 00	2 400 00
Head of Shipment and Repair	1	1	1	1	2 280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Book Repairers	2	2	3	3	3,150 29	1,980 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Head California Department	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Heads of departments	4	4	4	4	8,040 00	8,040 00	8,040 00	8,040 00
Assistants	9	9	11	11	13,860 00	13,920 00	17,280 00	17,700 00
Shipping Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,260 00	1,320 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,680 00	1,740 00	1,800 00
Elevator Operator	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Library Aids	5	7	6	6	5,580 00	6 030 00	6,720 00	7 080 00
Messengers	5	6	7	7	3,440 61	4,740 00	5,820 00	6,060 00
Janitors	2	2	2	2	2,418 00	2 400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Messenger-Clerk (part time)	----	1	----	----	----------	420 00	----------	----------
Typists	----	2	3	3	----------	1,980 00	3,060 00	3,300 00
Shelf Lister	1	1	1	1	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Indexer	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1 320 00
Law and Legislative Reference Librarian	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Blind Teachers	----	----	2	2	----------	----------	3,320 00	3,320 00
Totals	41	47	50	50	$66,108 42	$69,530 00	$80,200 00	$81,880 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office	----	----	----	----	$314 90	$500 00	$500 00	$500 00
News Notes, California libraries	----	----	----	----	2,870 75	3,000 00	3,500 00	3,500 00
Printing	----	----	----	----	371 00	1,000 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Auto and Truck	----	----	----	----	99 93	100 00	150 00	150 00
Janitors	----	----	----	----	144 80	200 00	250 00	250 00
Shipment and repair	----	----	----	----	1,002 51	1,000 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Miscellaneous	----	----	----	----	91 99	225 00	300 00	300 00
Cards and guides	----	----	----	----	688 42	900 00	----------	----------
Totals	----	----	----	----	$5,584 30	$6,925 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
State Librarian	----	----	----	----	$928 62	$800 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Assistant State Librarian	----	----	----	----	179 55	300 00	250 00	250 00
Board of Library Examiners	----	----	----	----	117 02	100 00	250 00	250 00
Clerical and office	----	----	----	----	127 37	150 00	175 00	175 00
Organization	----	----	----	----	267 30	400 00	750 00	750 00
Auto truck and touring	----	----	----	----	108 12	150 00	250 00	250 00
Freight, cartage and express	----	----	----	----	325 51	400 00	400 00	400 00
General repair	----	----	----	----	----------	50 00	100 00	100 00
Janitors	----	----	----	----	70 00	75 00	100 00	100 00
Postage	----	----	----	----	818 81	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Storage	----	----	----	----	516 05	600 00	600 00	600 00
Telephone and telegraph	----	----	----	----	273 93	350 00	300 00	300 00
Rent	----	----	----	----	500 00	----------	----------	----------
Moving	----	----	----	----	2,038 00	----------	----------	----------
Miscellaneous	----	----	----	----	524 68	400 00	500 00	500 00
Traveling	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	1,180 00	1,180 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$6,794 96	$4,775 00	$6,855 00	$6,855 00
EQUIPMENT								
Books	----	----	----	----	$9,333 93	$10,000 00	$12,500 00	$12,500 00
Continuations and subscriptions	----	----	----	----	7 791 52	7,500 00	8,500 00	8,500 00
Prints	----	----	----	----	699 30	750 00	1 500 00	1 500 00
Binding	----	----	----	----	2,679 90	2,500 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Miscellaneous	----	----	----	----	147 95	400 00	850 00	850 00
Books, etc , for blind	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	1,500 00	1,500 00
Automobile	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	1,600 00	----------
Cards and guides	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$20,652 60	$21,150 00	$32,450 00	$30,850 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
Official advertising	$714 33	$2,500 00	$3,000 00	$3 000 00
Premiums on official bonds	2,186 60	2,400 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Compensation benefits—officers and employees	29,782 16	217 84	30,000 00	30,000 00
Traveling expenses—county treasurers			2,500 00	2 500 00
Rental and other expenses of state offices	137,794 88	162,405 12	107,614 00	107,614 00
Totals	$170,477 97	$167,522 96	$146,114 00	$146,114 00
		170,477 97		146,114 00
Totals for biennium		$338,000 93		$292 228 00

EMERGENCY.

EMERGENCY FUND.

	Resolutions passed to Dec 16, 1924	Amounts returned to Dec 16, 1924	Net amount of resolutions to Dec 16, 1924	Appropriated 75th and 76th fiscal years	Recommended 77th and 78th fiscal years
Emergency Fund				$700 000 00	$1,000,000 00
No.					
1 Napa State Farm—Revolving Fund	$75,000 00		$75,000 00		
2 Deaf Students Gallaudet College—Expenses	2,000 00		2,000 00		
3 Delhi Land Settlement—Expenses	30,000 00	$30,000 00			
4 Fish and Game Commission—Food for Trout Fry	2,000 00	2,000 00			
5. Controller—Gas Tax Expenses	6,650 00	1,638 55	5,011 45		
6 Division of Architecture—Revolving Fund	25,000 00	3,000 00	22,000 00		
7 Parole Officer—Revolving Fund	500 00		500 00		
8 Teachers for the Blind—Salaries and Expenses	4,200 00	624 64	3,575 36		
9 Redwood Park—Salaries	2,500 00		2 500 00		
10 Sutters Fort—Street Paving	216 24		216 24		
11 Appellate Court No 3—Equipment	1,000 00	107 89	892 11		
12 Board of Forestry—Support Nursery	5,000 00		5,000 00		
13 Norwalk State Hospital—New Well	5 000 00	294 33	4,705 67		
14 Preston School of Industry—Support	4,000 00		4,000 00		
15 Delhi Land Settlement—Expenses	50,000 00		50,000 00		
16 Department of Agriculture—Foot and Mouth Disease	50,000 00		50,000 00		
17 Whittier State School—Salaries, seventy-sixth fiscal year	17,500 00		17,500 00		
18 Board of Equalization—Printing	300 00		300 00		
19 Board of Equalization—Salaries	2,500 00	900 61	1,599 39		
20 Board of Equalization—Printing	3,000 00		3,000 00		
21 Department of Agriculture—Foot and Mouth Disease	40,000 00		40,000 00		
22 Department of Agriculture—Salaries, seventy-fifth fiscal year	10,000 00		10,000 00		
23 Southern California Hospital—Repairs to Cottages	45,000 00		45,000 00		
24 Superintendent Public Instruction—Salary Attendance Superintendent	1,584 99		1,584 99		
25 Department of Agriculture—Foot and Mouth Disease	50,000 00		50,000 00		
26 Department of Agriculture—Foot and Mouth Disease	50,000 00		50,000 00		
27 Dental Examiners—Salaries, seventy-fifth fiscal year	770 00		770 00		
28 Department of Agriculture—Foot and Mouth Disease	50,000 00		50,000 00		
29 Adult Blind Home—Support Factory	4,000 00		4,000 00		
30 Treasurer—Support seventy-fifth fiscal year	1,000 00		1,000 00		
31 Controller—Gas Tax, seventy-sixth fiscal year	11,500 00		11,500 00		
32 Department of Agriculture—Foot and Mouth Disease	50,000 00		50,000 00		
33 State Library—Teachers Blind, seventy-sixth fiscal year	4,200 00		4,200 00		
34 Sonoma Home—Heating Pipe Lines	7,000 00		7,000 00		
35 Compensation Benefits	3,786 35		3,786 35		
36 Appellate Court No 3—Support, seventy-fifth fiscal year	107 89		107 89		
37 Board of Equalization—Support and Salaries	6,000 00		6,000 00		
38 Compensation Benefits	3,009 80		3,009 80		
39 Board of Forestry—Salaries and Support, seventy-sixth fiscal year	16,000 00		16,000 00		
40 Compensation Benefits	3,500 37		3,500 37		
41. Preston School of Industry—Deportation	5,000 00		5,000 00		
42 Division of Water Rights—Revolving Fund	3,000 00		3,000 00		
43 Board of Forestry—Fire Fighters, Support and Salaries	7,000 00		7,000 00		
44 Marshall's Blacksmith Shop—Repair Roof	300 00		300 00		
45 Compensation Benefits	3,435 04		3,435 04		
46 Board of Forestry—Fire Fighting—Salaries and Support	4,000 00		4,000 00		
47 Department of Agriculture—Foot and Mouth Disease	17,000 00		17,000 00		
48 Controller—Gas Tax—Watchmen	1,000 00		1,000 00		
49 Compensation Benefits	4,709 76		4,709 76		
50 Sonoma State Home—Steam Boiler	16,000 00		16,000 00		
51 Compensation Benefits	3,769 63		3,769 63		
Totals	$709,040 07	$38,566 02	$670,474 05		
Unencumbered Balance, 75th-76th Fiscal Years Emergency Fund			$29,525 95		

BOND INTEREST AND REDEMPTION.

PAYMENT OF INTEREST AND REDEMPTION OF BONDS.

	Appropriated seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years	Recommended seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years
FIXED CHARGES		
Highway Interest and Sinking Fund—Const., Art XVI, Sec 2	$6,203,150 30	$6,229 035 00
Highway Bond Sinking Fund—Const., Art XVI, Sec 2	1,550,000 00	3,550 000 00
Sacramento Building Sinking Fund—Stats 1913-235	340,000 00	340,000 00
San Francisco Building Bonds Sinking Fund (Interest)—Stats 1913-541	66,400 00	63,200 00
San Francisco Building Bonds Funds—Stats 1913-541	40,000 00	40,000 00
University Building Bonds—Interest and Sinking Fund (Int.)—Gen Laws 4263*h*	147,600 00	140 400 00
University Building Bonds—Interest and Sinking Fund—General Laws 4263*h*	80,000 00	80,000 00
Interest on Outstanding Bonds—Stats 1893-65	282,870 00	282,870 00
Principal and Interest County Bonded Indebtedness—Const., Art XIII, Sec. 14 (c)	1,230,000 00	1,200,000 00
Totals	$9,940,020 30	$11,925,505 00

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

SELF-SUPPORTING DEPARTMENTS.

The following budgetary data present estimated expenditures and estimated revenues for all self-supporting departments. They show the actual expenditures and revenues for the seventy-fifth fiscal year, and the estimated expenditures and revenues for the seventy-sixth fiscal year, together with the recommended expenditures and estimated revenues for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

No appropriations are necessary for the support of these departments, they being created by constitutional provisions or existing statutes and being supported entirely out of moneys obtained from their own collections.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

SELF-SUPPORTING DEPARTMENTS.

Summary of Budget Recommendations and Estimated Revenue, Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth Fiscal Years, July 1 1925, to June 30, 1927.

	Budget recommendations	Estimated revenue
ADMINISTRATIVE		
Division of Motor Vehicles	$2,407,700 00	$2,407,700 00
Division of Printing	1,336,620 00	1,362,899 65
Veterans Welfare Board	182,490 00	182,490 00
Total administrative	$3 926,810 00	$3,953,079 65
REGULATIVE		
Accountancy, Board of	$11,400 00	$13,289 62
Architecture, Board of, Northern District	5,208 50	8,807 42
Architecture, Board of, Southern District	5,110 00	14,766 13
Banking Department	412,520 00	581,882 79
Bar Examiners, Board of	15,715 00	48,874 34
Building and Loan Commissioner	30,274 00	52,596 83
Chiropractic Examiners, Board of	27,500 00	80,720 61
Corporation Department	444,593 00	1,519,240 83
Dental Examiners, Board of	41,698 00	86,953 80
Detective License Department	1 155 00	9,046 43
Embalmers, Board of	13,920 00	14,433 07
Harbor Commission, Board of, San Diego	2 790 00	11,955 66
Harbor Commissioners Board of, San Francisco	7,035,686 00	7,650,516 53
Insurance Commissioner	131,750 00	193,516 06
Medical Examiners, Board of	81,649 92	329 384 67
Nurses' Registration, Bureau of	34,180 00	126,662 62
Optometry, Board of	8,450 00	18,787 08
Osteopathic Examiners, Board of	15,990 56	30.108 24
Pharmacy, Board of	123,690 00	328,009 39
Real Estate Commissioner	285,885 00	933.727 66
Veterinary Examiners, Board of	500 00	1.311 26
Total regulative	$8.729,784 98	$12,084,621 04
DEVELOPMENTAL		
Agriculture, Department of—		
Division of Animal Industry		
Cattle protection	$164,740 00	$190,757 63
Meat inspection	322,080 00	322,723 39
Stallion registration	1,100 00	1,708 22
Division of Markets		
Apple inspection	70,000 00	80,376 13
Shipping point inspection	450,000 00	470,468 30
Fish exchange	5,300 00	66,357 20
Fish and Game Commission	1,253,899 96	1,650 462 86
Petroleum and Gas, Division of, Mining Bureau	300,640 00	348,898 40
Reclamation Board	140,160 00	140,160 00
Total developmental	$2,707,919 96	$3,271,912 13
Grand totals	$15,364,514 94	$19,309,612 82

ADMINISTRATIVE

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year July 1, 1926 to June 30 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	247	307	320	337	$426,400 00	$489,260 00	$526 500 00	$575,000 00
Materials and supplies					286,383 92	333,900 00	358,750 00	390,950 00
Service and expense					160,013 14	195 300 00	205,250 00	225 000 00
Equipment					9,996 59	17,708 50	61,250 00	65,000 00
Totals					$882 793 65	$1,036,168 50	$1,151,750 00	$1,255,950 00
						882,793 65		1,151,750 00
Totals for biennium						$1,918 962 15		$2,407,700 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	$4,800 00	$4,800 00	$4 800 00	$4,800 00
Secretary to Chief	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	2,220 00	1,920 00	2,040 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,830 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,300 00
Branch Managers	5	5	5	5	11 220 00	11,520 00	11,600 00	11,760 00
Assistant Branch Manager	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,860 00	1 800 00	1,800 00
Secretary to Branch Manager		1	1	1		2 100 00	1,680 00	1 680 00
Supervisors	1	1	2	2	1,560 00	1,800 00	3,230 00	3 420 00
Timekeepers	1	1	2	2	1,200 00	1,200 00	2,700 00	2 800 00
Telephone Operators	4	4	4	4	4,217 00	4,800 00	4,560 00	4,880 00
Stenographer-Clerks	8	15	15	15	10,796 00	19,020 00	18,360 00	20,045 00
Department Heads	3	1	2	2	4,980 00	1,560 00	3,120 00	3,360 00
Clerks	120	135	140	150	141,522 00	157 300 00	175,740 00	192 350 00
Messengers	13	15	16	16	9,175 00	11,160 00	13,440 00	14,530 00
Typists	68	68	70	75	70,055 00	76,080 00	79,860 00	92,720 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
Stock Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,560 00	1,620 00
Floor Man	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Laborers	8	10	12	12	8,682 00	12,120 00	14,550 00	15,990 00
Carpenter		1	1	1		2,100 00	1,560 00	1,620 00
Janitors	4	2	5	6	4 120 00	2 640 00	5,880 00	6,130 00
Cashiers	2	1	2	2	4,380 00	2,400 00	4,800 00	5,000 00
Assistant Cashiers	8	11	10	11	11,096 00	16,860 00	14,160 00	16,860 00
Auditor	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2 700 00	2,700 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,040 00	2,100 00	2,160 00	2,280 00
Pre-Audit Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1 320 00	1 260 00	1,260 00
Chief File Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Comptometer Operator	1		1	1	1,200 00		1,380 00	1,500 00
Proofreaders	5	11	4	4	6,502 00	12 180 00	4,800 00	5,040 00
Plate Verifiers	2	8	2	2	1,980 00	8,280 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Chief Inspector	1		1	1	2,400 00		2 700 00	2,700 00
Inspectors	7	4	12	12	14,175 00	8,400 00	25,740 00	26,640 00
Duplicate Operators	2	2	2	2	2,400 00	2,340 00	1,920 00	2,040 00
Temporary employment Typists, Clerks, Assistant Cashiers, Laborers					92,000 00	111 709 00	108 260 00	113,875 00
Totals	274	307	320	337	$426,400 00	$489,260 00	$526,500 00	$575,000 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Administrative and general					$1,720 50	$1,500 00	$2,500 00	$3,000 00
Accounting and finance					1,118 27	1 500 00	2,500 00	3,000 00
Registration					279,862 09	325,000 00	345,000 00	374,950 00
Protective records					8 37	500 00	750 00	1,000 00
Law enforcement					3,674 69	5 000 00	7,000 00	7,500 00
Motor vehicle testing fee						200 00	500 00	750 00
Signal service testing fee						200 00	500 00	750 00
Totals					$286,383 92	$333,900 00	$358,750 00	$390,950 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Administrative and general					$42,125 33	$52,000 00	$55,000 00	$58,000 00
Accounting and finance					1,082 12	2,000 00	2,500 00	3,000 00
Registration					103,706 12	125,000 00	130 000 00	141,000 00
Law enforcement					11,359 57	15,000 00	16,000 00	20,000 00
Motor vehicle testing fee					1,380 00	900 00	1,200 00	2,000 00
Signal device testing fee					360 00	400 00	550 00	1,000 00
Totals					$160,013 14	$195,300 00	$205,250 00	$225,000 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT				
Administrative and general	$4,382 31	$1,950 00	$42,000 00	$44,000 00
Accounting and finance	1,380 26	2,018 50	3,000 00	3,000 00
Registration	1,804 23	9,840 00	12,000 00	12,000 00
Protective records		500 00	750 00	1,000 00
Law enforcement	2,429 79	3,400 00	3,500 00	5,000 00
Totals	$9,996 59	$17,708 50	$61,250 00	$65,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Revenue during year	$882,793 65	$1,036,168 50 882,793 65	$1,151,750 00	$1,255,950 00 1,151,750 00
Totals for biennium		$1,918,962 15		$2,407 700 00

ADMINISTRATIVE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—DIVISION OF PRINTING.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	21	22	27	27	$256,794 63	$347,340 00	$338,332 00	$394,932 00
Materials and supplies					242,606 66	228,850 00	242,500 00	289,730 00
Service and expense					16,943 29	17,500 00	14 850 00	15,940 00
Equipment					28,750 04	11,210 00	18,368 00	21,968 00
Totals					$545,094 62	$604,900 00	$614,050 00	$722,570 00
						545,094 62		614,050 00
Totals for biennium						$1,149,994 62		$1,336,620 00
SALARIES AND WAGES (Administrative and general) (Manufacturing)								
Chief of Division	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Auditor	1	1	1	1	2,880 00	2,880 00	2,940 00	2,940 00
Secretary-Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Timekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Typists	2	2	2	2	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Special Janitor (plant)	1	1	1	1	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
File Clerk	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	450 00	450 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	900 00	900 00	900 00	900 00
General Foreman	1	1	1	1	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Composing Room Foreman	1	1	1	1	3,150 00	3,150 00	3,150 00	3,150 00
Press Room Foreman	1	1	1	1	3,150 00	3,150 00	3,150 00	3,150 00
Copy Editor	1	1	1	1	2,520 00	2,520 00	2,652 00	2 652 00
Estimator	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Truck drivers	2	2	2	2	2 820 00	2,820 00	2,820 00	2,820 00
Receiving clerk	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,560 00	1 560 00	1 560 00
Shipping Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,347 00	1,347 00	1,347 00	1 347 00
Boxmakers					1,153 00	1,153 00	1,153 00	1,153 00
Emergency carpenters					2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Special Janitor (Capitol Bldg)	1	1	1	1	300 00	300 00	300 00	300 00
Porter		1	1	1		2,000 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Watchman			3	3			3,480 00	3 480 00
Metal melting and furnace man			1	1			1,200 00	1,200 00
Machinist			1	1			550 00	550 00
Extra help					2,349 67	3,800 00	3,320 00	3,320 00
Bookbinding					76,243 87	110,000 00	122,500 00	147,000 00
Press work					37,802 56	70,000 00	60,000 00	72,000 00
Composition					94,058 53	115,200 00	100,000 00	120,000 00
Direct charges to jobs					500 00	500 00	500 00	600 00
Totals	21	22	27	27	$256,794 63	$347,340 00	$338,332 00	$394,932 00

ADMINISTRATIVE

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—DIVISION OF PRINTING—(CONCLUDED)

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Water, soap, towels, etc	$324 83	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
Light, heat and power	786 51	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Building, repairs and alterations	440 01	500 00	600 00	600 00
Stationery, office and postage	1,222 06	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Auto truck	50 43	150 00	150 00	150 00
Shipping, delivery and warehouse	3,646 25	4,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Cost of miscellaneous sales	12 01	100 00	100 00	100 00
Miscellaneous	946 75	800 00	700 00	700 00
Bookbinding	3,889 55	4,000 00	3 650 00	4,380 00
Press work	2,913 91	4,000 00	2,500 00	3,000 00
Composition	9,474 79	8,500 00	5,000 00	6,000 00
Paper, cloth, inks and other materials used in manufacturing	216,728 00	200,000 00	220,000 00	264,000 00
Direct charges to jobs	2,171 56	4,000 00	5,000 00	6 000 00
Totals	$242,606 66	$228,850 00	$242,500 00	$289,730 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Telephone and telegraph	$657 06	$700 00	$800 00	$800 00
Water, soap, towels, etc	904 39	900 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Light heat and power	4 705 46	3,000 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Building repairs and alterations	2,116 00		2,100 00	2 100 00
Stationery office and postage	203 73	500 00	500 00	500 00
Auto trucks	177 96	300 00	300 00	300 00
Cost of miscellaneous sales	32 89			
Insurance	2,200 13	2,500 00		
Miscellaneous	1,826 28	2,100 00		
Bookbinding	391 06	1,500 00	450 00	540 00
Press work	1,317 72	1,500 00	1,600 00	1,920 00
Composition	1,168 24	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,800 00
Direct charges to jobs	1,242 37	3,000 00	1,900 00	2,280 00
Totals	$16,943 29	$17,500 00	$14,850 00	$15,940 00
EQUIPMENT				
Bookbinding	$13,416 07	$4,000 00	$8,000 00	$9,600 00
Press work	8,088 55	3,000 00	5,000 00	6 000 00
Composition	4,320 41	4,000 00	5,000 00	6,000 00
Miscellaneous	2,925 01	210 00	368 00	368 00
Totals	$28,750 04	$11,210 00	$18,368 00	$21,968 00

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year			$12,889 65	
Revenue during year	$537,884 27	$625,000 00	625,000 00	$725,000 00
Totals	$537,884 27	$625,000 00	$637,889 65	$725,000 00
		537,884 27		637,889 65
Total for biennium		$1,162,884 27		$1,362,889 65

ADMINISTRATIVE.

VETERANS' WELFARE BOARD

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	32	32	32	32	$55,565 00	$57,380 00	$59,260 00	$59,380 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	4,966 95	4,350 00	4,205 00	4,205 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	138,540 82	175,242 00	24,620 00	24,620 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	4,631 19	2,700 00	3,100 00	3,100 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$203,703 96	$239,672 00	$91,185 00	$91,305 00
						203,703 96		91,185 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$443,375 96	----------	$182,490 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board Members, per diem	5	5	5	5	$105 00	$360 00	$500 00	$500 00
Chairman	1	1	1	1	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Assistant Secretary	1	----	----	----	3,300 00	----------	----------	----------
Educational Supervisor	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
District Manager	1	1	1	1	3 000 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Assistant District Manager	----	1	1	1	----------	1,680 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Farm Supervisors	2	1	1	1	5,700 00	3,300 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Accountant	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,700 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1 800 00	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Appraisers	---	2	2	2	----------	6,000 00	6,000 00	6 000 00
Legal Examiner	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2 100 00	2,400 00	2 400 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2 400 00
Senior Clerks	1	2	1	1	2,100 00	4,200 00	2,100 00	2 100 00
Clerks	8	6	6	6	11,400 00	8,760 00	9,060 00	9,060 00
Statistician	1	----	----	----	1,800 00	----------	----------	----------
Stenographers	5	5	5	5	6 480 00	7,380 00	7,860 00	7,860 00
Typists	1	2	2	2	1,080 00	1,920 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Cashier	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	2,160 00	2,280 00
Totals	32	32	32	32	$55,565 00	$57,380 00	$59,260 00	$59,380 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$1,848 13	$4,350 00	$2,275 00	$2 275 00
Printing					3,118 82	----------	1,930 00	1,930 00
Totals					$4,966 95	$4,350 00	$4,205 00	$4,205 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Appraising					$2,574 00	$2,000 00	$1 000 00	$1,000 00
Office					709 69	600 00	350 00	350 00
Postage					1,893 21	5,000 00	6,250 00	6,250 00
Rent					1,310 00	1,500 00	4,320 00	4,320 00
Student aid					124,000 00	152,392 00	----------	----------
Title insurance					1,637 60	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Traveling					6,085 67	10,500 00	9,300 00	9,400 00
Telephone and telegraph					330 65	750 00	900 00	900 00
Totals					$138,540 82	$175,242 00	$24,620 00	$24,620 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$1,272 71	$2,700 00	$1,300 00	$1,300 00
Automobiles					3,358 48	----------	1,800 00	1,800 00
Totals					$4,631 19	$2,700 00	$3,100 00	$3 100 00

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Revenue during year	$203,703 96	$239,672 00	$91,185 00	$91,305 00
		203,703 96		91,185 00
Totals for biennium	----------	$443,375 96	----------	$182,490 00

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY.

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION				
Salaries and wages				
Materials and supplies	$719 65	$625 00	$775 00	$775 00
Service and expense	4,937 79	5,075 00	4,575 00	4,775 00
Equipment	77 50		350 00	150 00
Totals	$5,764 94	$5,700 00	$5,700 00	$5,700 00
		5,764 94		5,700 00
Totals for biennium		$11,464 94		$11,400 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES				
Stationery and printing	$585 90	$600 00	$600 00	$600 00
Information pamphlets	144 75		150 00	150 00
Examination questions	19 00	25 00	25 00	25 00
Totals	$749 65	$625 00	$775 00	$775 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Traveling	$124 28	$400 00	$400 00	$400 00
Postage	96 08	150 00	150 00	150 00
Expressage	14 97	20 00	20 00	20 00
Telephone and telegraph	11 49	20 00	20 00	25 00
Rent	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Examination of candidates	1,671 38	1,700 00	1,700 00	1,800 00
Examination committee	477 00	600 00	660 00	720 00
Fees, board members	50 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Legal expense	500 00			
Miscellaneous—office	792 59	885 00	325 00	360 00
Totals	$4,937 79	$5,075 00	$4,575 00	$4,775 00
EQUIPMENT				
Filing cabinet	$77 50			
Multigraph			$200 00	
Miscellaneous			150 00	$150 00
Totals	$77 50		$350 00	$150 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$2,578 16		$1,789 62	
Revenue during year	5,176 40	$5,500 00	5,500 00	$6,000 00
Totals	$7,754 56	$5,500 00	$7,289 62	$6,000 00
		7,754 56		7,289 62
Totals for biennium		$13,254 56		$13,289 62

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE—NORTHERN DISTRICT.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	1	1	1	1	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00
Materials and supplies					120 61	140 00	140 00	140 00
Service and expense					1,267 55	1,588 00	1,489 25	1,489 25
Equipment								
Totals					$2,408 16	$2,748 00	$2,649 25	$2,649 25
						2,408 16		2,649 25
Totals for biennium						$5,156 16		$5,298 50
SALARIES								
Secretary	1	1	1	1	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
General office					$15 21	$20 00	$20 00	$20 00
Printing					105 40	120 00	120 00	120 00
Totals					$120 61	$140 00	$140 00	$140 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.								
General office					$19 00	$65 00	$65 00	$65 00
Board members' traveling expense					186 50	445 00	300 00	300 00
Telephone and telegraph					64 55	75 00	75 00	75 00
Postage					65 00	75 00	75 00	75 00
Rent					704 00	768 00	768 00	768 00
Examinations					216 00		200 00	200 00
Registration					12 50	160 00	6 25	6 25
Totals					$1,267 55	$1,588 00	$1,489 25	$1,489 25

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance at beginning of year	$2,494 18		$3,007 42	
Revenue during year	2,869 40	2,800 00	2,900 00	2,900 00
Totals	$5,363 58	$2,800 00	$5,907 42	$2,900 00
		5,363 58		5,907 42
Totals for biennium		$8,163 58		$8,807 42

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE—SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	1	1	1	1	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00
Materials and supplies					182 18	200 00	200 00	200 00
Service and expense					1,269 21	1,335 00	1,335 00	1,335 00
Equipment					47 55			
Totals					$2,518 94	$2,555 00	$2,555 00	$2,555 00
						2,518 94		2,555 00
Totals for biennium						$5,073 94		$5,110 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00	$1,020 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office supplies					$8 27	$25 00	$25 00	$25 00
Printing and stationery					173 91	175 00	175 00	175 00
Totals					$182 18	$200 00	$200 00	$200 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
General office					$126 07	$160 00	$147 50	$147 50
Office rent					547 20	550 00	550 00	550 00
Traveling expenses					285 88	300 00	300 00	300 00
Postage					44 00	60 00	60 00	60 00
Telephone and telegraph					40 38	65 00	65 00	65 00
Membership fee, N C A R					12 50		12 50	12 50
Examinations					213 18	200 00	200 00	200 00
Totals					$1,269 21	$1,335 00	$1,335 00	$1,335 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office equipment					$47 55			

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$2,524 90		$6,641 13	
Revenue during year	4,690 17	$4,500 00	3,625 00	$4,500 00
Totals	$7,215 07	$4,500 00	$10,266 13	$4,500 00
		7,215 07		10,266 13
Totals for biennium		$11,715 07		$14,766 13

REGULATIVE.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	46	47	48	48	$127,291 24	$142,750 00	$145,450 00	$145,570 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	9,275 86	9,500 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	44,295 45	48,800 00	49,500 00	52,000 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	1,990 58	1,500 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$182,853 13	$202,550 00	$204,950 00	$207,570 00
						182,853 13		204,950 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----		$385,403 13		$412,520 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Superintendent of Banks	1	1	1	1	$10,000 00	$10,000 00	$10,000 00	$10,000 00
Chief deputy	1	1	1	1	5,100 00	5,100 00	5,100 00	5,100 00
Attorney	1	1	1	1	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Secretary, San Francisco	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,800 00	1,800 00
Secretary, Los Angeles	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Chief Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Dictatophone Operators	2	2	2	2	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Dictaphone Operator	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Senior Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,920 00	2,040 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Statistician	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Reception Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	720 00	900 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Clerical Aid	1	1	1	1	1,080 00	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,440 00
Emergency Assistants	----	----	----	----	1,016 06	1,250 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Chief Examiner	1	1	1	1	5,100 00	5,100 00	5,100 00	5,100 00
Examiners	1	----	31	31	937 50	----------	86,160 00	86,160 00
Examiners	2	4	----	----	7,500 00	15,600 00	----------	----------
Examiners	4	8	----	----	11,360 83	26,400 00	----------	----------
Examiner	1	1	----	----	3,420 00	3,600 00	----------	----------
Examiner	1	----	----	----	2,168 86	----------	----------	----------
Examiners	8	8	----	----	21,269 35	21,000 00	----------	----------
Examiners	9	6	----	----	20,813 73	10,800 00	----------	----------
Examiners	1	2	----	----	2,375 00	4,800 00	----------	----------
Assistants	2	2	----	----	2,145 00	3,960 00	----------	----------
Assistants	2	----	----	----	3,570 00	----------	----------	----------
Examiner	----	----	----	----	362 90	----------	----------	----------
Legal Assistants	1	2	2	2	390 34	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Part-time Examiners	----	----	----	----	----------	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Approval of securities	----	----	----	----	8,641 67	----------	----------	----------
Totals	46	47	48	48	$127,291 24	$142,750 00	$145,450 00	$145,570 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office supplies					$1,450 34	$1,500 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Printing					7,825 52	8,000 00	8,000 00	8,000 00
Totals					$9,275 86	$9,500 00	$9,000 00	$9,000 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Office					$2,752 39	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Freight, cartage and express					159 93	300 00	200 00	200 00
Postage					1,320 08	2,000 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Rent					8,617 26	10,500 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Telephone and telegraph					1,619 82	2,000 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Traveling, Examiners					23,191 92	25,000 00	27,500 00	30,000 00
Traveling, Bond Officers					1,038 99	----------	----------	----------
Traveling, Superintendent					3,063 87	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Traveling, Chief Deputy					1,467 77	2,000 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Traveling, Attorney					1,063 42	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$44,295 45	$48,800 00	$49,500 00	$52,000 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office equipment					$1,990 58	$1,500 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00

REGULATIVE.

BANKING DEPARTMENT—(CONCLUDED)

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$86,703 48		$121,882 79	
Revenue during year	202,460 44	$218,122 00	225,000 00	$235,000 00
Totals	$289,163 92	$218,122 00	$346,882 79	$235,000 00
		289,163 92		346,882 79
Totals for biennium		$507,285 92		$581,882 79

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	2	2	1	1	$2,575 00	$2,850 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Materials and supplies					599 72	465 00	415 00	415 00
Service and expense					3,832 77	3,940 00	4,357 50	4,357 50
Equipment					37 90	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$7,045 39	$7,355 00	$7,872 50	$7,872 50
						7,045 39		7,872 50
Totals for biennium						$14,400 39		$15,745 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Secretary	1	1	1	1	$1,925 00	$2,700 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Clerical Assistant	1	1			650 00	150 00		
Totals	2	2	1	1	$2,575 00	$2,850 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$201 73	$50 00		
Printing					79 96	200 00	$200 00	$200 00
Examinations					318 03	215 00	215 00	215 00
Totals					$599 72	$465 00	$415 00	$415 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Deputy fees, Los Angeles					$1 025 00	$1,000 00	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
Clerical and office					18 64			
Telephone and telegraph					81 25	85 00	125 00	125 00
Traveling					628 31	445 00	472 50	472 50
Rent					780 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Postage					73 00	60 00	120 00	120 00
Examinations					51 45	60 00	60 00	60 00
Correcting papers					1,175 12	1,510 00	1 600 00	1,600 00
Totals					$3,832 77	$3,940 00	$4,357 50	$4,357 50
EQUIPMENT								
Clerical and office					$37 90	$100 00	$100 00	$100 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$11 554 73		$19,894 34	
Revenue during year	10,740 00	$12,000 00	14,490 00	$14,490 00
Totals	$22,294 73	$12,000 00	$34,384 34	$14,490 00
		22,294 73		34,384 34
Totals for biennum		$34,294 73		$48,874 34

REGULATIVE.

BUILDING AND LOAN COMMISSIONER.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	4	4	4	4	$10,280 00	$10,280 00	$11,200 00	$11,320 00
Materials and supplies					642 48	775 00	650 00	650 00
Service and expense					2,780 76	2,925 00	3,077 00	3,077 00
Equipment					773 61	300 00	150 00	150 00
Totals					$14,476 85	$14,280 00	$15,077 00	$15,197 00
						14,476 85		15,077 00
Totals for biennium						$28,756 85		$30,274 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioner	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Chief Deputy	1	1	1	1	2,500 00	2,500 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Deputy	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Stenographer-Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,380 00	1,380 00	1,500 00	1,620 00
Totals	4	4	4	4	$10,280 00	$10,280 00	$11,200 00	$11,320 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Stationery and printing					$642 48	$725 00	$600 00	$600 00
Office						50 00	50 00	50 00
Totals					$642 48	$775 00	$650 00	$650 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSES								
Office rent					$91 89	$365 00	$370 00	$370 00
Office expenses					193 40	25 00	145 00	145 00
Telephone and telegraph					100 87	100 00	100 00	100 00
Postage					120 00	150 00	150 00	150 00
Premium on bonds					60 00	45 00		
Janitor service					605 40	390 00	312 00	312 00
Traveling expense					1,609 20	1,850 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals					$2,780 76	$2,925 00	$3,077 00	$3,077 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$773 61	$300 00	$150 00	$150 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$15,700 40		$17,896 83	
Revenue during year	15,453 28	$15,500 00	17,000 00	$17,700 00
Totals	$31,153 68	$15,500 00	$34,896 83	$17,700 00
		31,153 68		34,896 83
Totals for biennium		$46,653 68		$52,596 83

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	*Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	5	6	6	6	$213 00	$4,750 00	$4,750 00	$4,750 00
Materials and supplies					1 41	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Service and expense					881 91	7,375 00	7,375 00	7,375 00
Equipment						125 00	125 00	125 00
Totals					$1,097 22	$13,750 00	$13,750 00	$13,750 00
						1,097 22		13,750 00
Totals for biennium						$14 847 22		$27,500 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board members, per diem	4	4	4	4		$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$1 500 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	$213 90	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Stenographer-clerk		1	1	1		2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Extra help						250 00	250 00	250 00
Totals	5	6	6	6	$213 90	$4,750 00	$4,750 00	$4 750 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$1 41	$250 00	$250 00	$250 00
Printing						1,250 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Totals					$1 41	$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Freight, cartage and express						$100 00	$100 00	$100 00
Janitor service					$38 64	125 00	125 00	125 00
Board members correcting examination papers						2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Clerical and office					20 00	50 00	50 00	50 00
Cost of suits						500 00	500 00	500 00
Postage						500 00	500 00	500 00
Rent					757 17	750 00	750 00	750 00
Telephone and telegraph					25 00	250 00	250 00	250 00
Traveling					41 10	3,100 00	3,100 00	3,100 00
Totals					$881 91	$7,375 00	$7,375 00	$7,375 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office						$125 00	$125 00	$125 00

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$33,217 83		$36,920 61	
*Revenue during year	550 00	$18,000 00	21,000 00	$22,800 00
Totals	$33,767 83	$18,000 00	$57,920 61	$22,800 00
		33,767 83		57,920 61
Totals for biennium		$51,767 83		$80,720 61

*Board only functioned part of seventy-fifth fiscal year

REGULATIVE.

CORPORATION DEPARTMENT.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	72	72	87	87	$129,502 58	$138,680 00	$185,480 00	$185,480 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	6,385 23	5,575 00	5,575 00	5,575 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	23,489 74	26,779 00	26,779 00	26,779 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	2,489 93	2,100 00	4,462 50	4,462 50
Totals	----	----	----	----	$161,867 48	$173,134 00	$222,296 50	$222,296 50
						161,867 48		222,296 50
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$335,001 48	----------	$444,593 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioner	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Chief Deputy	1	1	1	1	3,625 00	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Deputies in Charge	2	2	2	2	8,052 26	7,200 00	7,800 00	7,800 00
Deputies	2	2	3	3	5,033 70	6,600 00	10,980 00	10,980 00
Deputy	1	1	2	2	2,880 00	3,060 00	6,960 00	6,960 00
Deputies	4	2	5	5	9,165 00	5,760 00	16,320 00	16,320 00
Deputies	3	3	4	4	7,930 00	8,100 00	11,880 00	11,880 00
Deputies	4	7	5	5	7 660 16	12,600 00	12,600 00	12,600 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,360 00	3,360 00	3,360 00	3,360 00
Assistant Engineers	2	1	1	1	4,920 00	3 180 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Chief Auditor	1	1	1	1	3,645 16	3,600 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Assistant Auditor	2	1	6	6	3 675 00	2,700 00	14,400 00	14,400 00
Auditor	1	1	----	----	2 205 48	2,460 00	----------	----------
Auditor	1	1	----	----	2 100 00	2,100 00	----------	----------
Investigator	1	1	----	----	810 00	3,240 00	----------	----------
Examiners	1	1	1	1	810 00	3,240 00	3,240 00	3,240 00
Examiner's Assistant	1	2	4	4	2 709 68	4,200 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2 012 90	1,800 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Private Secretary	1	1	1	1	1 775 00	1,800 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Chief Clerks	2	2	2	2	3 645 00	3,840 00	3,840 00	3,840 00
Executive Secretary	1	1	1	1	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Stenographers	2	2	2	2	3 128 79	3,360 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Stenographers	5	5	9	9	7,250 00	7,800 00	14,700 00	14,700 00
Stenographers	4	3	3	3	5 021 50	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Stenographers	2	2	2	2	2,640 00	2,640 00	2,640 00	2,640 00
Stenographers	7	7	7	7	7 654 66	8 400 00	8,400 00	8,400 00
Typist	2	1	1	1	1,596 67	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	1 071 29	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Typists	2	2	2	2	1,878 44	1,920 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
Clerks	2	2	2	2	2 460 00	2,460 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Clerks	3	3	3	3	3 460 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Clerks	6	8	9	9	6,571 97	7,680 00	9,720 00	9,720 00
Assistant Executive Secretary	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	3,600 00	3,600 00
Messengers	2	2	3	3	1,854 92	1,800 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Totals	72	72	87	87	$129,502 58	$138,680 00	$185,480 00	$185,480 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES.								
Clerical and office	----	----	----	----	$1,853 32	$1,575 00	$1,575 00	$1,575 00
Printing	----	----	----	----	4 531 91	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$6,385 23	$5,575 00	$5,575 00	$5,575 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling	----	----	----	----	$4,399 18	$7,200 00	$7,200 00	$7,200 00
Postage	----	----	----	----	2,590 62	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Telephone and telegraph	----	----	----	----	1,849 20	1,950 00	1,950 00	1,950 00
Freight, cartage and express	----	----	----	----	843 18	900 00	900 00	900 00
Rent	----	----	----	----	11,059 08	11,029 00	11,029 00	11,029 00
Clerical and office	----	----	----	----	2,748 48	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$23,489 74	$26,779 00	$26,779 00	$26,779 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office equipment	----	----	----	----	$2,489 93	$2,100 00	$4,462 50	$4,462 50

REVENUE

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$483,371 28	----------	$815,240 83	----------
Revenue during year	331,871 03	$335,000 00	367,000 00	$367,000 00
Totals	$815,242 31	$335,000 00	$1,182,240 83	$367,000 00
		815,242 31		1,182,240 83
Totals for biennium	----------	$1,150,242 31	----------	$1,549,240 83

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	7	9	9	9	$6,930 00	$14,750 00	$16,620 00	$16,740 00
Materials and supplies					355 07	370 00	425 00	425 00
Service and expense					2,127 86	4,423 07	3,644 00	3,644 00
Equipment						114 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$9,412 93	$19,657 07	$20,789 00	$20,909 00
						9,412 93		20,789 00
Totals for biennium						$29,070 00		$41,698 00
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
Board members, per diem	6	6	6	6	$3,330 00	$9,050 00	$9,720 00	$9 720 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Stenographer		1	1	1		700 00	1,200 00	1,320 00
Inspector		1	1	1		1,400 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Totals	7	9	9	9	$6,930 00	$14,750 00	$16,620 00	$16,740 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$104 28	$210 00	$125 00	$125 00
Printing					250 79	160 00	300 00	300 00
Totals					$355 07	$370 00	$425 00	$425 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Office					$201 69	$340 00	$300 00	$300 00
Rent					650 00	746 00	744 00	744 00
Traveling					1,276 17	3,337 07	2,600 00	2,600 00
Totals					$2,127 86	$4,423 07	$3,644 00	$3,644 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office						$114 00	$100 00	$100 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$9,289 90		$22,953 80	
Revenue during year	17,733 90	$25,000 00	31,000 00	$33,000 00
Totals	$27,023 80	$25,000 00	$53,953 80	$33,000 00
		27,023 80		53,953 80
Totals for biennium		$52,023 80		$86,953 80

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF PRISON DIRECTORS—DETECTIVE LICENSE DEPARTMENT

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	1	1	1	1	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
Materials and supplies					12 97	51 50	62 50	62 50
Service and expense						40 00	165 00	165 00
Equipment							50 00	50 00
Totals					$312 97	$391 50	$577 50	$577 50
						312 97		577 50
Totals for biennium						$704 47		$1,155 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
License Clerk	1	1	1	1	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00	$300 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$12 97	$51 50	$62 50	$62 50
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Office						$40 00		
Postage							$30 00	$30 00
Telephone and telegraph							35 00	35 00
Traveling							100 00	100 00
Totals						$40 00	$165 00	$165 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office							$50 00	$50 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$3,330 90		$5,846 43	
Revenue during year	1 620 00	$1 600 00	1,600 00	$1,600 00
Tota's	$4 950 90	$1,600 00	$7,446 43	$1,600 00
		4,950 90		7,446 43
Totals for biennium		$6,550 90		$9,046 43

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF EMBALMERS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	1	1	2	2	$675 00	$900 00	$4,200 00	$4 200 00
Materials and supplies					94 13	150 00	750 00	450 00
Service and expense					245 59	925 00	2,160 00	2 160 00
Totals					$1,014 72	$1 975 00 1,014 72	$7,110 00	$6,810 00 7,110 00
Total for biennium						$2,989 72		$13,920 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Secretary	1	1	1	1	$675 00	$900 00	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
Demonstrator			1	1			3,000 00	3,000 00
Totals	1	1	2	2	$675 00	$900 00	$4,200 00	$4,200 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$55 08	$60 00	$250 00	$250 00
Printing					39 05	90 00	500 00	200 00
Totals					$94 13	$150 00	$750 00	$450 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Postage					$105 68	$200 00	$300 00	$300 00
Advertising					65 38	100 00	200 00	200 00
Traveling					74 53	300 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Telephone and telegraph						50 00	60 00	60 00
Office miscellaneous						100 00	100 00	100 00
Rent						175 00	300 00	300 00
Totals					$245 59	$925 00	$2,160 00	$2,160 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year			$5,133 07	
Revenue during year	$3,022 79	$4,200 00	$4,500 00	$4,800 00
Totals	$3,022 79	$4,200 00 3,922 79	$9,633 07	$4,800 00 9,633 07
Totals for biennium		$8,122 79		$14,433 07

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF STATE HARBOR COMMISSIONERS—SAN DIEGO.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	3	3	3	3	$1 000 00	$1,000 00	$1,320 00	$1,320 00
Materials and supplies					7 00	20 00	20 00	20 00
Service and expense					30 00	30 00	55 00	55 00
Totals					$1 037 00	$1,050 00 1,037 00	$1,395 00	$1,395 00 1,395 00
Totals for biennium						$2 087 00		$2,790 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioners	3	3	3	3	$1.000 00	$1,000 00	$1,320 00	$1,320 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office					$7 00	$20 00	$20 00	$20 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE.								
Office					$30 00	$30 00	$55 00	$55 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$7,414 61		$7,955 66	
Revenue during year	628 05	$2 000 00	2,000 00	$2,000 00
Totals	$8,042 66	$2,000 00 8,042 66	$9,955 66	$2,000 00 9,955 66
Totals for biennium		$10,042 66		$11,955 66

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF STATE HARBOR COMMISSIONERS—SAN FRANCISCO.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	405	402	436	436	$751,062 16	$754,119 50	$819,723 00	$819,723 00
Material and supplies	----	----	----	----	343,321 27	374,500 00	513,450 00	513,450 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	261,483 69	304,000 00	299,050 00	299,050 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	197,369 46	350,000 00	300,000 00	300,000 00
Bond interest and redemption	----	----	----	----	573,521 26	514,120 00	594,120 00	594,120 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$2,126,757 84	$2,296,739 50	$2,526,343 00	$2,526,343 00
						2,126,757 84		2,526,343 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$4,423,497 34	----------	$5,052,686 00
Total appropriated for permanent improvements	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	----------	$1,983,000 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
President	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Commissioners	2	2	2	2	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,960 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Private Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Attorney	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Messenger and Usher	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Stenographer and File Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Chief Accountant	1	1	1	1	2,574 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Cost Accountant	1	1	1	1	2,175 00	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Junior Accountant	1	1	1	1	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Clerks	9	9	9	9	18,000 00	18,000 00	18,000 00	18,000 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Comptometer Operator	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Bookkeeping Machine Operators	2	2	2	2	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Statistician	----	1	1	1	----------	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Telephone Operator	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Telephone Operator, Relief	----	1	1	1	----------	480 00	480 00	480 00
Storekeeper	1	1	1	1	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Storekeeper, Clerks	2	2	2	2	3,120 00	3,120 00	3,120 00	3,120 00
Auto mechanic	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Auto Mechanic Helper	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Assistant Harbor Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00	3,900 00
Testing Engineer	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Chief Draftsman	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Draftsmen	7	7	7	7	18,000 00	18,000 00	18,000 00	18,000 00
Transitmen	2	2	2	2	4,680 00	4,680 00	4,680 00	4,680 00
Inspectors	5	5	5	5	12,600 00	12,600 00	12,600 00	12,600 00
Assistant Engineers	3	3	3	3	5,400 00	5,400 00	5,400 00	5,400 00
Chief Wharfinger	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Chief Wharfinger Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Wharfingers	18	18	20	20	36,720 00	36,720 00	40,760 00	40,760 00
Superintendent Grain Terminal	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Janitors	14	14	16	16	21,680 00	21,795 00	25,025 00	25,025 00
Police	3	3	3	3	4,980 00	4,980 00	4,980 00	4,980 00
Matron	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Matron, Assistants	2	2	2	2	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00	2,160 00
Painter and Foreman	1	1	1	1	2,180 00	2,480 00	2,480 00	2,480 00
Painters	9	9	11	11	15,120 52	17,600 00	20,500 00	20,500 00
Carpenter Foreman	1	1	1	1	2,469 00	2,480 00	2,480 00	2,480 00
Carpenters	9	9	12	12	17,595 75	19,800 00	26,400 00	26,400 00
Superintendent of Repairs	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Blacksmith	1	1	1	1	2,453 22	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Blacksmith Helpers	2	2	2	2	2,939 36	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Machinists	6	6	6	6	12,927 60	12,200 00	13,200 00	13,200 00
Steamfitter	1	1	1	1	2,493 60	2,475 00	2,475 00	2,475 00
Plumber	1	1	1	1	2,452 00	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Plumbers Helpers	2	2	2	2	2,985 60	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Tinners	2	2	2	2	4,749 00	4,600 00	4,600 00	4,600 00
Tinners Helpers	3	3	3	3	4,933 50	4,650 00	4,650 00	4,650 00
Plasterer	1	1	1	1	2,493 20	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Oilers	2	2	2	2	3,005 20	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Millman	1	1	1	1	1,950 00	1,950 00	1,950 00	1,950 00
Shop Laborers—Foreman	1	1	1	1	1,652 50	1,650 00	1,650 00	1,650 00

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF STATE HARBOR COMMISSIONERS—SAN FRANCISCO—(CONTINUED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARIES AND WAGES—Cont								
Shop Laborers	4	4	4	4	$5,684 00	$5,500 00	$5 500 00	$5,500 00
Truck Drivers	3	3	3	3	5,296 30	5,050 00	5,050 00	5,050 00
Superintendent Tugs and Dredges	1	1	1	1	3,900 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Captains	3	3	3	3	8,940 00	8,640 00	8,640 00	8,640 00
Marine Engineers	3	3	3	3	7,020 00	7,020 00	7,020 00	7,020 00
Marine Firemen	4	4	4	4	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Deckhands	6	6	6	6	9,000 00	9,000 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Head Levermen	3	3	3	3	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Levermen	3	3	3	3	6,300 00	6,300 00	6,300 00	6,300 00
Firemen	3	3	3	3	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Deckhands	13	13	13	13	21,000 00	21,000 00	21,000 00	21,000 00
Superintendent Piledrivers	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Pilemen Foremen	5	5	6	6	12,476 90	12,400 00	12,400 00	12,400 00
Engineers	4	4	5	5	8,964 75	8,800 00	11,000 00	11,000 00
Pilemen	35	30	38	38	66,166 04	65,139 50	89,148 00	89,148 00
Raftsmen	2	2	2	2	4,470 00	4,400 00	4,400 00	4,400 00
Patchers	2	2	2	2	3,105 75	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Watchmen	9	9	10	10	12,513 83	12,960 00	14,400 00	14,400 00
Chief Electrician	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Maintenance men	3	3	3	3	6,300 00	6,300 00	6,300 00	6,300 00
Light Inspector	1	1	1	1	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00	1,680 00
Electrician Foreman	1	1	1	1	2,464 70	2,335 00	2,335 00	2,335 00
Electricians	6	6	7	7	13,746 20	13,200 00	15,400 00	15,400 00
Electrician Helper	1	1	1	1	1,745 00	1,650 00	1,650 00	1,650 00
Stationery Engineers	3	3	3	3	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00	7,200 00
Pavers	4	4	4	4	9,180 04	9,200 00	9,200 00	9,200 00
Rammers	2	2	2	2	4,120 26	4,080 00	4,080 00	4,080 00
Sweepers	4	4	5	5	4,895 86	5,240 00	5,240 00	5,240 00
Sweeper Operator	1	1	1	1	2,032 60	1,930 00	1,930 00	1,930 00
Truck Driver	1	1	1	1	2,036 40	1,930 00	1,930 00	1,930 00
Foreman Laborer	1	1	1	1	2,290 00	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Laborers	15	15	18	18	20,492 22	20,600 00	25,000 00	25,000 00
Railroad Superintendent	1	1	1	1	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Yardmasters	5	5	7	7	10,261 34	10,100 00	14,140 00	14,140 00
Boat Clerks	5	5	7	7	6,291 12	6,200 00	8,700 00	8,700 00
Locomotive Engineers	12	12	12	12	25 545 00	25,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00
Locomotive Fireman	12	12	12	12	20,049 50	19,300 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
Engine Foremen	12	12	12	12	24,105 50	24,000 00	24 000 00	24,000 00
Switchmen	39	39	42	42	52,620 40	52,420 00	57 500 00	57,500 00
Roadmaster	1	1	1	1	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Sectionmen	18	18	20	20	21,452 60	22,000 00	22,000 00	22,000 00
Working Foreman	1	1	1	1	2,495 40	2,350 00	2,500 00	2,500 00
Machinist Helpers	10	10	10	10	15,645 00	15,290 00	16,000 00	16,000 00
Coppersmith	1	1	1	1	2,346 00	2,245 00	2,350 00	2,350 00
Hoist Engineer	1	1	1	1	2,347 50	2 245 00	2,350 00	2,350 00
Boilermaker	1	1	1	1	2,344 50	2,245 00	2,350 00	2,350 00
Totals	405	402	436	436	$751,062 16	$754,119 50	$819 723 00	$819,723 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office					$1,389 88	$6,400 00	$6,300 00	$6,300 00
Engineering					1,230 26	1,000 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stores					200 00	100 00	150 00	150 00
Automobiles					7,692 03	6,000 00	8,000 00	8,000 00
Carpenters					13,580 80	12,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
Painters					12,518 57	15,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00
Janitors					5,557 63	8,000 00	10 000 00	10,000 00
Shop					30,417 76	30,000 00	40,000 00	40 000 00
Piledrivers					105,046 55	125,000 00	200,000 00	200,000 00
Tugs and dredges					20 911 06	25,000 00	30,000 00	30 000 00
Boiler room					11,450 00	10,000 00	12 000 00	12 000 00
Electricians					9,054 25	15,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
Street maintenance					15,611 09	17,500 00	25,000 00	25,000 00
Railroad operation					42 399 66	42,500 00	50,500 00	50,500 00
Tracks, renewals, etc					21,502 01	15,000 00	25,000 00	25 000 00
Shop and roundhouse					44,759 72	46,000 00	50,000 00	50 000 00
Totals					$343,321 27	$374,500 00	$513,450 00	$513 450 00

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF STATE HARBOR COMMISSIONERS—SAN FRANCISCO—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Clerical and office	$12,009 59	$10 500 00	$14,500 00	$14,500 00
Engineering	354 88	500 00	500 00	500 00
Telephone and telegraph	3,680 42	3,500 00	3,750 00	3,750 00
Postage	1,345 00	1,200 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stores	432 40	500 00	500 00	500 00
Automobile	4,432 60	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Water	11,488 90	11,000 00	12,500 00	12,500 00
Carpenters	1,109 78	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Painters	10,829 57	9,000 00	15 000 00	15,000 00
Janitors	8,762 53	200 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Shops	51,337 89	15,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00
Piledrivers	5,995 58	5,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Tugs and dredges	17,349 47	10,000 00	18,000 00	18,000 00
Boiler room	532 01	400 00	600 00	600 00
Electrical department	43,762 73	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00
Street maintenance	9,427 00	13,000 00	12,000 00	12,000 00
Track renewals and repairs	6,927 59	8,000 00	8,000 00	8,000 00
Shops and roundhouse	11,877 23	12,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00
Refunds of dockage tolls, etc			10,000 00	10,000 00
Fire boat maintenance	59,828 61	65,000 00	65,000 00	65,000 00
Commission bond sales		83,000 00		
Totals	$261,483 69	$304,000 00	$299,050 00	$299,050 00
EQUIPMENT				
Replacements	$197,369 46	$350,000 00	$300,000 00	$300,000 00
Bond interest and redemption	$573,521 26	$514,120 00	$594,120 00	$594,120 00

	Budget recommendation, seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years	
	Detail	Total
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS		
Fish market and box house	$8,000 00	
Paving streets and piers	85,000 00	
Post office foundation	16,000 00	
Tracks	187,000 00	
Shops and garage, lot 17	186,000 00	
Sheds	300,000 00	
Pier 52	1,141,000 00	
Dump scows (2)	60,000 00	
Total		$1,983,000 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$701,881 12		$1,900,516 53	
Revenue during year	2,820,832 75	$2,801 300 00	2,875,000 00	$2,875,000 00
Totals	$3,522,713 87	$2,801,300 00	$4,775,516 53	$2,875,000 00
		3,522,713 87		4,775,516 53
Totals for biennium		$6 324,013 87		$7,650,516 53

REGULATIVE.

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	41	42	40	40	$42,143 42	$51,250 00	$44,390 00	$44,390 00
Materials and supplies					10,317 79	12,300 00	12,300 00	12,300 00
Service and expense					5,637 75	6,645 00	7,685 00	7,685 00
Equipment					105 50	94 50	1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals					$58,204 46	$70,289 50	$65,875 00	$65,875 00
						58,204 46		65,875 00
Totals for biennium						$128,493 96		$131,750 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioner	1	1	1	1	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00	$6,000 00
Deputy	1	1	1	1	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Assistant to Commissioner	1	1	1	1	4,100 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Cashier	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Actuary	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,600 00	3 600 00	3,600 00
Senior Clerk, License Dept	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	2,040 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
Stenographer and Bookkeepers	6	7	7	7	7,805 00	10,563 23	10,800 00	10,800 00
Assistant Cashier and Typist	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,360 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Typists	2	2	2	2	2,160 00	2,240 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Hollerith Operators	2	2	2	2	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Special Typists—Licenses	20	20	20	20	2,536 42	3,455 17	4,000 00	4,000 00
Messenger	1	1	1	1	900 00	1,050 00	1,050 00	1,050 00
Additional assistants and new positions			1	1		4,216 60	1,000 00	1,000 00
Examiners	3	3			4,842 00	4,725 00		
Totals	41	42	40	40	$42,143 42	$51,250 00	$44,390 00	$44,390 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Printing and publishing					$8,868 89	$10,300 00	$10,300 00	$10,300 00
Office supplies					1,448 90	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals					$10,317 79	$12,300 00	$12,300 00	$12,300 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling expense					$1,583 65	$2,000 00	$3,040 00	$3,040 00
Miscellaneous office expense					2,026 72	2,395 00	2,395 00	2,395 00
Postage					1,319 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Telephone and telegraph					708 38	750 00	750 00	750 00
Totals					$5,637 75	$6,645 00	$7,685 00	$7,685 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$105 50	$94 50	$1,500 00	$1,500 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period	$82,010 02		$73,516 06	
Revenue during period	60,000 00	$60 000 00	60,000 00	$60,000 00
Totals	$142,010 02	$60,000 00	$133,516 06	$60,000 00
		142,010 02		133,516 06
Totals for biennium		$202,010 02		$193,516 06

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	20	20	20	20	$22,628 33	$23,950 00	$23,630 00	$23,630 00
Materials and supplies					4,265 04	4,875 00	4,952 50	4,952 50
Service and expense					11,461 42	13,286 18	11,970 46	11,970 46
Equipment					112 65	411 00	272 00	272 00
Totals					$38,467 44	$42,522 18	$40,824 96	$40,824 96
						38,467 44		40,824 96
Totals for biennium						$80,989 62		$81,649 92
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board members, per diem	10	10	10	10	$1,815 00	$2,550 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Secretary-Treasurer	1	1	1	1	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Attorney	1	1	1	1	1,683 87	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Special Agent	1	1	1	1	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Special Agent	1	1	1	1	1,821 93	1,980 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Stenographer-Reporter	1	1	1	1	2,041 26	1,980 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Cashier and certification clerk	1	1	1	1	1,871 09	1,920 00	1,980 00	1,980 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1 560 00	1,560 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,560 00	1,500 00	1,560 00	1,560 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Clerk-typist	1	1	1	1	1,188 22	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Extra clerks, tax period					832 10	750 00	750 00	750 00
Vacation stenographer (30 days)					177 55	130 00	60 00	60 00
Janitor					157 31			
Totals	20	20	20	20	$22,628 33	$23,950 00	$23,630 00	$23,630 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
General office					$182 02	$375 00	$270 00	$270 00
Directory					2 904 50	3,400 00	3,432 50	3,432 50
Printing					1,172 52	1,100 00	1,250 00	1,250 00
Totals					$4,265 04	$4,875 00	$4,952 50	$4,952 50
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Clerical and office					$1,105 22	$1,337 16	$727 00	$727 00
Freight, cartage and express					77 32	80 00	102 50	102 50
Hearings					833 86	1,150 00	1,000 00	1 000 00
Evidence					4 85	45 00	50 00	50 00
Traveling					3,872 02	5,361 00	4,750 00	4,750 00
Telephone and telegraph					493 95	525 00	500 00	500 00
Interpreters					120 00	105 00	125 00	125 00
Translators					200 00	190 00	175 00	175 00
Watchers and assistants					128 00	140 00	150 00	150 00
Directory					1,011 80	800 00	800 00	800 00
Postage					435 76	460 00	465 00	465 00
Rent					2 127 22	2,025 96	2,025 96	2,025 96
Examinations					1,051 42	1,067 06	1,100 00	1,100 00
Totals					$11,461 42	$13,286 18	$11,970 46	$11,970 46
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$112 65	$411 00	$272 00	$272 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$108,354 24		$179,384 67	
Revenue during year	77,020 05	$75,000 00	75,000 00	$75,000 00
Totals	$185,374 29	$75,000 00	$254,384 67	$75,000 00
		185,374 29		254,384 67
Totals for biennium		$260,374 29		$329,384 67

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF HEALTH—REGISTRATION OF NURSES.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	3	3	6	6	$5 313 84	$5,880 00	$12,120 00	$12,240 00
Materials and supplies					466 78	100 00	1,520 00	1,520 00
Service and expense					2,543 74	2,300 00	3,090 00	3,090 00
Equipment						100 00	300 00	300 00
Totals					$8 324 36	$8,380 00	$17,030 00	$17,150 00
						8,324 36		17,030 00
Totals for biennium						$16,704 36		$34,180 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Director	1	1	1	1	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Secretary-Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,656 84	1,560 00	1,620 00	1,680 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	657 00	1,320 00	1,380 00	1,440 00
Inspectors			2	2			4 800 00	4,800 00
Stenographer			1	1			1,320 00	1,320 00
Totals	3	3	6	6	$5 313 84	$5,880 00	$12,120 00	$12,240 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office and miscellaneous					$49 03	$100 00	$120 00	$120 00
Printing					417 75		1,400 00	1 400 00
Totals					$466 78	$100 00	$1,520 00	$1,520 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Examination expense					$800 00	$500 00	$640 00	$640 00
Postage					495 00	500 00	700 00	700 00
Miscellaneous					98 50	100 00	500 00	500 00
Telephone and telegraph					130 95	200 00	50 00	50 00
Traveling					1,019 29	1,000 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals					$2,543 74	$2,300 00	$3,090 00	$3,090 00
EQUIPMENT								
Miscellaneous						$40 00	$100 00	$100 00
Office						60 00	200 00	200 00
Totals						$100 00	$300 00	$300 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning year	$28 159 68		$66,662 62	
Revenue during year	26,707 30	$28,500 00	30,000 00	$30,000 00
Totals	$54 866 98	$28,500 00	$96,662 62	$30,000 00
		54,866 98		96,662 62
Totals for biennium		$83,366 98		$126,662 62

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	4	4	4	4	$1,500 00	$1,680 00	$2,500 00	$2,500 00
Materials and supplies	---	---	---	---	525 48	500 00	550 00	550 00
Service and expense	---	---	---	---	1 249 02	975 00	1,175 00	1,175 00
Totals	---	---	---	---	$3,274 50	$3,155 00 3,274 50	$4,225 00	$4,225 00 4,225 00
Totals for biennium	---	---	---	---	---	$6,429 50	---	$8,450 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board members, per diem	2	2	2	2	$400 00	$480 00	$500 00	$500 00
Secretary (member of board)	1	1	1	1	550 00	600 00	1,200 00	1 200 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	550 00	600 00	800 00	800 00
Totals	4	4	4	4	$1,500 00	$1,680 00	$2,500 00	$2,500 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Clerical and office	---	---	---	---	$68 26	$50 00	$50 00	$50 00
Printing	---	---	---	---	276 15	350 00	350 00	350 00
Examinations	---	---	---	---	181 07	100 00	150 00	150 00
Totals	---	---	---	---	$525 48	$500 00	$550 00	$550 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Clerical and office	---	---	---	---	$24 25	---	$25 00	$25 00
Freight cartage and express	---	---	---	---	20 52	$25 00	25 00	25 00
Telephone and telegraph	---	---	---	---	79 55	100 00	125 00	125 00
Postage	---	---	---	---	234 90	250 00	250 00	250 00
Examinations	---	---	---	---	621 70	250 00	350 00	350 00
Board members traveling	---	---	---	---	268 10	350 00	400 00	400 00
Totals	---	---	---	---	$1,249 02	$975 00	$1,175 00	$1,175 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$348 19	---	$6,787 08	---
Revenue during year	6,868 39	$6,000 00	6,000 00	$6,000 00
Totals	$7,216 58	$6,000 00 7,216 58	$12,787 08	$6 000 00 12,787 08
Totals for biennium	---	$13,216 58	---	$18,787 08

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	2	2	2	2	$3,494 50	$4,750 00	$4,750 00	$4,750 00
Materials and supplies					668 12	750 00	750 00	750 00
Service and expense					2,805 26	2,395 28	2,395 28	2,395 28
Equipment					105 05	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$7 072 93	$7,995 28	$7,995 28	$7,995 28
						7,072 93		7,995 28
Totals for biennium						$15,068 21		$15,990 56
SALARIES AND WAGES.								
Board members per diem					$560 00	$600 00	$600 00	$600 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1 500 00	1,980 00	1,980 00	1 980 00
Part time help					234 50	970 00	970 00	970 00
Totals	2	2	2	2	$3,494 50	$4,750 00	$4,750 00	$4,750 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office supplies					$18 81	$50 00	$50 00	$50 00
Printing					649 31	700 00	700 00	700 00
Totals					$668 12	$750 00	$750 00	$750 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Freight, cartage and expense					$0 67	$5 00	$5 00	$5 00
Postage					192 45	200 00	200 00	200 00
Telephone and telegraph					128 83	135 00	135 00	135 00
Rent					452 88	452 88	452 88	452 88
Janitor					63 27	62 40	62 40	62 40
General expense					42 32	50 00	50 00	50 00
Examination expense					283 45	300 00	300 00	300 00
Traveling					881 39	1,150 00	1,150 00	1,150 00
Legal expense					760 00			
Directory						40 00	40 00	40 00
Totals					$2,805 26	$2,395 28	$2,395 28	$2,395 28
EQUIPMENT								
Office equipment					$105 05	$100 00	$100 00	$100 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$4,322 95		$10,108 24	
Revenue	10,853 50	$10,000 00	10,000 00	$10,000 00
Totals	$15,176 45	$10 000 00	$20 108 24	$10,000 00
		15,176 45		20,108 24
Totals for biennium		$25,176 45		$30,108 24

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF PHARMACY.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	18	20	20	20	$26,558 44	$29,600 00	$33,600 00	$33,600 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	1,226 22	1,750 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	21,158 29	26,290 00	25,995 00	25,995 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	595 83	700 00	750 00	750 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$49,538 78	$58,340 00	$61,845 00	$61,845 00
						49,538 78		61,845 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$107,878 78	----------	$123,690 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board members, per diem	7	7	7	7	$3,352 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Secretary	1	1	1	1	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Stenographers	2	3	3	3	2,183 54	3,700 00	4,100 00	4,100 00
Inspectors	7	8	8	8	14,722 90	15,600 00	19,200 00	19,200 00
Totals	18	20	20	20	$26,558 44	$29,600 00	$33,600 00	$33,600 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office	----	----	----	----	$703 23	$750 00	$650 00	$650 00
Printing	----	----	----	----	522 99	1,000 00	750 00	750 00
Miscellaneous	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	100 00	100 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$1,226 22	$1,750 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Office	----	----	----	----	$81 85	$720 00	$325 00	$325 00
Postage	----	----	----	----	523 82	600 00	600 00	600 00
Rent	----	----	----	----	1,390 76	2,000 00	1,900 00	1,900 00
Telephone and telegraph	----	----	----	----	110 75	120 00	120 00	120 00
Attorneys' fees	----	----	----	----	6,330 00	9,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Analyzing and testifying	----	----	----	----	2,277 50	2,700 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Traveling	----	----	----	----	10,443 61	11,150 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Writing certificates	----	----	----	----	----------	----------	350 00	350 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$21,158 29	$26,290 00	$25,995 00	$25,995 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office	----	----	----	----	$595 83	$700 00	$750 00	$750 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$57,866 92	----------	$138,009 39	----------
Revenue	93,021 25	$95,000 00	95,000 00	$95,000 00
Totals	$150,888 17	$95,000 00	$233,009 39	$95,000 00
		150,888 17		233,009 39
Totals for biennium	----------	$245,888 17	----------	$328,009 39

REGULATIVE.

REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	42	42	47	47	$71 036 46	$73,120 00	$87,000 00	$87,600 00
Materials and supplies	---	---	---	---	7,485 30	12,020 00	22,750 00	22,750 00
Service and expense	---	---	---	---	19,800 89	28,400 00	30,550 00	30,550 00
Equipment	---	---	---	---	1,528 98	1,200 00	2 342 50	2,342 50
Totals	---	---	---	---	$101,851 63	$114,740 00	$142,642 50	$143,242 50
						101,851 63		142,642 50
Totals for biennium	---	---	---	---	---	$216,591 63	---	$285,885 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Commissioner	1	1	1	1	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00	$5,000 00
Chief Deputy	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Deputies	4	4	6	6	8,193 33	9,600 00	13,800 00	14,100 00
Deputies	6	4	6	6	10,763 06	8,400 00	13,680 00	13,680 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Reporter	1	1	1	1	1,898 71	1,800 00	1,920 00	1 920 00
Chief Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Stenographers	3	3	5	5	4,020 68	4,500 00	6,540 00	6,600 00
Stenographers	3	5	4	4	3,690 00	6,120 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Typists	14	12	12	12	15,236 53	13,800 00	14,400 00	14 400 00
Extra Typists	---	---	---	---	9 920 46	5,240 00	6,700 00	6,700 00
Clerks	5	6	6	6	5,373 69	7,500 00	7,800 00	7,920 00
Typist Clerk	---	1	1	1	---	1,320 00	1,320 00	1 320 00
File Clerks	2	2	2	2	2,340 00	2,640 00	2 640 00	2,760 00
Totals	42	42	47	47	$73,036 46	$73,120 00	$87,000 00	$87,600 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Automobile					$241 56	$1,000 00	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
Printing					7,243 74	11,020 00	21,750 00	21,750 00
Totals					$7,485 30	$12,020 00	$22,750 00	$22,750 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Office					$3,637 06	$6,700 00	$9,000 00	$9,000 00
Automobile					860 23	2,000 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Postage					3,756 11	4,400 00	4,900 00	4,900 00
Telephone and telegraph					781 08	1,050 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Rent					6,309 12	6,600 00	6 600 00	6,600 00
Traveling					4,457 29	7,650 00	7,550 00	7,550 00
Totals					$19,800 89	$28,400 00	$30,550 00	$30,550 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$1,528 98	$1,200 00	$2,342 50	$2,342 50

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$135,930 77	---	$418,727 66	---
Revenue during year	265,901 02	$233,487 50	250,000 00	$265,000 00
Totals	$401,831 79	$233,487 50	$668,727 66	$265,000 00
		401,831 79		668,727 66
Totals for biennium	---	$635,319 29	---	$933,727 66

REGULATIVE.

BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages		1	1	1		$100 00	$100 00	$100 00
Service and expense					$52 90	150 00	150 00	150 00
Totals					$52 90	$250 00	$250 00	$250 00
						52 90		250 00
Totals for biennium						$302 90		$500 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Secretary		1	1	1		$100 00	$100 00	$100 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$26 90			
Miscellaneous					26 00	$150 00	$150 00	$150 00
Totals					$52 90	$150 00	$150 00	$150 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$574 16		$841 26	
Revenue during year	320 00	250 00	250 00	250 00
Totals	$894 16	$250 00	$1,091 26	$250 00
		894 16		1,091 26
Totals for biennium		$1,144 16		$1,341 26

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—SELF-SUPPORTING DIVISIONS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	126	168	172	172	$205 148 84	$358,975 00	$351 365 00	$351,365 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	6,369 14	6,100 00	6,075 00	6,075 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	136,953 07	145,575 00	144,750 00	144,750 00
Equipment	----	----	----	----	14,966 92	9,450 00	4,420 00	4,420 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$363,437 97	$520,100 00	$506,610 00	$506,610 00
						363,437 97		506,610 00
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$883,537 97	----------	$1,013,220 00
RECAPITULATION BY DIVISIONS								
Division of Animal Industry.								
Cattle protection					$76,472 01	$82 370 00	$82,370 00	$82,370 00
Meat inspection					59,398 01	161,040 00	161,040 00	161,040 00
Stallion registration					407 10	650 00	550 00	550 00
Division of Markets								
Apple inspection					30 359 58	37,845 00	35,000 00	35,000 00
Shipping point inspection					194,491 13	235,795 00	225 000 00	225,000 00
Fish exchange					2,310 14	2,400 00	2,650 00	2,650 00
Totals					$363,437 97	$520,100 00	$506,610 00	$506,610 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Division of Animal Industry, Cattle Protection Service.								
Superintendent and Secretary	1	1	1	1	$3,000 00	$3,120 00	$3,300 00	$3,300 00
Brand Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Assistant Brand Clerk	1	1	1	1	1,320 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Statistical Clerk	1	1	----	----	1,480 00	1,800 00	----------	----------
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Typists	2	2	2	2	1,974 42	2,160 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Special Investigators	2	2	3	3	3 640 00	3,840 00	5,760 00	5,760 00
Hide and Brand Inspectors	4	4	5	5	6,869 97	7,200 00	9,000 00	9,000 00
Hide and Brand Inspectors (part time)	8	7	10	10	4,960 00	4,860 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Additional help	----	----	----	----	1,000 00	1,800 00	----------	----------
Totals	21	20	24	24	$27,244 39	$29,220 00	$30,900 00	$30,900 00
Meat Inspection Service								
Inspectors	46	76	76	76	$47,444 59	$140,640 00	$140,640 00	$140,640 00
Inspectors (part time)	17	24	24	24	11,953 42	20,400 00	20,400 00	20,400 00
Totals	63	100	100	100	$59,398 01	$161,040 00	$161,040 00	$161,040 00
Stallion Registration Service	1	1	1	1	$270 00	$270 00	$300 00	$300 00
Division of Markets—Apple Inspection Service.								
Chief Bureau Fruit and Vegetable Standardization	----	1	1	1	----------	$800 00	$800 00	$800 00
Assistant Chief Bureau Fruit and Vegetable Standardization (part time)	----	1	1	1	----------	720 00	720 00	720 00
Supervising Inspector	1	1	1	1	$3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	1,138 00	1,080 00	1,080 00	1,080 00
Stenographer-Clerk (part time)	1	1	1	1	428 00	420 00	420 00	420 00
Inspectors	2	2	2	2	4,392 50	4,700 00	4,700 00	4,700 00
Inspectors (seasonal)	----	----	----	----	11,089 00	13,810 00	11,790 00	11,790 00
Additional help	----	----	----	----	499 93	740 00	740 00	740 00
Totals	5	7	7	7	$20,547 43	$25,270 00	$23,250 00	$23,250 00
Shipping Fruit Inspection Service								
Chief Bureau Fruit and Vegetable Standardization (part salary)	1	1	1	1	$999 73	$1,600 00	$1,600 00	$1,600 00
Assistant Chief Bureau of Fruit and Vegetable Standardization (part salary)	1	1	1	1	1,725 00	1,440 00	1,440 00	1,440 00
Supervising Inspectors (part time)	2	----	----	----	3,306 05	----------	----------	----------
Supervising Inspectors	1	4	4	4	3,000 00	10,950 00	11,100 00	11,100 00
Assistant State Supervisor	----	1	1	1	----------	2,820 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,290 00	1,860 00	1,920 00	1,920 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—SELF-SUPPORTING DIVISIONS—(CONCLUDED).

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SALARY AND WAGES—Cont.								
Stenographers	3	3	3	3	$3,031 92	$4,140 00	$4,260 00	$4,260 00
Stenographer-Clerk (part salary)	1	1	1	1	420 00	1,260 00	1,260 00	1,260 00
Typist	1	1	1	1	1,140 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Inspectors	16	26	26	26	28,262 40	54,600 00	54,600 00	54,600 00
Inspectors (Seasonal)	----	----	----	----	48,143 13	57,000 00	49,070 00	49,070 00
Additional help	----	----	----	----	4,576 26	5,105 00	5,105 00	5,105 00
Totals	27	39	39	39	$95,894 49	$141,975 00	$134,555 00	$134,555 00
Fish Exchange								
Stenographer	1	1	1	1	$1,100 00	$1,200 00	$1,320 00	$1,320 00
Deputies	5	----	----	----	283 22	----------	----------	----------
Secretary	1	----	----	----	300 00	----------	----------	----------
Clerical help	2	----	----	----	111 30	----------	----------	----------
Totals	9	1	1	1	$1,794 52	$1,200 00	$1,320 00	$1,320 00
Total salaries and wages	126	168	172	172	$205,148 84	$358,975 00	$351,365 00	$351,365 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Printing					$3,818 42	$3,300 00	$3,250 00	$3,250 00
Clerical, office and field					2,550 72	2,800 00	2,825 00	2,825 00
Totals					$6,369 14	$6,100 00	$6,075 00	$6,075 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Traveling					$66,216 04	$65,700 00	$65,700 00	$65,700 00
Automobile expense					9,628 42	18,900 00	19,800 00	19,800 00
Telephone and telegraph					1,956 68	2,100 00	2,120 00	2,120 00
Postage					1,711 64	2,050 00	2,150 00	2,150 00
Freight, cartage and express					22 32	15 00	1,515 00	1,515 00
Rent					2,415 05	3,200 00	3,250 00	3,250 00
Light, heat and power					30 74	30 00	30 00	30 00
Fees paid federal government					10,946 32	6,000 00	4,500 00	4,500 00
Head inspections					40,617 00	42,000 00	40,200 00	40,200 00
Contract typing certificates and miscellaneous					3,408 86	5,580 00	5,485 00	5,485 00
Total					$136,953 07	$145,575 00	$144,750 00	$144,750 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office and field equipment, automobiles, new and replacement					$14,966 92	$9,450 00	$4,420 00	$4,420 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of period.				
Cattle protection	$15,361 98	----------	$25,757 63	----------
Meat inspection	643 39	----------	643 39	----------
Stallion registration	637 32	----------	608 22	----------
Apple inspection	11,740 58	----------	10,376 13	----------
Shipping point inspection	----------	----------	15,468 30	----------
Fish exchange	9,772 45	----------	36,357 20	----------
Total balances	$38,155 72	----------	$89,210 87	----------
Revenue during the year				
Cattle protection	$84,237 66	$85,000 00	$82,500 00	$82,500 00
Meat inspection	63,086 94	157,351 07	161,040 00	161,040 00
Stallion registration	428 00	600 00	550 00	550 00
Apple inspection	34,840 13	32,000 00	35,000 00	35,000 00
Shipping point inspection	196,253 69	249,500 00	227,500 00	227,500 00
Fish exchange	16,294 89	15,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00
Total revenue	$395,141 31	$539,451 07	$521,590 00	$521,590 00
Total balance and revenue	$433,297 03	$539,451 07 433,297 03	$610,800 87	$521,590 00 610,800 87
Total for biennium	----------	$972,748 10	----------	$1,132,390 87

DEVELOPMENTAL.

FISH AND GAME COMMISSION

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	188	210	233	233	$259,534 26	$293,403 00	$325,000 00	$325,000 00
Materials and supplies	----	----	----	----	42,291 69	59,475 00	61,225 00	61,725 00
Service and expense	----	----	----	----	161,379 65	182,543 73	187,642 48	190,742 48
Property and equipment	----	----	----	----	416 91	21,180 50	98,515 00	4,050 00
Totals	----	----	----	----	$463,622 51	$556,602 23	$672,382 48	$581,517 48
						463,622 51		672,382 48
Totals for biennium	----	----	----	----	----------	$1,020,224 74	----------	$1,253,899 96
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Executive Officer	1	1	1	1	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$4,000 00
Assistant Executive Officer	1	1	1	1	3,180 00	3,180 00	3,180 00	3,180 00
Attorney	1	2	1	1	3,600 00	5,400 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,130 00	2 340 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Stenographers	7	10	9	9	8,425 80	12,900 00	12,540 00	12,540 00
Clerks	4	5	5	5	6,210 00	7,362 58	7,740 00	7,740 00
Cashiers	2	2	2	2	3,960 00	4,200 00	4,200 00	4,200 00
Hatchery Superintendents	2	2	2	2	4,500 00	4,500 00	4,500 00	4 500 00
Hatchery Foremen	12	13	18	18	18,711 74	22,380 00	27,480 00	27,480 00
Hatchery Assistants								
Permanent	13	16	25	25	15,820 29	19,000 00	31,000 00	31,000 00
Temporary	32	32	40	40	19,240 51	16,000 00	23,823 00	23,823 00
Fish Car Superintendents	2	2	2	2	3,060 00	3,120 00	3,120 00	3,120 00
Field Investigator	----	1	1	1	----------	2,200 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Fish Culturist	1	1	1	1	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Field Superintendent	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Game Expert	1	1	1	1	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Lion Hunter	1	1	1	1	1,500 00	1 500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Deputies	83	90	90	90	127,349 84	140,000 00	140,000 00	140 000 00
Screen Inspector	1	1	1	1	1,800 00	1,920 00	1,920 00	1,920 00
Fishway Inspector	1	1	1	1	2,040 00	2,040 00	2,040 00	2,040 00
Seine Foreman	1	1	1	1	585 00	700 00	700 00	700 00
Seine Helpers	5	8	10	10	988 00	1,600 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Technical Assistants	2	2	1	1	2,294 86	2,070 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Scientific Assistants	----	2	2	2	----------	1,743 05	1,860 00	1,860 00
Deckhand Cook	1	1	1	1	893 96	1,020 00	1,020 00	1,020 00
Fishery Experts	3	3	3	3	8,400 00	8,400 00	8,400 00	8,400 00
Assistant Fishery Experts	4	4	4	4	7,383 38	7,080 00	7,080 00	7,080 00
Engineer	1	1	1	1	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00	1,620 00
Hatchery Watchmen	3	3	3	3	115 00	252 00	252 00	252 00
Special Agent	1	1	1	1	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00	2,220 00
Extra help	----	----	----	----	2,905 88	5,055 37	9,885 00	9,885 00
Game Farm Superintendent	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	2,100 00	2,100 00
Game Farm Assistant	----	----	1	1	----------	----------	1,200 00	1,200 00
Totals	188	210	233	233	$259,534 26	$293,403 00	$325,000 00	$325,000 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
General office					$732 59	$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Research and publicity					628 54	700 00	700 00	700 00
Inspection and patrol					3,031 35	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Statistics					532 30	600 00	600 00	600 00
Propagation and distribution of salmon					6,369 47	9,500 00	9,500 00	9,500 00
Propagation and distribution of trout					22,891 05	35,000 00	34,300 00	34,300 00
Tahoe camping ground					62 95	75 00	75 00	75 00
Game farm operation					----------	----------	1,950 00	1 950 00
Printing					7,877 67	8,500 00	9,000 00	9 500 00
State Fair exhibit					175 77	300 00	300 00	300 00
Totals					$42,291 69	$59,475 00	$61,225 00	$61,725 00

DEVELOPMENTAL.

FISH AND GAME COMMISSION—(CONCLUDED).

	Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
SERVICE AND EXPENSE				
Traveling	$85,621 44	$91,000 00	$100,000 00	$100,000 00
Expressage, etc	2,322 26	2 560 00	2,760 00	2,810 00
Postage	706 10	990 00	1,005 00	1,055 00
Automobile	1,879 63	1,925 00	2,125 00	2,125 00
Telephone and telegraph	3,285 87	5,075 00	4,585 00	5,085 00
Rent	10,128 04	10,128 04	10,128 04	10,128 04
Commissions on license sales	45,516 10	50 000 00	52,500 00	55,000 00
Lion bounties	6,140 00	6,500 00	6,500 00	6,500 00
Allowances	115 85	150 00	150 00	150 00
Launch repairs, etc	359 54	400 00	400 00	400 00
State Fair exhibit	688 56	2,090 69	2,064 44	2,064 44
General office	2,703 64	2,600 00	2,600 00	2,600 00
Fish car rental	625 00	625 00	625 00	625 00
Fish car repairs	718 58	1,000 00	700 00	700 00
Accident and death claims	569 04	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Game bird introduction		6,000 00		
Totals	$161,379 65	$182,543 73	$187,642 48	$190,742 48
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT.				
Automobiles		$475 00	$2,415 00	
Office	$98 80	341 19	7,500 00	$500 00
Launch	17 53	100 00	500 00	500 00
Fish hatcheries		19,000 00	35,000 00	
Fish hatchery equipment	164 89	500 00	13,250 00	2,250 00
Fish distributing equipment			25,000 00	
Biologists' equipment		629 31		
Game farm buildings and equipment			14,050 00	
Miscellaneous	135 69	135 00	800 00	800 00
Totals	$416 91	$21,180 50	$98 515 00	$4,050 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$92,208 69		$301,802 86	
Revenue during year	593,988 91	$635,830 00	661,830 00	$686,830 00
Totals	$686,197 60	$635,830 00	$963,632 86	$686,830 00
		686,197 60		963,632 86
Totals for biennium		$1 322,027 60		$1,650,462 86

DEVELOPMENTAL.

MINING BUREAU—DEPARTMENT OF PETROLEUM AND GAS.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th....	76th....	77th....	78th....	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION.								
Salaries and wages	49	50	50	50	$99,172 97	$101,150 00	$103,790 00	$104,210 00
Materials and supplies	....	....	....	....	12,547 27	12,300 00	14,900 00	14,900 00
Service and expense	....	....	....	....	23,817 86	22,060 00	24,270 00	24,270 00
Equipment	....	....	....	....	1,544 57	7,485 00	7,150 00	7,150 00
Totals	....	....	....	....	$137,082 67	$142,995 00	$150,110 00	$150,530 00
						137,082 67		150,110 00
Totals for biennium	....	....	....	....	....	$280,077 67	....	$300,640 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
State Mineralogist	1	1	1	1	$1,399 92	$1,400 00	$1,400 00	$1,400 00
State Oil and Gas Supervisor	1	1	1	1	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
Secretary and Deputy Mineralogist	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Chief Deputy	1	1	1	1	4,500 00	4,800 00	4,800 00	4,800 00
Deputy Supervisors	5	5	5	5	18,312 10	18,600 00	19,500 00	19,800 00
Petroleum Engineers	4	4	4	4	10,963 37	11,460 00	11,640 00	11,640 00
Inspectors	11	11	11	11	23,263 68	23,760 00	24,360 00	24,360 00
Office Inspector	1	1	1	1	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00	1,740 00
Geological Draftsman	4	4	4	4	6,265 84	6,420 00	6,420 00	6,420 00
Chief Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,100 00	2,160 00	2,280 00	2,280 00
Stenographers	14	15	15	15	16,556 24	16,720 00	17,200 00	17,200 00
Switchboard Operator and Typist	1	1	1	1	1,200 00	1,320 00	1,320 00	1,320 00
Storeroom Clerk	1	1	1	1	1 515 00	1,560 00	1,680 00	1,800 00
Janitors	3	3	3	3	2,962 74	3,300 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Vacation and extra help	....	....	....	....	694 08	710 00	950 00	950 00
Totals	49	50	50	50	$99,172 97	$101,150 00	$103,790 00	$104,210 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Office supplies					$1,031 50	$1,050 00	$1,100 00	$1,100 00
Printing					7,792 00	7,500 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Automobile (gasoline, tires)					3,472 03	3,500 00	3,500 00	3,500 00
Drafting supplies					251 74	250 00	300 00	300 00
Totals					$12,547 27	$12,300 00	$14,900 00	$14,900 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Rent					$6,219 96	$5,900 00	$7,220 00	$7,220 00
Postage					1,902 68	1,910 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Freight and cartage					387 72	350 00	400 00	400 00
Gas and electricity					352 21	350 00	350 00	350 00
Telephone and telegraph					1,738 77	1,750 00	1,800 00	1,800 00
Miscellaneous					1,359 86	1,300 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
Blueprinting and photography					1,222 00	1,100 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Traveling					4,387 35	4,400 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Auto repairs					6,247 31	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Totals					$23,817 86	$22,060 00	$24,270 00	$24,270 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office					$501 47	$1,300 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Automobiles					1,001 55	6,145 00	5,050 00	5,050 00
Drafting equipment					41 55	40 00	100 00	100 00
Totals					$1 544 57	$7,485 00	$7,150 00	$7,150 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Balance beginning of year	$23,635 62	....	$43,754 13	....
Revenue during year	167,196 18	$133,000 00	147,139 27	$158,005 00
Totals	$190,831 80	$133,000 00	$190,893 40	$158,005 00
		190,831 80		190,893 40
Totals for biennum	....	$323,831 80	....	$348,898 40

DEVELOPMENTAL.

RECLAMATION BOARD—ADMINISTRATIVE.

	Number officers and employees, fiscal years				Expenditures		Budget recommendations	
	75th	76th	77th	78th	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year, July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year, July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925	Seventy-seventh fiscal year, July 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926	Seventy-eighth fiscal year, July 1, 1926, to June 30, 1927
RECAPITULATION								
Salaries and wages	15	14	14	14	$45,000 00	$42,860 00	$41,650 00	$41,650 00
Materials and supplies					3,430 23	3,850 00	4,600 00	4,600 00
Service and expense					19,271 63	21,980 00	21,980 00	21,980 00
Equipment					1,805 96	1,220 00	1,850 00	1,850 00
Totals					$69,507 82	$69,910 00	$70,080 00	$70,080 00
						69,507 82		70,080 00
Total for biennium						$139,417 82		$140,160 00
SALARIES AND WAGES								
Board members per diem					$2,800 00	$3,000 00	$3 000 00	$3,000 00
Chief Engineer	1	1	1	1	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Assistant Engineers	2	2	2	2	7,800 00	8,250 00	8,700 00	8,700 00
Assistant Secretary	1	1	1	1	2,640 00	2,970 00	3,300 00	3,300 00
Office Engineer	1	1	1	1	2,760 00	2,880 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Senior Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	2,400 00
Senior Bookkeeper	1	1	1	1	1,975 00	2,150 00	2,150 00	2,150 00
Assessment Clerk	1	1	1	1	2,500 00	2,730 00	2,880 00	2,880 00
Draftsman	1	1	1	1	2,400 00	2,610 00	2,820 00	2,820 00
Draftsman		1	1	1		2,100 00	2,100 00	2,100 00
Computer	1				1,050 00			
Stenographers	5	4	4	4	5,580 00	4,050 00	4,300 00	4,300 00
Field party (1 head and 4 assistants)					6,120 00	3,720 00		
Miscellaneous help					1,975 00	1 000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals	15	14	14	14	$45,000 00	$42,860 00	$41,650 00	$41,650 00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES								
Printing					$1,224 23	$1,500 00	$2,200 00	$2,200 00
General office					382 00	300 00	350 00	350 00
Automobile					1,776 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Blueprinting and photography					48 00	50 00	50 00	50 00
Totals					$3,430 23	$3,850 00	$4,600 00	$4,600 00
SERVICE AND EXPENSE								
Legal					$12,915 03	$15,000 00	$15,000 00	$15,000 00
Automobile repairs, etc					1,437 56	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
General office					645 92	700 00	700 00	700 00
Rent					2,952 12	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Telephone and telegraph					775 00	780 00	780 00	780 00
Board members traveling					546 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Totals					$19 271 63	$21,980 00	$21,980 00	$21,980 00
EQUIPMENT								
Office equipment					$300 13	$200 00	$350 00	$350 00
Automobiles					1,505 83	1,020 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Totals					$1,805 96	$1,220 00	$1,850 00	$1,850 00

REVENUE.

	Actual, seventy-fifth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-sixth fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-seventh fiscal year	Estimated, seventy-eighth fiscal year
Revenue during year	$69,507 82	$69,910 00	$70,080 00	$70,080 00
		69,507 82		70,080 00
Totals for biennium		$139,417 82		$140,160 00

The Speaker ordered the above message and report from the Governor referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Message and report from the Governor referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Carter, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m. Tuesday, January 13, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, January 13, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mrs. Woodbridge, Miss Broughton was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Wright, T. M., Mr. Spalding was granted leave of absence for the day.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Lyons, its further reading was dispensed with.

CHIEF CLERK OHNIMUS READING.

APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following standing committees:

1. *Agriculture*—Duval (Chairman), Brock, Johnson, Heisinger, Mixter, Noyes, Deuel, Wright, S. V., Campbell, Bernard, Dayton, Jost, Finney, Cleveland, Sewell, Murray, Anderson, D. P.

2. *Attaches*—Carter (Chairman), Anderson, R. J., Foster, Dillinger, Dodge, Jost, Murphy.

3. *Banking*—Spalding (Chairman), Graves, Duval, Dodge, Lyons, Reindollar, Louttit, Hartranft, McDowell.

4. *Building and Loan Associations*—Davis (Chairman), Sewell, Brock, Spalding, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Levey.

5. *Civil Service*—Jost (Chairman), Mitchell, Adams, Woodbridge, Jones, Schmidt, Reindollar, Mueller, Nielsen.

6. *Claims*—Wemple (Chairman), West, Spalding, Rosenshine, Oliva, Crittenden, Johnson.

7. *Commerce and Navigation*—Scofield (Chairman), McPherson, Badham, Morrison, Walters, Carter, Miller, J. A., Oliva, Hartranft.

8. *Conservation*—Noyes (Chairman), Browne, Murphy, Woodbridge, Carter, Heisinger, Melville, Murray, Bernard.

9. *Constitutional Amendments*—Anderson, R. J. (Chairman), Little, Coombs, Weller, Burns, McDowell, Murray, Miller, Eleanor; Spalding.

10. *Contested Elections*—Nielsen (Chairman), Croter, Hawes, Levey, Fry, Runner, Melville.

11. *Contingent Expenses*—Murray (Chairman), Spence, Levey, Miller, J. A., Noyes.

12. *Corporations*—Pierce (Chairman), Sewell, Weller, Jacobson, Levey, Fry, Noyes, Smith, McPherson.

13. *County Government*—Dayton (Chairman), Anderson, D. P., McDowell, Johnson, Mixter, Adams, Wright, S. V., Jost, Melville, Smith, Wemple, Dorris, Finney, Nielsen, Noyes.

14. *Direct Legislation*—Roland (Chairman), Miller, Eleanor; Easley, Rosenshine, Mitchell, Burns, Mueller.

15. *Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands*—Easley (Chairman), Noyes, Deuel, Johnson, McPherson, Bernard, Crittenden, West, Williamson, Scudder, Louttit, Woodbridge, Sewell.

16. *Education*—Hartranft (Chairman), Wright, S. V., Roberts, Cleveland, Cloudman, Melville, Williamson, Eskward, Louttit, Brock, Woodbridge, Campbell, Schmidt.

17. *Elections*—Little (Chairman), Adams, Carter, Crittenden, Duval, Finney, Scofield, Scudder, Johnson, Eksward, Hornblower.

18. *Engrossment and Enrollment*—Roberts (Chairman), Reindollar, Eksward, Dorris, Scudder.

19. *Federal Relations*—Louttit (Chairman), Browne, Mitchell, Wright, T. M., Saylor, Bernard, Badham.

20. *Fish and Game*—Cleveland (Chairman), Graves, Runner, Murphy, Miller, J. A., Dodge, Broughton, Mitchell, Hawes, Easley, Melville, Little, Browne, Schmidt, Dayton.

21. *Governmental Efficiency and Economy*—Lyons (Chairman), Mixter, McPherson, Finney, Campbell, Broughton, Weller, Eksward, Roberts, Rosenshine, Roland.

22. *Governmental Revenues and Expenditures*—Coombs (Chairman), Weller, Carter, Hartranft, Crittenden.

23. *Hospitals and Asylums*—Brock (Chairman), Byrne, Croter, Dorris, Hornblower, McDonough, Morrison, Schmidt, Williamson, Roland, Nielsen, Jacobson, Miller, J. A.

24. *Insurance*—Scudder (Chairman), Dayton, Cleveland, Spence, Cloudman, Jost, Davis, Anderson, R. J., Mitchell, Levey, Nielsen.

25. *Irrigation*—Mixter (Chairman), Crittenden, Duval, Foster, Louttit, Wemple, McDowell, Bernard, Murray, Easley, Anderson, R. J., Heisinger, West, Dorris, Broughton, Woodbridge, Saylor, Nielsen, Johnson, Finney, Noyes.

26. *Judiciary*—Weller (Chairman), Anderson, R. J., Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Roland, Rosenshine, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Finney, Wright, S. V.

27. *Labor and Capital*—Browne (Chairman), Pierce, Schmidt, Burns, Graves, Williamson, McDonough, Duval, Foster, Dorris, Hornblower, Weller, Anderson, R. J.

28. *Libraries*—Murphy (Chairman), Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Anderson, D. P., Rosenshine, Heisinger, Reindollar.

29. *Livestock and Dairies*—Johnson (Chairman), Murphy, Scudder, Wemple, Melville, Jost, Dayton, Runner, Wright, S. V., Broughton, Foster.

30. *Manufactures*—Burns (Chairman), Pierce, Hornblower, Hawes, McDonough, Croter, Byrne.

31. *Medical and Dental Laws*—Campbell (Chairman), Anderson, D. P., Lyons, Davis, Pierce, Wright, T. M., Fry, Roland, Spence.

32. *Mileage*—Bernard (Chairman), Dorris, Oliva, Hawes, McDonough.

33. *Military Affairs*—Heisinger (Chairman), Spence, Mueller, McPherson, Burns, Morrison, Schmidt, Williamson, Byrne.

34. *Mines and Mining*—Dillinger (Chairman), Reindollar, Cloudman, Browne, Wemple, Byrne, Woodbridge, Roland, West.

35. *Motor Vehicles*—Badham (Chairman), Eksward, Jones, Davis, Duval, Roberts, Broughton, Carter, Jost, Wright, T M., Smith, Weller, Lyons, Deuel, Spence, Morrison, Graves, West, Oliva, Miller, J. A., Jacobson.

36. *Municipal Corporations*—Sewell (Chairman), Brock, Runner, Dodge, Jones, Byrne, Dillinger, Hornblower, Levey, Mueller, Saylor, Morrison, Reindollar.

37. *Normal Schools*—Deuel (Chairman), McDowell, Spalding, Walters, Runner, Campbell, Morrison.

38. *Oil Industries*—Foster (Chairman), Roberts, Scofield, Pierce, Badham, Easley, Rosenshine, Fry, Croter.

39. *Prisons and Reformatories*—Dodge (Chairman), Dillinger, Scofield, Hartranft, Adams, Sewell, Reindollar, Croter, Miller, Eleanor; Hawes, Easley, Fry, McDonough.

40. *Public Charities and Corrections*—Jones (Chairman), Wemple, Saylor, Mixter, Graves, Cloudman, Cleveland, Louttit, Runner.

41. *Public Health and Quarantine*—Woodbridge (Chairman), Jones, Spalding, Walters, Rosenshine, West, Bernard, Badham, McDonough.

42. *Public Morals*—Wright, T. M. (Chairman), Saylor, Anderson, D. P. Miller, Eleanor; Fry, Hornblower, Hawes.

43 *Public Utilities*—Smith (Chairman), Pierce, Lyons, Mixter, Jacobson, Melville, Spalding, Oliva, Scofield, Cleveland, Crittenden.

44. *Reapportionment*—Wright, S V. (Chairman), Miller, Eleanor, Wright, T. M, Lyons, Campbell, Byrne, Duval, Runner, Browne, Badham, Little, Hawes, Mitchell, Roberts, Dodge, Smith, Adams, Jost, Deuel, Walters, Hartranft.

45 *Revenue and Taxation*—Graves (Chairman), Cloudman, Scofield, Davis, Eksward, Dayton, Dillinger, Coombs, Burns, Saylor, Scudder, Easley, Croter, Anderson, D. P., Murray.

46 *Revision and Printing*—Adams (Chairman), Roberts, Wright, T. M., Foster, Deuel.

47. *Revision of Criminal Procedure*—Finney (Chairman), Jacobson, Levey, Mueller, Broughton, West, Miller, J. A.

48. *Roads and Highways*—Melville (Chairman), Brock, Browne, Adams, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Coombs, Anderson, R. J., Walters, Heisinger, Dayton, Dillinger, Hartranft, Foster, Murphy.

49. *Rules*—Eksward (Chairman), Spence, Weller, Smith, Jones, Little, McPherson.

50 *Soldiers and Sailors Affairs*—Walters (Chairman), Burns, Little, Nielsen, Scudder, Murray, Williamson, Pierce, Mueller, Miller, J A., McDowell, Jacobson, Schmidt

51. *State Grounds and Parks*—Dorris (Chairman), Croter, Byrne, McDonough, Oliva, Miller, Eleanor, Fry.

52. *Universities*—Cloudman (Chairman), Campbell, Carter, Miller, Eleanor; Davis, Mueller, Roland.

53. *Ways and Means*—McPherson (Chairman), Graves, Eksward, Scofield, Dodge, Campbell, Cleveland, Davis, Wright, T. M., Brock, Cloudman, Murphy, Deuel, Foster, Mixter, Saylor, Morrison, Badham, Heisinger, Oliva, Williamson.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

ON MILEAGE

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from Co seat, more	Distance from Co seat, less	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile
1	J J Murphy	Weed, Siskiyou County	295	----	30	265	530	$26 50
2	John W Runner	Eureka, Humboldt County	312	----	----	----	624	31 20
3	Roscoe J Anderson	Redding, Shasta County	171	----	----	----	342	17 10
4	N V Wemple	Litchfield, Lassen County	260	18	----	278	556	27 80
5	Van Bernard	Butte City, Glenn Co	88	15	----	103	206	10 30
6	Charles B Melville	Fort Bragg, Mendocino County	150	66	----	216	432	21 60
7	Charles H Deuel	Chico, Butte County	86	28	----	114	228	11 40
8	Fred B Noyes	Yuba City, Sutter County	50	----	----	----	100	5 00
9	Mrs Cora M Woodbridge	Roseville, Placer County	37	----	19	18	36	1 80

ON MILEAGE—continued.

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from Co seat, more	Distance from Co seat, less	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile
10	Robt B McPherson	Vallejo, Solano County	40	19		59	118	5 90
11	Frank L Coombs	Napa, Napa County	61				122	6 10
12	Hubert B Scudder	Sebastopol, Sonoma County	90	7		97	194	9 70
13	D P Anderson	Santa Rosa, Sonoma County	90				180	9 00
14	Roy J Nielsen	Sacramento, Sacramento County						
15	Percy G West	Sacramento, Sacramento County						
16	H E Dillinger	Placerville El Dorado County	60				120	6 00
17	Chas F Reindollar	San Rafael, Marin County	105			105	210	10 50
18	Robert P Easley	Antioch Contra Costa County	62	18		80	160	8 00
19	Bradford S Crittenden	Tracy, San Joaquin County	48	20		68	136	6 80
20	Tom H Loutitt	Stockton, San Joaquin County	48	20		68	136	6 80
21	Fred C Hawes	San Francisco San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
22	Thomas A Mitchell	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
23	Joseph F Burns	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
24	Walter J Schmidt	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
25	Wm B Hornblower	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
26	Ray Williamson	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
27	Leland R Jacobson	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
28	Edgar C Levey	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
29	Harry F Morrison	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
30	Robert B Fry	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
31	Albert A Rosenshine	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
32	James A Miller	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
33	Charles A Oliva	San Francisco, San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
34	Wm P Jost	Hayward, Alameda County	84	14		98	196	9 80
35	H R Spence	Alameda, Alameda County	84	5		89	178	8 90
36	Edward I Smith	Oakland Alameda County	84				168	8 40
37	Eugene W Roland	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
38	J Croter	Oakland Alameda County	84				168	8 40
39	M J McDonough	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
40	Harold C Cloudman	Berkeley, Alameda County	84				168	8 40
41	Anna L Saylor	Berkeley Alameda County	84				168	8 40
42	F L Ekseward	Burlingame San Mateo County	119				238	11 90
43	Geo C Cleveland	Watsonville, Santa Cruz County	198	20		218	436	21 80
44	T M Wright	San Jose, Santa Clara County	128				256	12 80
45	C C Spalding	Sunnyvale, Santa Clara County	128	10		138	276	13 80
46	Esto B Broughton	Modesto, Stanislaus County	77				154	7 70
47	Maurice B Browne	Sonora, Tuolumne County	125				250	12 50
48	F E Dayton	Salinas, Monterey County	208				416	20 80
49	E G Adams	Livingston, Merced County	114		14	100	200	10 00
50	Chas A Foster	Fowler, Fresno County	169	10		179	358	17 90
51	Herbert McDowell	Fresno, Fresno County	169				338	16 90
52	S L Heisinger	Selma, Fresno County	169	16		185	370	18 50
53	S V Wright	San Luis Obispo, San Luis Obispo County	343				686	34 30
54	Frank Johnson	Hardwick Kings County	214	7		221	442	22 10
55	Frank W Mixter	Exeter Tulare County	206	10		216	432	21 60
56	Grace S Dorris	Bakersfield, Kern County	278				556	27 80
57	Isaac Jones	Ontario San Bernardino County	508		24	484	968	48 40
58	Archibald E Brock	Redlands, San Bernardino County	508	12		520	1,040	52 00
59	Edgar O Campbell	Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara County	460				920	46 00
60	Walter H Duval	Saticoy, Ventura County	490	8		498	996	49 80
61	Frank C Weller	Glendale, Los Angeles County	447	8		455	910	49 50
62	Walter J Little	Hermosa Beach Los Angeles County	447	22		469	938	46 90
63	Sidney T Graves	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
64	Harry Lyons	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
65	Thomas L Dodge	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
66	William M Byrne	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
67	Eleanor Miller	Pasadena, Los Angeles County	447	13		460	920	46 00
68	Harry F Sewell	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
69	Jerome V Scofield	Huntington Park, Los Angeles County	447	6		453	906	45 30
70	Frank F Merriam	Long Beach, Los Angeles County	447	22		469	938	46 90
71	Harry E. Carter	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447	25		472	944	47 20
72	W E Badham	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
73	Howard W Davis	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
74	F M Roberts	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
75	Mark A Pierce	Los Angeles, Los Angeles County	447				894	44 70
76	S C Hartranft	Fullerton, Los Angeles County	447	27		474	948	47 40
77	Alfred C Murray	Riverside, Riverside County	512				1,024	51 20
78	A C Finney	Brawley Imperial County	661	18		679	1,358	67 90
79	Byron J Walters	San Diego San Diego County	573				1,146	57 30
80	Edwin A Mueller	El Cajon, San Diego County	573	16		589	1,178	58 90
		OFFICERS						
	Arthur A Ohnimus	San Francisco San Francisco County	90				180	9 00
	C William Booth	Oakland, Alameda County	84				168	8 40

BERNARD, Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relative to memorializing the Congress of the United States to propose to the several legislatures of the states of the Union an amendment to the constitution of the United States to permit the election of President and Vice President of the United States by direct vote of the electors of the United States.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill introduced by Hon. John E. Raker to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the border of said states, and for other purposes.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Spence: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to federal taxation of community income and community estates in California.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 1—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the veto

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring that a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 3.—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purpose.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs Carter, Weller, Spence and McDowell: Assembly Bill No 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "the State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violation of said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cloudman, Assembly Bill No 6—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code relating to fish and game

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to amend section 19.c31 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs Dodge and Walters: Assembly Bill No. 8—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

By Mrs Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave, in Kern County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 10—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 11—An act authorizing the establishment and government of port districts; providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation of a system of harbor improvements and rail and water transfer and terminal facilities within such districts, providing the method of payment therefor, providing for the levy and collection of taxes and special assessments therefor and for the issuance of bonds therefor and for the payment thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 12—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 13—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "Teachers who are incapacitated may retire after fifteen years teaching in California," approved June 6, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Hartranft: Assembly Bill No. 14—An act to add a new section to the Juvenile Court Law approved June 5, 1915, to be numbered 22*a*, relating to the establishment of schools in detention homes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Heisinger and Brown: Assembly Bill No. 15—An act relating to the Piute Pass State Highway; appropriating money for the survey, location and estimate of cost of the State highway to be known as the Piute Pass Road, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the North Fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Johnson: Assembly Bill No. 16—An act to amend section 241 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the formation and term of office of grand juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to amend the Civil Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 108 relating to the causes of divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 18—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 19—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 20—An act to further divide the State into fish and game districts by establishing a district especially suited for propagation of game, to be known as Sutter Buttes Game Refuge District; to provide for the management and protection thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 21—An act declaring the public highway extending from Irwin street within the corporate limits

of the city of San Rafael, in Marin County, California, to Point San Quentin, in Marin County, California, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 22—An act appropriating $50,000 for the construction and maintenance of fire lanes and trails on the mountains composing the watersheds of Los Angeles County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 23—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 536*b*, relating to false statements of grades of lumber and building materials.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 24—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 3284, relating to damages for death or personal injuries in negligence cases and to provisions of policies of indemnity or insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 26—An act making appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in Tamalpais forest fire district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers and agents, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide penalties for the violation thereof; to create the office of commissioner of corporations and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, relating to the salaries of the commissioners thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 30—An act appropriating money for the improvement of the State highway between a point near

the town of Hume, Fresno County, and the floor of the Kings River Canyon, at or near Cedar Grove Hotel in said county.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 31—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No 32—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23, and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code relating to fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No 35—An act to amend section 230 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries in justice or police courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Anderson, R J.: Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 38—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 39—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 40—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 41—An act to amend section 2192 of the Political Code, relating to commitment of incompetents other than insane persons to State hospitals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Messrs Lyons and Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to amend section 737*e* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the counties of San Francisco, Los Angeles and Alameda.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the Supreme Court and district court of appeals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees, and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No 45—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 623*a*, relating to capital, assets and deposits required of alien insurance companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to amend section 424 of the Civil Code, relating to the capital stock of fire and marine insurance corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

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Also: Assembly Bill No. 47—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 453*g*, relating to mutual life or mutual casualty corporations, societies or associations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 453*i* of the Civil Code, specifying conditions to be complied with by foreign life, health, accident and annuity or endowment associations desiring to transact business in this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 49—An act to repeal section 622*a* of the Political Code, relating to the taxation of insurance companies operating in this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 51—An act to amend section 631*a* of the Political Code, relating to the publication of notice of withdrawal of insurance companies from this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 53—An act to amend section 611 of the Political Code, relating to the filing, adjusting, and publishing annual statements by insurance companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 54—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 635*m*, relating to the conditions upon which surety companies may transact business in this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 55—An act to amend section 421 of the Civil Code, relating to investments of insurance companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 630 of the Political Code, forbidding persons, corporations and others from transacting insurance business in this State unless licensed by the Insurance Commissioner.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 57—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 596*c*, relating to the failure of insurance companies to discharge their contracts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing joint insurance policies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 59—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 633*e*, defining insurance adjusters and providing for licensing, supervising, and regulating them and for the suspension and revocation of their licenses by the Insurance Commissioner.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 60—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 61—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 421*a*, providing that officers, directors, trustees, agents or attorneys for insurance companies shall not receive benefits from loans or investments made by such companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 453*t* of the Civil Code, relating to the guarantee fund and investments of title insurance corporations

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance of the provisions and benefits of an act passed by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise; to empower and direct the board designated as the State Board for Vocational Education to cooperate with the Federal Board for Vocational Education in carrying out the provisions of said federal act; to prescribe its powers and duties in carrying out the provisions of this act; to provide for a plan of cooperation between the State Board for Vocational Education and the Industrial Accident Commission; to provide for the appointment of a custodian of all moneys received by the State from appropriations made by the Congress of the United States and from other sources for the purpose of promoting vocational rehabilitation; to create a vocational rehabilita-

tion fund and making an appropriation therefor," relating to appropriation for vocational rehabilitation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs. Mitchell, Burns, and Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 67—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 68—An act levying an excise or license tax upon the production of petroleum, or other crude oil, or mineral oil, and of natural gas, providing for the collection and disposition of such excise taxes, providing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 69—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 70—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Griffith Company against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No 71—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Whittier against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 72—An act declaring the county road in Calaveras County, extending from Angels Camp through Vallecita and Murphy to Calaveras big trees in the national forest to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 4300*g* of the Political Code, relating to witness fees in civil and criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners of each county in the State, for the paroling of prisoners

confined in county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to the membership of such board.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 927 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the jurisdiction of small claim courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 77—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the County of Madera.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Merced.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to provide for the alteration of county boundary lines and for the adjustment of county debts and liabilities when such boundaries are changed, prescribing the method of holding elections and prescribing the duties of officers with respect thereto and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 80—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 502, relating to carrying animals on automobiles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles

Also: Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of dentention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909 as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or part of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, to be numbered 19*x*25, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Also: Assembly Bill No. 82—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Marin County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 84—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 279, relating to the transportation of minors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 66 of the "California Vehicle Act," relating to operators' and chauffeurs' licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 86—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 767*a* and 865*a*, relating to annual budgets in cities of the fifth and sixth classes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 807*a* and 883*a* providing for the filing with county clerks of certificates of election or appointment of judges of recorder's courts in cities of the fifth and sixth classes, and the certification by said county clerks of process issued by recorder's courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 496 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for receiving stolen property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 89—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections and terms of trustees and appointive officers in cities of the sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to election precincts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Messrs. Dodge and Badham: Assembly Bill No. 91—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof of the State Armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the District Courts of Appeal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

MOTION.

Mr. Spence moved that the Committee on Federal Relations be instructed to report back Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4 on the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Carter:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase eighty-three (83) sets of the 1923 edition of Deering's Codes and General Laws of the State of California in 6 volumes, also eighty-one (81) copies of Robert's Rules of Order.

Also, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to deliver one set of said Codes and General Laws to each member of the Assembly, Chief Clerk of the Assembly and Judiciary Committee and the Ways and Means Committee and one (1) volume of Robert's Rules of Order to each member of the Assembly and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Wednesday, January 14, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, January 14, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon Frank F Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T. M, and Mr Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Louttit, its further reading was dispensed with.

GUEST ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Rev. John Leslie Harvey, of Carson City, Chaplain of the Nevada State Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was read and ordered printed in the Journal:

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, January 14, 1925.

Arthur A. Ohnimus,
Chief Clerk State Assembly, Sacramento, California

Thank you, and thank everyone.

ESTO B. BROUGHTON.

SPEECHES RELATIVE TO CHILD LABOR AMENDMENT.

The following speeches were delivered January 8, 1925, relative to the Child Labor Amendment:

By Mr. Coombs:

I want to apologize for addressing you, simply, though, because I know that you are tired, perhaps ready to vote, and not in a mood to listen to further discussion, and if it were merely for myself, a matter of individual thought or expression, or the assertion of my own principles, I would forego this opportunity

No truth was ever told more sublime than that which was uttered once by Byron "A thousand years scarce serve to build a state; an hour may lay it in the dust" With that momentous question we are now to deal, for I feel that we have in our hands the fate of a nation

It has been the idea of republics, ancient and modern, to keep government near the people Original discipline originates in the family, by the care and the discipline of the mother and the father the children are reared and grown to manhood, and republics, when they yield that principle, hover close around the verge of monarchy The Declaration of Rights of 1765, again the Declaration of Rights of 1774, told of the infringement of monarchial discipline upon the conduct of the colonies; in other words, the warning of the tendency toward centralization of power And one of the sublime utterances out of the field of speculation, out of the field of experience, and out of the field of thought, was that made by Thomas Jefferson when he wrote the Declaration of Independence He said, "He has erected a multitude of new officers, and sent hither swarms of officers to harass our people and eat out our substance. He has kept among us, in times of peace, standing armies, without the consent of our legislatures. He has affected to render the military independent of, and superior to, the civil power He has combined with others to subject us to a jurisdiction foreign to our constitution, and unacknowledged by our laws; giving assent to their acts of pretended legislation. He has quartered large bodies of armed troops among us"

And those were the thoughts springing, not only from the examples of tyranny exercised by the English monarch, but from a study of the home life of the colonies, out of the wisdom of local government.

In the olden times the Greeks in the different cities fought against the tendencies of a central government. There were confederacies of states for different purposes: the Archean League, the Dellian League, the Boetian League, and they each in turn dissolved because each state saw in it the encouragement of centralized power, an encroachment upon and contrary to the ideas of popular government.

Take the Roman system with all of its imperialism. They observed a rule of conduct as necessary to their existence and their national life; it was in order to preserve the independence of the communities which made up the empire. There was constituted through Italy the township government, from which we derive our own; their independence was recognized and local government was encouraged, and the hand of the imperial government with its symbols of power, with its gilded

eagles, never invaded the rights of the home, and wherever a Roman happened to be, he was a citizen of Rome. But that republic could not have so long survived, could not have grown without the recognition of the first and abiding principle of national life—that government began at the fireside.

So we find in that same great country institutions within the imperial state preserving the life of these principles. The Goddess Vesta presided over the destinies of her temple and was the guardian of the home, and the holy virgins they call vestals kept its altars lighted, and no hand dimmed them with sacrilege, though it bore the imperial purple

This principle went down through the centuries, became a part of France, thwarted at times by the feudal system, but ever struggling, it created the Third Estate. Then came the States General, then the Revolution, and at last popular government. In the early part of the fifth century the Saxon, the Jute and the Angles invaded England, bringing the love of the old Roman system of township government, and from this the home was built and fostered, the Common Council evolved, and Magna Charta was achieved, and from all these developed the parliament. I love to read of that old English institution, with its love of the home life, where every man's house was his castle the wind might whistle through it, the rain might enter it, but the King could not.

And so, in 1620, came the Pilgrim Fathers, and with them the life of the principles of the past, to plant, on other shores, the faith of home and government, household government, and that is the way the colonies were built.

And then came along the days of oppression, and with them the Declaration of Rights of 1765 and 1774, and the Declaration of Independence, then the great Convention, presided over by Washington, and the work of a constitution was at hand. The one thing impressed upon the fathers by the centuries was the preservation of the home life, the preservation of the sovereignty of the individual states, and they adopted a constitution preserving these rights, and gave to the general government no real governmental powers touching the domestic life of the people, so far as the regulation of the family is concerned, and to that extent the national government is not a government and never was intended to be, the state is the government concerning the social order. The national government was charged with special and limited powers, recognizing that when the inspiration for government failed at the home, government itself would fail

Article I, section 8, of the Federal Constitution contains the enumeration of the powers of the general government. They are these: 1. To collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises. 2 To borrow money. 3 To regulate commerce. 4. To enact laws of naturalization and bankruptcy. 5. To coin money and regulate its value. 6 To provide for punishing counterfeiting 7. To establish post offices. 8. To promote progress of science and arts. 9. To establish federal courts. 10. To define and punish for piracies. 11. To declare war, with incidental powers. 12. To raise and support armies. 13. To provide and maintain a navy. 14. To provide for government of naval forces. 15. To call upon the militia and to suppress rebellion. 16. To organize, arm and discipline the navy. 17. To exercise jurisdiction of the city of Washington. 18 To make laws to carry out these powers

It is seen by this that all local affairs were left to the states, but the constitution went a little further and in article IV, section 4, it said "The United States shall guarantee to every state in this union a republican form of government."

It is not difficult to find the theory upon which our government was founded, and to ascertain that this proposed measure is calculated to destroy it.

Every state in this union has a republican form of government with all of the powers over the household and the family, and it has been styled the wisest conception of government ever suggested by wisdom or sanctioned by time. And who, now, is endeavoring to destroy it?

Every time you vote for an amendment to the constitution of the United States of this character, you are giving away something that belongs to you as a principle upon which your life estate was established, and by virtue of which it has existed for one hundred and thirty years. The very moment you pass an amendment like this you destroy something that was vital in the conception of original government, something that should belong to it, and when you give it away you take it from yourselves, and you cannot get it back And someone has said, "Oh, Congress would not abuse the power," and that is the only defense that I have heard.

I have always understood that the framers of this government were never trained to the giving away of a power which might be exercised to their detriment upon the simple hope that it would not be exercised. The whole thought of constitutions is to abridge the right of government so that powers tyrannical or arbitrary are rendered impossible and not permissible.

You are giving up something vital, with the hope that it will not be used, giving the power to tyrannize over you with the hope and the trust that it will not be exercised. I tell you it is the history of human experience that power tends to tyranny, and that tyranny grows by what it feeds on. There never was a power

conferred, and this is the history of mankind, but that it has been exercised to its limit, and its full control; and if it suggests arbitrariness, the full operation of it, some time, you will surely have. How exercised—how exercised? Let me speak of the Eighteenth amendment, not in derogation of its principles, mind you. It has passed and become a law. We have accepted it and lived under it, and abided by it. I instance it only that it affords an example. It is enforced by agents, strangers among us, and this has to be, if it is enforced at all.

There is no power of the government of the United States that can be exercised except it is exercised by agents sent out from a distant capital, just as Jefferson penned in his declaration, complaining of the government of England. There the monarch was 2500 miles away, seated upon a throne of ancient lineage, and our homes are about 3000 miles away, planted upon banks of majestic rivers, by the growths that clothe the wold and meet the sky, under trees planted by God himself. How can you reach the government in supplication, in complaint of injury and oppression? You cannot. Some vicious whisper brings an agent to investigate you, poking his nose into your household affairs. Regulation, they say. They say they will not prohibit, that they will merely regulate. To me to prohibit is a less evil than to regulate.

To regulate you. How can they act in consonance with this amendment except to regulate? How can regulation be anything except a change in the style of government which you, yourselves, have enacted for your home affairs? How can they regulate except to disturb the home discipline? Regulation is worse than to prohibit. I would rather they would say, "You shall not work at all but lie in idleness until you are eighteen," rather than to regulate. You say there is no danger. I tell you there is now going through this world, of which you sit here and think not, a danger widespread. The seeds of disintegration seem to be sown upon fallow soil. It reaches from Moscow to Siberia; it can reach out its hand across the wastes and the snows into the little household of the peasant and you can not be too guardful of its influence here.

We cannot be too guardful of the insistent and insidious enemies of our system of government, for they are making a deeper impression than we are willing to admit. They are insistent and impress themselves upon organizations intended for good. The variety of thought that comes to us from institutions to which we should look for examples is sometimes startling.

The official journal of the soviet commissariat of the public education says: "We must nationalize the children. We must remove the children from the pernicious influence of the family."

There is some intolerance about this. I will not speak of others who have told me that they have been threatened, nor of the impressions sought to be created to the effect that the woman of the farm is not capable of judging of these things.

I have learned a different lesson from the farm and the woman of the farm. They are educated, they read, they make music where there was none before. They are educated in all of the household affairs. I would be willing to take their word upon anything which concerns the domestic privileges. It is a mistake, ladies, to say that the woman of the farm is not as competent to judge as you, of governmental affairs.

I remember one myself, and you, perhaps many of you, remember your mother, the most vivid picture of life. From her hands I first saw, and from her lips I first heard, the lessons of the Bible. From her I first saw the volume of poems in an old edition printed long years ago. If there is anything in me that gives me courage to come here today and confront the people whom I oppose, it comes from memory. If there is anything of good in me, it came from her, and this is not detracting from that father whose name I bear and whose memory I revere, whose name stands brave in the very early archives of this hall, but all the gentle traits that shape men's lives come from the mother. She was as noble as the Roman Cornelia, the mother of a noble race, as God-fearing as St. Cecilia when led to her martyrdom, as beautiful as any of the daughters of Eve, as ever image reflected from the mirror of the tinted flesh; more beautiful still in character, in womanhood, in mother love, and betwixt that relation and the boy the government desires to enter its designing hand, to regulate. It is tearing into shreads the very fabric of the constitution. I say "stop it" now, ere it be too late; now, ere it goes further; now, ere the silver cord be loosed; now, ere the golden bowl be broken, now, ere the pitcher be broken at the fountain, or the wheel broken at the cistern—stop it now. There is not any havoc more widespread, no flame more consuming, more calculated to detract from government as it was originally created than this one.

Child Labor Law. A gentleman, whom I esteem, prints and distributes a poem entitled "The Cry of the Children." Appealing, indeed, yet, when I read it, the thought comes that when the children cry they should be upon the breast of the

mother, not in the hands of the government No mother, with all of your patched-up law, will yield one caress of the child, and that is the one thing we have to depend upon, the one thing in life we encourage, and should not destroy. Oh, it is a principle that has concerned the ages' Regulation, to regulate the mother, *that's what this is.*

I cannot help but go back to the time when this constitution was adopted, and it seems to me that they built a mighty cathedral from which, during all the spent years, has come the martial hymns of the republic. They have kept enkindled the fires of the temple. I see there the form of Washington, with his sword in his hand and the ægis upon his breast, the ægis of the republic. And in another nitche, Grant, the humanitarian general, and as some think, the greatest of his time. Higher *than all* is Lincoln, surrounded by the emblems of peace, raised at home. The first act in his legislative life in the State of Illinois concerned a local affair, for he cherished the home government Alexander Hamilton, the foremost in mind, though an off-spring of love not *sanctified by the law, said that if there was one thing great* in him, one thing above another, it came from his mother; and the mother today you want to regulate. You want to throw aside the mantle of love with which she has surrounded her children and fashion it by government control. Danger? There is plenty of it. The God-given little things—I always think that the sweetest of the sayings of Christ was "Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

You think that I exaggerate? I assure you that I do not, for the pallid hand that reaches out into the mother's home to tell her what to do, changes the very fountain of love, it raises the boy, not in veneration of his father and mother, but away from their disciplining and their love, and their corrections No stranger—and the government is a stranger with its cohorts of agents—no stranger can cross the sacred threshold of the home, as of right without defiling it No stranger can retard the discipline of the mother, set back her love, without defiling the home, and, though I spoke before of the lighted fires of that Eternal City, that neither the king nor the emperor, nor the dictators of the republic could enter the temple—that, at times, was the only veneration they had, and legend and tradition preserved the cherished customs, the creeds of a race

Man stands ever at the door, the tutelary guardian of his own kingdom: let us not destroy it. And you women, I appeal to you now. Do not resign or delegate the rights that God has given you as good, honest women And you are about to do it You are brave enough for the great adventure, and so are your sisters in toil and endeavor, the adventure of life with the young.

I know, I realize what I am up against, but never yet in my political career did I shirk a danger or sidetrack a duty and though many of us, Mr. Van Bernard, and others, may fall, we will fall with the flags flying over us, and that is the courageous way. "One crowded hour of glorious strife is worth an age without a name."

Let us see what this is Say the Congress shall have the power to limit, regulate and prohibit the labor of persons under the age of eighteen years, and the advocates of this measure have interpolated phrases so that it reads that Congress shall have power to limit, regulate, or prohibit child labor. Do you see any difference? Why eighteen years of age? They tell us that the President of the United States has advocated this It is not true He recommended some action, but not this, and it was sent back to the state of which the President had been governor, and submitted to the referendum and defeated by nearly three to one When I instanced this to a lady yesterday she said, 'Oh, it was the interests that did that" Yet, in that old English community that has ever cherished the ideals of the constitution, every town, I believe, voted against it They have halls there and ancient buildings *where you see the memorials of the past, traced are the legends of a heroic time;* you read from the mighty volumes and hear the voices of the fathers, those who built this constitution made the Union and created its liberties, and from far away came the awful echoes and made the people of the old dominion patriotic again

And then we are told that a convention met here in September and endorsed it, and I wonder how many of that convention read it, or had read it up to that time. I understand it was not submitted to the committee at all I do not assert this, but I *understand it is the truth. But how about that convention?* I was *not there* I came in the morning and I saw that I could not offer any suggestions which might change its pre-ordained course, and after the recess I went home. But this is not an alibi with me Say I was there, if you like There were Senators of the United States, and Congressmen, naturally they were in favor of endorsing something which they had done. There were State officers, not fresh from the people, elected two years ago, and then ourselves. We sat here in solemn conclave and directed how we should vote three months hence on a proposed law we had not read—how we should vote after reading it, after understanding it. If it had been a convention of 700 or 800 members, fresh from the people, with a full discussion before it, it would have been different But I do not feel bound by what I might have said. As a matter of fact, I did once say that I was going to vote for it. A teacher came to me and asked, "Do you think it best to start the fight for the Twentieth Amendment now, or to wait until after election?" I replied that I thought it was better to wait, as the people would not take it up then. I said, "You will not have any

trouble, it will go right through." Then afterwards I went to him and asked him if he remembered, and he said "Yes," and I said, "Have you read it?" and he said "No," and I said, "It is not what I thought it was." How many of the Legislature, Senate and Assembly, had read it at that time? I would say this, that a man is giving up something as a member of this Legislature who abides by the thought that might have been in his breast at that time on this question, confessing that he had never read it. And men are too prone to pledge themselves. It is the way of saving trouble.

It is a mistake to say that it does not propose a centralization of power. It seeks *the greatest centralization of power that was ever attempted in this Union*, for it is an attempted regulation of the family, and the fight against the centralization of power created this constitution—created the Union.

There are many evils and many abuses in the world, in society. Children are often abused, sometimes by too much pampering, sometimes by cruelties, but every time we see an individual case, or even a system involving numerous cases, as a remedy we should not resort to changing the constitution—to centralizing power in the general government, to taking from the states the constitutional guarantee of a republican form of government. If the energies in aid of this proposed amendment *should centralize in the state where abuse is found*, with the immense funds ready for such work, no evil could stand against them. And that is the duty of society, and the causes are always within the power of the states. Besides, the states have, or can have, a referendum, and Congress has not.

I have looked upon the constitution in my reverence for old institutions, like him who bowed before temples of old faiths, and I have stood before the flag, and with me the constitution and the flag are one, born of the same womb of destiny, out of the same red fires of conflict from the same circumstance of glorious war. Of that glory, while it would be a crime to dim a star or erase a stripe, it would be a mistake, fraught with equal consequences, needlessly or unthinkingly to tear a leaf from the venerable pages of the constitution under which, and under whose ideals the nation has grown to be the proudest upon earth, and where women and men have cherished the greatest faith in womanhood and manhood, and where they have attained the ultimate fulfillment of happiness.

In the continued reverence of the constitution and the flag, love and faith and patriotism will shape our destiny. Let us go forth to battle with the old faith, the old hope, for we have many modern strangers to encounter, and let us stop and think, ere the silver cord be loosed, or the golden bowl be broken, or the pitcher be broken at the fountain, or the wheel broken at the cistern. Let us go back to original conditions, if you like, from the time when man came from the unknown ancestor and first established a home, and then, with the sweep of the years a government, carrying some idea of union, and through unbroken paths until faintly glimmering liberty dawned and lighted his hearths anew with faith, the faith of his own handiwork. That was the handiwork and the faith of the home which became his castle, and while, through the ages, the wind might blow its shutters, "the storm might enter it, the king could not."

By Mrs. Saylor:

MR SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE ASSEMBLY: This is the third time today that I have lifted my voice in behalf of this amendment, but my interest in it is so deep that I must again ask your indulgence.

A number of years ago it was my privilege to inspect some of the mines in a middle western state in a semi-official capacity, and what I saw there of child labor stirred my very soul, and I solemnly resolved that if ever I had an opportunity to raise my voice against it I would do so in no uncertain terms.

There were scores and scores of children, eight to ten years of age, in those mines who went to work before daylight and quit work after dark, and for weeks at a time those little fellows never saw the light of day.

Those who were either too young or too sick to dig coal, opened and closed doors so the mules that pulled the cars of coal could go back and forth. For ten, and often twelve hours a day, those little fellows sat in drafts, in dampness, in darkness and silence, for a mere pittance. They were robbed of all the joys of childhood, robbed of health, of education, and everything else that makes life worth living—and for what? To give them the privilege of coughing their lives away, and to further line the pockets of four coal barons who were already rolling in wealth.

Why am I for this amendment?

First, *Because child labor, which means cheap labor, a substitute for adult labor* always, is an extremely dangerous economic waste, resulting in unjust competition between states that do protect their children industrially and states that do not protect them.

Second, Because it has been found that whatever industry saves in dollars and cents, society pays for a hundredfold in terms of vice and crime, delinquency, and illiteracy (for child labor and illiteracy always go hand in hand), and, most dangerous of all, decayed citizenship.

Third, Because, as was stated in the Judiciary Committee of the United States Senate when this amendment was under discussion, "In some states a single industry

is so powerful, politically, as to prevent the enactment of any kind of a state child labor law or secure its enforcement after enactment," hence, the great necessity of legislating on this subject in a national way

The purpose of this amendment, briefly stated, is to protect children when children need protection

It is to protect those who are at the mercy of parents who would exploit their own children for selfish gain.

It is to protect them from unscrupulous labor bosses and factory owners who would exploit them industrially.

It is to give Congress the power to make a law which will protect the children in the states which either refuse or neglect to protect them.

The powers granted to Congress through this amendment are the same that all of the states now possess, with one important difference.

The states already have the power to prohibit the labor of any person, of any age, at any occupation, or under any conditions that their respective legislatures may deem harmful to the individual. For example, under no circumstances are females permitted to work in the mines of this country.

In other words, the state has jurisdiction over the individual throughout the entire span of human life, while this amendment limits the powers of Congress to the age of eighteen.

And why the age of eighteen?

Because, the words "child" and "minor" have different meanings in the laws of different states. In some states those words are defined as a person under twenty-one years of age, in others, under eighteen, or sixteen, or fourteen, or even seven years of age In one state the law reads: "A child is a person who has not yet reached the age of discretion" So, it was necessary for Congress to set a limit upon its powers of jurisdiction, and eighteen was regarded as a reasonable age and the word "person" was used instead of either the word "child" or "minor"

As soon as this amendment is ratified by thirty-six states, then Congress will have the power to enact a national child labor law With that power, Congress may do much, or little, or nothing.

But Congress is extremely responsive to the will of the people, and common sense teaches that Congress, composed mainly of parents who are, we hope, above the average intelligence of their districts, will not make a law which will be the "laughing stock" of this and other nations.

It is not reasonable to suppose that they will make a law which will take away from children the right to that character building and character developing process which comes with honest toil. This amendment will not prevent your daughters from doing work about your home or your sons from laboring on the farm, as some would have you believe

It should be well understood that this amendment does not give Congress the power to fix wages, or determine working conditions, or physical fitness, or to set educational standards.

One of the previous speakers would have us believe that this day and this hour is the first intimation that the people of California have ever had about this amendment He says we are like a "steam roller choking it down their throats without an opportunity to be heard" Doesn't this previous speaker know that this thing has been talked about and written about for the last twenty years, and that nineteen years ago Senator Beveridge of Indiana introduced the first child labor law in Congress?

No, this is not a new thing. It has long since passed the experimental stage, for the United States government has already functioned two national child labor laws for a period of three years, and nothing has happened that was detrimental to the laws of the states that had laws on the subject and surely nothing happened to industry but the soundest kind of prosperity and success.

Some say this amendment is not necessary Let public records tell their own story.

In thirty-five states children from fourteen to sixteen years of age are allowed to go to work without a grammar school education

In nineteen states physical fitness is not a condition of employment

In fourteen states children work at dangerous employment, such as oiling machinery in motion, running elevators, working on locomotives, doing night messenger work, etc.

In eleven states children under sixteen work from nine to eleven hours a day

In one state there is no regulation as to hours.

Only thirteen states are up to standards used in the first two national child labor laws, which standard is said to be acceptable to one of the most powerful organized opponents to this measure

Some of the previous speakers have said that this amendment is radical, socialistic, bolshevik Some said that woman suffrage, the eighteenth amendment, and the prohibition of slavery was radical. Some people of California said that those who favored public roads instead of toll roads were radical. Once the public schools were considered worse than radical. Today we look upon them as the salvation of this republic.

Don't lose sight of the fact that many, in fact, all progressive steps, are looked upon by some as radical.

It has been extremely interesting to me to analyze the anonymous literature that I have received against this measure From their printed page they indicate a desire to teach the American people that this government can not be trusted; that Congress can not be trusted to pass a law to protect its children, although it can be trusted to borrow money, levy taxes, and declare war; that the President of the United States can not be trusted with his veto power, and, lastly, the Supreme Court, which must rule on its constitutionality, can not be trusted.

It would seem that the deliberate teaching of distrust of this government is as radical as it is un-American.

The opposition to this amendment seems to come from three principal sources·

First, Those who do not understand its meaning and purpose, and are misled by propaganda

Second, Those who oppose any change whatsoever in the constitution of the United States "As it was in the beginning (even though it was 137 years ago), is now, and ever shall be."

Third, Those who are opposed to either state or national regulation, but heartily welcome no prohibition, and no regulation of child labor It is quite evident that no one who is not in favor of exploiting children to the point of endangering life, limb, health and morals need fear this enabling act, for such it is.

If this amendment fails, those who profit by trafficking in childhood will surely feel encouraged to enlarge upon their nefarious business because of national approval.

In conclusion, if the constitution of the United States is too sacred to be amended, perhaps the lives of millions of little children of this and future generations are too sacred to be used as mere grist for the mills and mines and factories of this country.

If this great and powerful nation of ours could arm 4,000,000 men and send them across the Atlantic ocean to fight foreign foes on a foreign soil to make this country safe for democracy, surely we can change our constitution to make this country safe for its own children.

By Mr. Spence·

We have before us a resolution which seeks to ratify the proposed twentieth amendment to the constitution of the United States. This amendment if adopted would give to Congress the power to "limit, regulate, and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age."

In speaking upon this resolution at the present time, I am not doing so with even a hope that anything I may say will influence the vote of a single member of this body. Every one of us has been addressed by numerous individuals and organizations, some favoring and some opposing the ratification of this so-called Child Labor Amendment Nearly every one within the hearing of my voice has committed himself or herself, either in favor of or in opposition to it. I am therefore reconciled to the fact that my remarks will be more in the nature of an explanation of my vote on this important question

In arriving at my decision in this matter, I have been torn between the dictates of sentiment and the dictates of my better judgment, sentiment persuading me that I should do all in my power to protect the child in industry and my better judgment convincing me that the proposed constitutional amendment is the wrong remedy for this evil of the exploitation of the child It is now a generally accepted fact that every state should protect the women and children in industry, and nearly all of the states have accepted this duty and are satisfactorily progressing in legislation along these lines California has stood in the front in her legislation in this regard I have, in these halls and elsewhere, espoused the cause of all reasonable legislation for the protection of women and children in industry and for the welfare of labor generally It has always been and always will be a pleasure to me to vote for well-considered humanitarian legislation, and it is not with any feeling of pleasure that I enroll myself at this time on what may seem to be the other side

I pledge myself here and now to maintain the laws of the State of California, protecting the child in industry, and will be glad to be the first to enlist myself in the aid, financial or otherwise, of a cause which has for its purpose the betterment of the laws regarding child labor in certain other states of the Union which have been somewhat backward in this regard But despite the sentiments I have expressed, I must follow the dictates of my better judgment and vote against the ratification of this proposed amendment to the federal constitution, stripping the states of their sovereign rights in this regard, and burdening the federal government with this further responsibility.

To my mind, a great deal of the argument concerning this matter has been made under a misapprehension of the issue that is before us. The issue is not whether we are in favor of or opposed to child labor, whether we would prohibit it or permit it, whether we would regulate it or allow it to go unregulated The question resolves itself purely into a question of whether this function of government will remain in the hands of the several states or be transferred to the federal government.

Mr. Coombs has carried you back to the days of ancient Rome in a most masterful address, and I trust you will pardon me if I take a moment of your time in reviewing very briefly the history of the amendments to the federal constitution.

The original constitution as written in 1787 consisted of but seven articles with which to govern these United States. As simple and as brief as it may have been, there was a new form of government conceived under which this country of ours has happily prospered for almost over a century and a half of time. It carefully reserved to the states and prohibited to the federal government the exercises of any functions of government which were not essentially national in character; and it conferred on the federal government only those powers and functions which were essentially national in character. In the hearts of the framers of the constitution was the desire to reserve to the states all of their sovereign powers not essentially national in character and to avoid the dangerous over-centralization of power which had resulted in the downfall of many forms of government previously attempted.

Almost contemporaneously with the framing and adoption of the constitution, itself, came the ratification of the first ten amendments to the constitution, commonly known as the Bill of Rights. These amendments conferred no new powers or responsibilities on the federal government, but insured the citizens against oppression either by the federal government or the government of the states, and specifically reserved to the states all powers not delegated to the federal government. And so, by 1791 we had the federal constitution and the first ten amendments thereto, *which together are commonly thought of as the constitution in its original form.*

During a period of one hundred thirty-four years, since 1791, only nine further amendments have been added to the constitution of the United States. Of these nine, only five were ratified between 1791 and 1913, a period of one hundred twenty-two years, but in the brief period of seven years from 1913 to 1920, the remaining four amendments were ratified. There has recently developed an absolute mania for amending the constitution of the United States. Whenever a few states lag in keeping abreast with the times in their legislation, a federal constitutional amendment is proposed, conferring certain further powers on Congress. This tendency has grown so rapidly that at the last session of Congress there were introduced one hundred proposed amendments to the constitution of the United States, practically all of which had for their purpose centralizing certain powers or functions of government now belonging to, and which should properly remain with, the several states.

Of course, every new function, new power, or new responsibility, which is placed on the shoulders of the federal government, results in new and greater responsibilities resting upon the Chief Executive of this nation and upon the Congress of this country. So great are the responsibilities already burdening the Chief Executive that our experience shows that our presidents are carrying a burden too great for any human being to bear. Our late President Wilson retired from office broken in health and our late President Harding was carried to his last resting place during the term for which he was elected. It is not idle to assume that the tremendous amount of work placed upon the shoulders of these men brought them to their graves while in the prime of their lives. We certainly cannot lessen these burdens by placing further amendments on our federal constitution increasing the powers and responsibilities of our government at Washington.

And with respect to the Congress of these United States, who can say that Congress is now functioning in an efficient manner? With all due respect to Congress as a body and to the individual members thereof, we have already given them what appears to be almost a superhuman task in dealing with the national and international problems of this great country. At the last session of Congress approximately 15,000 bills were introduced relating to those functions of government with which the federal government now deals. It is obvious that but a small percentage of these bills could possibly be given serious and thoughtful consideration and, does any one feel that we are bettering this condition by adding new amendments to the federal constitution, placing upon Congress further legislative responsibilities with respect to new functions which are proposed to be cast upon the federal government?

This amendment in itself would materially add to these responsibilities and would necessarily cause the creation of a new bureau with its agents to carry into execution such laws as Congress might enact thereunder. But the great danger is in the tendency which is upon us to further and further add to these responsibilities from time to time. If this amendment be ratified and adopted as the twentieth amendment to the constitution, it is but a step further to enact a twenty-first amendment, giving Congress power to regulate the employment of women in industry. After all is it not as important for the federal government to protect the mothers and prospective mothers from exploitation in industry and to regulate the conditions under which they shall work, as it is to protect the children up to eighteen years of age? And should such an amendment protecting women be adopted as a twenty-first amendment, would it not be but one step further to say that all labor and the conditions under which all men shall toil should be regulated by the federal government under a twenty-second amendment to the federal constitution? And, as suggested by Mrs. Saylor in her talk today, there are states where the laws relative to the education of the child are not what they should be. And why, rather than to seek the legislation through the legislatures of the various states,

could this not be handled by giving Congress, under a twenty-third amendment to the constitution, power to make laws governing compulsory education in the various states? And so we might go on and on, suggesting various and innumerable functions which might be put under federal control in order to spread the benefit of humanitarian laws throughout those states which have been backward in this regard.

The difficulty lies in the fact that our federal government is now topheavy and almost inevitably made so by necessary centralization. If we add to these functions of government which are necessarily centralized, further responsibilities and powers *which are not necessarily national in their character and need not* be centralized, we may so build up our centralized power with its cumbersome boards, bureaus and employees to such an extent that the whole structure may some day topple under its own weight. This is the danger, and the real danger, and it is far greater in its importance than the question of whether control of child labor shall rest in Washington or in Sacramento.

I have read arguments for and against the ratification of this amendment, some of which seemed to have merit and some of which seemed entirely beside the point. The children of the State of California and practically all of the rest of the states *of the Union are now amply protected by state laws.* There are but few states in which the conditions are unsatisfactory. Nevertheless, progress has been made all over the country and it is merely a question of time when the desired legislation will be placed upon the statute books of every state of the Union. If the effort which has been made to have Congress pass this proposed constitutional amendment and the effort which is being made in the various states to obtain the ratification of this amendment, had been directed toward a campaign for adequate state laws in those few states that are behind the times, we might already have had satisfactory child labor laws in all of these states. But, in order to speed up and better conditions in these states which are backward, we are asked to strip California and every other state of the Union of its sovereign power to legislate in this regard and to allow ourselves to be controlled from Washington in every detail of the work of the child.

My judgment tells me that such procedure is entirely wrong and that the further centralization of government in these United States should cease. Let us leave our federal government as free as possible to deal with the great problems now confronting them which are essentially national or international in their character. These problems are many and we hope for their fullest consideration and early solution. And let us not force upon our national leaders the problems of the several states which are not essentially national in character.

That I may not be misunderstood, let me repeat that I stand unequivocally for adequate laws to protect the child against exploitation, but let me further say that the evils arising in a few states under inadequate child labor laws can be solved more easily than the evil which lurks behind the tendency now upon us of further hampering an already overburdened federal government with new and greater responsibilities.

It has been said that it is political suicide to vote against this amendment. I do not believe this, for I believe that the people generally will realize that this amendment should not be ratified when full light is thrown upon the subject. I further do not believe that any one is subject to criticism for voting his true convictions. It would be pleasanter to vote in accord with the wishes of those who have been actively working for this amendment here in Sacramento, and it probably would be more expedient. But I have never cast a vote on the floor of this Assembly against my convictions and solely as a matter of political expediency, and I will not do so now.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to federal taxation of community income and community estates in California—*has had the same under consideration, and* respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

LOUTTIT, Chairman

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Spence asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, at this time, and that the same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOUR.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to federal taxation of community income and community estates in California.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4 read and considered engrossed.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seoheld, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 4.

Relative to federal taxation of community income and community estates in California.

WHEREAS, The community system of property prevails in the State of California; and

WHEREAS, In the other community property states the husband and wife are permitted to return one-half of the community income each for purposes of federal income taxes; and

WHEREAS, Only one-half of the community property passing to the wife on the death of her husband is subject to the federal estate tax; and

WHEREAS, The right of California taxpayers to equal treatment in these matters with the other community property states has been suspended and has been under the consideration of the Attorney General and the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States since May, 1924; and

WHEREAS, We are advised that the Attorney General, whose opinion on the matter was requested by the Secretary of the Treasury, gave his opinion to the secretary on the matter last October; and

WHEREAS, The absence of a definite ruling upon this matter by the Secretary of the Treasury is a matter of grave concern to the taxpayers in the State of California and is seriously embarrassing to them now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of California, That we respectfully urge upon the Secretary of the Treasury the importance of an early decision of these questions by his department and the early publication thereof for the guidance of all taxpayers in this State who may be concerned; and be it further

Resolved, That the text of this joint resolution be telegraphed immediately to the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxpayers' statements of property.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 3—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the legislative department.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Relative to approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of San Jose.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No 93—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the commissioner of said bureau and his deputies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No 94—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court and of the district courts of appeal

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to clerks of justice courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Levey: Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person: to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Little (by request): Assembly Bill No. 97—An act to amend section 555 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the release of attachments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 98—An act to amend section 1190 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to undertakings in actions to foreclose mechanics' liens.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 543 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to garnishment in aid of attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of

Bishop, Inyo County, to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific railroad crosses such state line to be a public highway and making an appropriation for the improvement thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No. 102—An act to appropriate $50,000 to the State Department of Agriculture for the eradication of alhagi camelorum (otherwise known as camel's thorn) in the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Messrs. Badham and Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds", approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the retirement of teachers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 104—An act recognizing and declaring valid the Vandalia Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings for the formation of said district

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to pay the claims of the California Cooperative Canneries, Incorporated, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 106—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway; providing for the acquiring of rights-of-way and construction of bridges on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 107—An act granting to the city of South San Francisco the salt marsh, tide and submerged lands of the State of California including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of South San Francisco and regulating the management, use and control thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, relating to public works by persons convicted of failure to provide for minor children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this state for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto", approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to boards of parole commissioners in cities and towns.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to liability of innkeepers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 476*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the issuing of fraudulent checks.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mrs. Saylor: Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to appropriate $887 42 to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for setting back the curbs, constructing concrete curbs and gutters, paving and widening the area and providing drainage on those portions of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft way fronting upon property of the University of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 114—An act authorizing certain improvements upon the grounds of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley, California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 115—An act authorizing the use of convict labor in the construction and erection of State buildings and institutions; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for the payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to such convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing an allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convicts' labor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 116—An act to regulate the packing and labeling of macaroni and macaroni pastes; and to provide a penalty for the violation hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to amend section 279 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the admission of attorneys from other states and foreign countries to practice law in this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to amend section 2924 of the Civil Code, relating to redemption of property sold under power of sale.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 119—An act to amend section 1190 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to undertakings in actions to foreclose mechanics' liens.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 1131 of the Political Code, relating to the conduct of elections.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 121—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Lyons:

Resolved, That the State Printer be and he is hereby instructed to print for the members and officers of the Assembly one hundred personal cards each.

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

MOTION FOR PERMISSION TO USE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

Mr. Coombs moved that Mr. J B. Strauss of Chicago, engineer of the proposed Golden Gate bridge, be permitted to address the members of the Assembly and Senate in the Assembly Chamber Thursday, January 15, 1925, at two o'clock p m , said meeting to be held under the auspices of the Committee on Roads and Highways of the Assembly, and that permission be hereby granted for the use of the Assembly Chamber on the day and hour mentioned.

Motion carried

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Nielsen extended an invitation to the Speaker, members of the American Legion and ex-service members of the Assembly to attend a luncheon given by Sacramento Post No 61, American Legion, Wednesday, January 14, 1925, at twelve o'clock m.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and five minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a m., Thursday, January 15, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, January 15, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotor, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Rev. B Berkeley Blake of the First Unitarian Church of Sacramento.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Lyons, Mr. Dodge was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Saylor, Miss Broughton was granted leave of absence for the day.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Badham, its further reading was dispensed with.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Capt. E L. Hawk, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Thomas Maxwell, supervisor of Napa County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Mueller, John Ballantyne of El Cajon was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was filed by the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names:

Associated Press.....C. R Simmons
Los Angeles Evening Herald.....Gil A. Cowan
Los Angeles Times.....Kyle D Palmer
Sacramento Bee—Walter P. Jones, Stephen L. Kyle, Pat Doyle, Darwin J. Smith, J. Earl Langdon.
Sacramento Union.....Neil M Toohy, T D. M Slaven
San Francisco Chronicle.....Earl C. Behrens, Herbert F Soher
San Francisco Examiner.....William H Jordan, Herbert L Phillips
San Jose News.....Franklin Hichborn

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Lyons:

Resolved, That the State Printer be and he is hereby instructed to print for the members and officers of the Assembly, one hundred personal cards each;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted.

MURRAY, Chairman.

Report and resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Murray adopted.

ON ATTACHES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desires to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and the per diem set opposite their respective names.

The appointment of the following named persons to date, from and include the fifth day of January, 1925

C. E Whiteside, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00
Alfred S. Gomes, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Dan Whelen, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Martha J. Clark, Stenographer	5 00
Norma Brown, Stenographer	5 00

The appointment of the following named person to date, from and include the sixth day of January, 1925:

Wilhelmina Snyder, Stenographer	$5 00

The following named persons to date, from and include the eighth day of January, 1925:

Hannah Laurence, Stenographer	$5 00
Gladys Magistrini, Stenographer	5 00
Florence Murphy, Stenographer	5 00
Mrs. L. Cabeldu, Stenographer	5 00

The following named person to date, from and include the ninth day of January, 1925

Dolores Burrell, Stenographer	$5 00

The following named persons to date, from and include the twelfth day of January, 1925.

Adele H. Foren, Stenographer	$5 00
Nellie Cockerill, Stenographer	5 00

The following named person to date, from and including the thirteenth day of January, 1925:

Chas. Erb, File Clerk	$7 00

The following named persons to date, from and including the fourteenth day of January, 1925

Jack Murphy, History Clerk	$7 00
Willis M. Baum, Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk	7 00
Theo Lafayette, Journal Clerk	7 00
Joseph Margolis, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Dorothy Kelley, Stenographer	5 00
Nan Trimble, Stenographer	5 00
Ethel Sosey, Stenographer	5 00

The following named person to date, from and including the fifth day of January, 1925, to and including the tenth day of January, 1925

William Monahan, Assistant Clerk	$7 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to

draw his warrants from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem and the State Treasury is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Report and resolution read.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Davton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

ON MILEAGE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mileage begs leave to report that it has computed the mileage according to section 208 of the Political Code, and recommends the adoption of the resolution herewith:

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed and ordered to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of the following named officers and members of the Assembly for the amounts set opposite their names, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed and ordered to pay the same

J. J. Murphy	$26 50
John W. Runner	31 20
Roscoe J. Anderson	17 10
N. V. Wemple	27 80
Van Bernard	10 30
Charles B. Melville	21 60
Charles H. Deuel	11 40
Fred B. Noyes	5 00
Mrs. Cora M. Woodbridge	1 80
Robt. B. McPherson	5 90
Frank L. Coombs	6 10
Hubert B. Scudder	9 70
D. P. Anderson	9 00
Roy J. Nielsen	-----
Percy G. West	-----
H. E. Dillinger	6 00
Chas F. Reindollar	10 50
Robert P. Easley	8 00
Bradford S Crittenden	6 80
Tom H. Louttit	6 80
Fred C. Hawes	9 00
Thomas A. Mitchell	9 00
Joseph F. Burns	9 00
Walter J. Schmidt	9 00
Wm. B. Hornblower	9 00
Ray Williamson	9 00
Leland R. Jacobson	9 00
Edgar C. Levey	9 00
Harry F Morrison	9 00
Robert B. Fry	9 00
Albert A Rosenshine	9 00
James A. Miller	9 00
Charles A. Oliva	9 00
Wm. P. Jost	9 80
H. R. Spence	8 90
Edward J Smith	8 40
Eugene W. Roland	8 40
J Croter	8 40
M. J McDonough	8 40
Harold C. Cloudman	8 40
Anna L. Saylor	8 40
F. L. Eksward	11 90
Geo C. Cleveland	21 80
T. M. Wright	12 80
C. C. Spalding	13 80

Esto B. Broughton	$7 70
Maurice B Browne	12 50
F. E. Dayton	20 80
E. G. Adams	10 00
Chas. A. Foster	17 90
Herbert McDowell	16 90
S L. Heisinger	18 50
S. V Wright	34 30
Frank Johnson	22 10
Frank W. Mixter	21 60
Grace S. Dorris	27 80
Isaac Jones	48 40
Archibald E. Brock	52 00
Edgar O. Campbell	46 00
Walter H Duval	49 80
Frank C. Weller	45 50
Walter J Little	46 90
Sidney T. Graves	44 70
Harry Lyons	44 70
Thomas L Dodge	44 70
William M. Byrne	44 70
Eleanor Miller	46 00
Harry F. Sewell	46 70
Jerome V. Scofield	45 30
Frank F. Merriam	46 90
Henry F Carter	47 20
W. E. Badham	44 70
Howard W. Davis	44 70
F. M. Roberts	44 70
Mark A. Pierce	44 70
S. C. Hartranft	47 40
Alfred C. Murray	51 20
A C. Finney	67 90
Byron J. Walters	57 30
Edwin A. Mueller	58 90
OFFICERS	
Arthur A. Ohnimus	9 00
C. William Booth	8 40

BERNARD, Chairman.
DORRIS.
OLIVA.
HAWES.
McDONOUGH.

Mr. Bernard moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byron, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,
SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 64, making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year is, in my opinion, an urgency measure and this bill is an emergency bill, and I therefore recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

Assembly Bill No. 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to federal taxation of community incomes and community estates in California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4 ordered to engrossment.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 122—An act requiring owners of motor vehicles to file with the Division of Motor Vehicles a contract of indemnity, indemnifying persons suffering damages to property, injuries to persons, and loss by death, by negligence of operators of such vehicles; fixing the maximum liability under such indemnity contract, the terms thereof and requirements of the insurance carrier; prescribing penalties for operating vehicles without such indemnity contract.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 123—An act to add three new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 3066, 3066*a*, and 3066*b*, relating to liens of sellers of feed for poultry and other livestock.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 124—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Smith, Little and Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No. 125—An act to regulate the method of voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purposes of elections where two or

more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mrs. Saylor: Assembly Bill No. 126—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Miller, Eleanor: Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, to be numbered 1*a*, providing for the excusing of children from school for religious instruction.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 129—An act to amend section 196 of the Civil Code, relating to the obligation of parents for the support and education of their children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to pay the claim of Charles Bartholomew against the State of California

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Wright, T. M: Assembly Bill No 131—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 132—An act confirming and validating the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to approve, confirm, ratify, and validate sales and leases of real property made by school districts or high school districts, or by boards of education or boards of school trustees, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of such sales or leases

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 134—An act to amend part III, title III, chapter III, article VII, of the Political Code by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 135—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 136—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to school districts in cities and additional territory.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No 137—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617½, relating to the sale or lease of school property upon which no public school is being maintained.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Graves and Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No. 138—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629, and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits, and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 139—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2284, relating to the substitution of trustees named in deeds of trusts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 140—An act to amend section 464 of the Penal Code, relating to burglary.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No 141—An act transferring the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the board of pilot commissioners for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island and Benicia to the State Board of Harbor Commissioners; providing for the appointment by the State Board of Harbor Commissioners of all pilots for such ports; providing that all pilotage fees for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island and Benicia shall be paid to the State Board of Harbor Commissions; fixing the salaries of pilots for such ports, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provision hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 626*o* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Louttit. Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Lyons (by request): Assembly Bill No. 145—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to preliminary examinations in cases of homicide.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 146—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1925, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000 to be used in the construction, renewal and repair of works for restraining, impounding and controlling debris resulting from mining operations, natural erosions and other causes, and to provide for the manner of expending such appropriations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the United States in reference to the levy and collection of taxes on incomes derived from securities issued under the authority of the United States or of any State.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Hartranft: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to the taxation of publicly owned utilities

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Coombs:

Resolved, That five thousand copies of chapter 228, Statutes of 1923, being "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by

said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," be printed by the State Printer for the use of the members and general distribution.

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

MOTION.

Mr. Wright, T. M., moved that when we adjourn this day we do so in respect to the memory of the late Dr. Edwin R. Snyder, President of the State Teachers College of San Jose.

Motion unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

ADJOURNMENT.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, January 16, 1925, out of respect to the memory of the late Dr. Edwin R. Snyder, President of the State Teachers College of San Jose.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, January 16, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartraudt, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivá, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—66.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Rabbi Harold F. Reinhart of Sacramento.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr. Spalding, Mr. Wright, T. M., was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jost, Messrs. Smith and McDonough were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Miller, J. A., Mr. Williamson was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Byrne, Mr. Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Dorris, Miss Broughton was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr. Pierce was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. McPherson, Mr. Coombs was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Dodge was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Hawes, Messrs Mitchell, Fry, Burns, Levey and Hornblower were granted leave of absence for the day.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr Hawes, its further reading was dispensed with.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. R. J. Anderson, Dr. Ernest A. Dozier, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Carter, Mr. Orra E. Monnettee, President Los Angeles Library Board and Board of Freeholders, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to federal taxation of community income and community estates in California—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 64, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SIXTY-FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year.

Bill read third time

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis,

Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runnel, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 64 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At ten o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., the Speaker declared the Assembly at recess for the purpose of receiving the following members of the Grand Army of the Republic:

G. W. Grannis of Turlock, Commander Department of G. A. R. of California and Nevada, Past Department Commander Hawk of Sacramento; Assistant Adjutant General Noll of Los Angeles; C. O. Boynton of Long Beach, Division Commander California and Pacific Division; Mrs. Grace B. Willard of Los Angeles, National President Woman's Relief Corps; Mrs. Martha Packard of Los Angeles, Department President Woman's Relief Corps; Mrs. R. E. Gilliland of Riverside, Division President Sons of Veterans Auxiliary; who are here for the purpose of making arrangements for their Annual Encampment.

REASSEMBLED.

At ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Booth reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 14—Relative to the proposed formation of a bridge and highway district for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the Golden Gate from the city and county of San Francisco to the county of Marin.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 read, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following bill was introduced:

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and

to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, at this time, without reference to committee or printer and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWO.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Relative to adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2 ordered to print and to Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 2

Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling

WHEREAS, Section 2 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California requires that, after the Legislature has been in session for a period not exceeding thirty days, a recess must be taken by both houses for a period of not less than thirty days, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California shall adjourn for said recess at twelve o'clock noon on Saturday, January 24, 1925, and shall reassemble at the hour of twelve o'clock noon on Tuesday, February 24, 1925.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No 150—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision and Printing.

By Mr Bernard, Assembly Bill No. 151—An act declaring the county road commencing at Willows and extending through Fruto, Elk Creek, and Alder Springs, all in Glenn County, and thence through Covelo, Dos Rios, Laytonville, Branscomb to Westport, all located in Mendocino County, to be a State highway

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No. 152—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the board of regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,'" approved June 12, 1913, as amended, relative to registration of nurses

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 154—An act to amend section 122 of the California Vehicle Act approved May 30, 1923, relating to walking or driving on highways

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 46½ of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 156—An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in active duties of their employment, and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as

amended, relating to employment conditions and hours of labor of females.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 158—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H W Levers against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ccc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 160—An act declaring the public highway extending from Fresno, in Fresno County, to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, and running through Mendota, Dos Palos, Newman and Crows Landing, to Tracy to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Foster Assembly Bill No. 161—An act requiring the owner or operator of a motor driven vehicle to provide indemnity insurance to compensate persons for damages to persons or property arising out of the negligence of the owner or operator in such operation of the motor vehicle upon the public highways, roads, or streets in counties, cities and counties, and towns; prescribing the duties of the Division of Motor Vehicles with reference thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 162—An act appropriating money for expenditure as directed by the division of water rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California in aiding the Department of Interior of the United States in stream gaging work in the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 163—An act directing the State Engineer to render a report to the Legislature of the State of California consisting of a plan of design, an estimate of cost, and recommendations of a plan of finance, for the erection of a proposed dam to be located at Army Point, Solano County, and extending to Bulls Head Point, Contra Costa County, and making an appropriation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 165—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as

the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Hartranft: Assembly Bill No. 166—An act to provide for the eradication of citrus white fly in California by providing for the establishment by proclamation of citrus white fly districts, declaring all host plants of the citrus white fly within such citrus white fly districts as to be a public nuisance; providing for the destruction or treatment of such host plants, defining the powers and duties of the director of the Department of Agriculture and of the County Horticultural Commissioners in relation to the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No 167—An act to provide for the growing of one variety or species of cotton, to wit: Acala, in certain prescribed and defined districts in the State of California; to prohibit the picking and harvesting of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the possession within such district for the purpose of planting any seeds or plants of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the ginning of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; defining such districts; and fixing the penalty for a violation of this act

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed; defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof; authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California; prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to supervise, regulate and control the transportation and sale of poultry, to provide rules and regulations therefor and provide a penalty for violations thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter-claims in civil actions and to repeal section 442 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to cross complaints in civil actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Browne (by request): Assembly Bill No 171—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 172—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 738c, relating to salaries of superior judges in counties of the forty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 174—An act appropriating money to provide for the grading, paving, curbing, guttering and drainage of those portions of Normal street, Normal-Campus intersection, Campus street, Campus-Meade intersection, and Meade avenue, in San Diego, California, fronting on property of the San Diego State Teachers College.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Normal Schools.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 176—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 392*a*, relating to mail and express trains.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to amend section 113 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act." Approved May 30, 1923, relating to the equipment of motor vehicles with speed governors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Weller (by request): Assembly Bill No. 178—An act to amend section 1191 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon lots or tracts of land for street, highway or sidewalk improvement

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Weller (by request): Assembly Bill No. 179—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 3051*b*, providing for liens for sacks, twine, wire and other materials used in harvesting, baling or otherwise preparing agricultural products.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Weller (by request): Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend section 537*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of property upon which a lien exists.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Weller (by request): Assembly Bill No. 181—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 3067, and 3067*a*, relating to liens of sellers of seed

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr Johnson: Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the twenty-ninth class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Relating to an investigation of telephone rates by the State Railroad Commission.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 5—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relating to legislative districts.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment

By Messrs. Jones, Duval, Bernard and Murphy: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 6—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into senatorial and assembly districts

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ATTACHES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desires to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and the per diem set opposite their respective names The

appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the fifth day of January, 1925.

Frank Vinson, Page $2 50
Theodore Reindollar, Page 2 50
Margaret Hartranft, Page 2 50
Madge Cross, Chief Stenographer 6 00

The appointment of the following named person to date from and include the sixth day of January, 1925

Anna T. Perry, Postmistress $4 00

The appointment of the following named person to date from and include the ninth day of January, 1925:

Wm. Milton, Bookkeeper to Sergeant-at-Arms $5 00

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the sixteenth day of January, 1925:

John H. Johnson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms $5 00
Blanche Caldren, Stenographer 5 00

The appointment of the following named person to date from and include the eighth day of January, 1925, to and include the fourteenth day of January, 1925.

Gertrude Magruder, Stenographer $5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem and the State Treasury is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Report and resolution read

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

MOTION TO ADJOURN.

Mr. Eksward moved that when we adjourn today we do so until the hour of twelve o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. Monday, January 19, 1925.

MOTION TO AMEND.

Mr. Campbell offered the following amendment to Mr. Eksward's motion:

That when the Assembly do adjourn today we do so until the hour of ten o'clock a.m. Monday, January 19, 1925

Motion to amend carried

The question being on the adoption of the motion, as amended.

Motion carried.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO USE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Mr. McPherson asked for and was granted permission to use the Assembly Chamber for public hearings on the Budget, commencing Monday, January 19, 1925, at two o'clock p.m.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Monday, January 19, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, January 19, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Wright, T. M., Mr. Spalding was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Dorris, Miss Broughton was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Mueller was granted leave of absence for the day.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Heisinger, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Schmidt, Mr. Alfred H. McKnew, Grand Trustee of the Native Sons of the Golden West, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West Mr. John M. Higgins, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

The following petitions were presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. West:

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, January 17, 1925.

The following resolution presented to the city council was adopted by a unanimous vote at a regular meeting held on January 15, 1925:

WHEREAS, The constitution of the State of California as amended in 1911 provides for a division of the regular session of the Legislature into two periods with an intervening recess of thirty days; and

WHEREAS, It was the express intention of such amendment to have all proposed bills introduced prior to adjournment of the first period, printed and generally distributed during the thirty-day interim; therefore, be it

Resolved, Hereby requesting the legislative representatives from this district to do all in their power to secure through the Legislature, immediate publication and distribution of all pending measures in consonance with the intent and purpose of foregoing amendment.

Very truly yours,

H. G. DENTON, City Clerk.

By Mr. Little:

WHEREAS, By an amendment to the constitution of the State of California, adopted in 1911, it was provided that on the reassembling of the Legislature after recess, no bills shall be introduced in either House without the consent of three-fourths of the members thereof; and

WHEREAS, Said provision was undoubtedly intended to enable the people of the State to study the proposed legislation during said recess; now, therefore,

The City Council of the City of Santa Monica hereby resolves: That the Legislature of the State of California be respectfully requested to provide for the speedy printing of all bills introduced at the first portion of the session of the Legislature, and their distribution during the recess of said Legislature. It is further

Resolved, That the Legislature be requested to furnish to the city of Santa Monica at least fifty (50) copies of all bills so introduced, in order that the same may be distributed among the various civic organizations in the city. It is further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honorable Charles Lyons, Senator from this district, and the Honorable Walter J. Little, Assemblyman from this district.

Adopted, January 16, 1925.

F. A. HELTON,
Commissioner of Finance, ex officio City Clerk, ex officio Clerk of the City Council of the City of Santa Monica.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Relative to approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of San Jose—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright, T. M., asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, at this time, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER ONE

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of San Jose, county of Santa Clara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of San Jose at a special municipal election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Minter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered to engrossment.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 1

Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of San Jose, county of Santa Clara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of San Jose at a special municipal election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND ASSEMBLY ON PRINTING.

The following report of joint committee was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: The joint committee of the Senate and Assembly on Revision and Printing having considered the subject presented by Senator Johnson and in consultation with the State Printer, unanimously recommend the adoption of the following rule:

> "All amendments to existing code sections as well as amendments to statutes shall be underscored in the copy and appear italicized in the printed bill."

The matter has been taken up with the legislative counsel and if all members will follow the rule suggested of italicizing new matter, we believe that the plan recommended by the joint committee will prove very satisfactory to both houses.

For the information of the members of the Senate and Assembly, we request that this be printed in the Journal and the recommendation be adopted.

CADET TAYLOR
Chairman of the Revision and
Printing Committee of the Senate.
E. G. ADAMS,
Chairman of the Revision and
Printing Committee of the Assembly.
CHAS. H. DEUEL.
FREDERICK M. ROBERTS.

The Speaker referred the above report to the Committee on Rules.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 183—An act to amend "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department, and to assess and collect taxes, from time to time, for such purposes, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, by the addition thereto of a new section to be numbered 24½, providing for the annexation of unincorporated territory to a fire district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 184—An act to validate the organization and incorporation of municipal corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to provide for the exclusion from sanitary districts of territory lying within the boundaries of an incorporated city or town.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and inclusion thereof, within municipal corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 187—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to school districts

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No 188—An act recognizing the right of the Supreme Court to adopt rules of procedure in civil and criminal causes, and declaring the effect thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1063 and relating to the trial of actions for declaratory relief.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 848 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to the service of summons outside of the county.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 193—An act amending section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to new trials

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 197—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 198—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 199—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 200—An act creating a Commission for the Reform of Criminal Procedure and appropriating funds therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 201—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, a division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 202—An act to define produce brokers and salesman, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, by the director of the State Department of Agriculture to define the powers and duties thereof; to create the director's market fund and revolving fund: To provide for the enforcement of this act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to provide for the licensing, bonding, regulation and control of commission merchants by the Department of Agriculture; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3244*a*, relating to hours of labor of employees and guards at the State prisons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Bill No 205—An act to amend section 29 of the "Workmen's Compensation Insurance Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to permit the revocation of certificates of self-insurance, to make failure to secure the payment of compensation a misdemeanor, and to require employers to furnish the Industrial Accident Commission with statements showing the name of their insurance carrier or how they have secured the payment of compensation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Hornblower and Burns: Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 588*d*, relating to the preservation against defacement of the public highways of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*b*, relating to the duties of the Department of Public Works.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 2280 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Schmidt: Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similiar names on the ballot.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 210—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending sections 1246, 2147, and 1252 of the Penal Code, all relating to the manner of taking, perfecting and hearing appeals in criminal cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 212—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of McCloud River Lumber Company.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917" with respect to acceptance of provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural

employments, and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have accepted the provisions of said act unless such employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of disaffirmance of said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No 214—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895, as amended, relating to compensation of certain officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, to be numbered 13, relating to inclusion and exclusion of territory in public cemetery districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the building of a pavilion in Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California, in which to exhibit the resources of the State of California, and for holding all kinds of industrial exhibitions, and to make an appropriation for the construction of said pavilion.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 218—An act to amend section 627*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the shipment of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 219—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for the resurvey, reconstruction and improvement thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 220—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*ee*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, in counties of the thirtieth class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 222—An act to amend section 3611 of the Political Code, relative to exemption of church property from taxation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for its violation," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine

Also: Assembly Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of J. B. Enright against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce brokers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor, to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No 227—An act to amend section 536 of the Civil Code, relating to rights of telephone and telegraph corporations upon any public road or highway or across any of the waters or lands within this State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add five new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1203*a*, 1203*b*, 1203*c*, 1203*d*, and 1203*e*, relating to liens on monuments, gravestones and cemetery structures.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No 230—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28, and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22 and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921, relating to the interest on bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No 231—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of horticultural commissions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr Hartranft: Assembly Bill No 232—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Foster, Johnson, Adams, Heisinger, McDowell, Mixter, and Duval: Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno and Los Angeles to be known as the West Side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 234—An act to amend section 363 of Political Code, relating to the department of public works.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by regulating the number of cars in trains.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Runner: Assembly Bill No. 236—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of Mad River from erosion by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 237—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910,

and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the chief engineers of the United States army and the board of engineers for rivers and harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an approppriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled: "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River, and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the chief of engineers for rivers and harbors and printed in the Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled: "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 239—An act appropriating money for the installation and equipment of a toy factory at Folsom State Prison.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No 240—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1319, providing that where a contest of a will may be brought under the provisions of section

1312, subdivision III, of the Code of Civil Procedure, a forfeiture clause forfeiting any bequest, legacy or interest under said will shall at all times be deemed, held and considered contrary to public policy and void and of no effect.

Bill read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 1281 of the Civil Code, relating to wills, the validity of which by its own terms, is made conditional.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 242—An act to provide for the treatment and surgical care of deformed, crippled or injured children by the State of California in its general hospitals and institutions, and providing funds therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 243—An act to amend section 607 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in the trial of civil actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to boards of supervisors, their jurisdiction, and limitation of powers, and vesting them with the power of providing for assistance of county officers, and the fixing of their salaries and the payment thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Miller, Eleanor: Assembly Bill No. 245—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1612b, relating to the power and duties of city boards of education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No. 246—An act to add a new title and chapter I to division I part IV of the Civil Code to be numbered title XV, chapter I, relating to requirements of service of public utilities supplying electricity.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 247—An act to amend sections 77 and 78 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to license fees and exemptions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 248—An act to declare a certain highway leading from the town of Mariposa, in Mariposa County, to Wawona, also in Mariposa County and commonly known as the Mariposa-Big Tree road, to be a part of the "seven per cent highway system."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relative to the construction of bridges and highways, approved May 25, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Messrs. Burns and Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to regulate the procuring of persons to take the places of employees in anticipation of or during strikes, lockouts or other labor troubles; and repealing an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 5 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 7*a*, to an act entitled "An act providing for the organization and regulation of reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges, to be known as 'the reciprocal or interinsurance act of the State of California,'" and repealing the act entitled "An act providing for reciprocal and interexchange of indemnities, prescribing regulations therefor and fixing a license fee, and repealing an act entitled 'An act defining certain classes of contracts for the exchange of indemnity, prescribing regulations therefor, and fixing a license fee,' approved December 24, 1911." approved May 26, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921," relating to assets of insurance companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Burns, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt and Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Messrs. Hornblower, Mitchell and McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 254—An act to amend sections 9 and 12 of "the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, approved February 28, 1905, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 257—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for the mutual benefit and life associations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 258—An act to promote the better education of practitioners of radiography; to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered radiographers to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health; and to provide penalties for the violation hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California in and for the county of Santa Barbara, to provide for the appointment of an additional superior court judge and for his compensation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Weller:—Assembly Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds creating or increasing bonded indebtedness or increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, and to add a new section to said act to be numbered section 10*a*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and

maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b*, thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions of which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend section 2967 of the Civil Code, relating to foreclosures of mortgages

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code, providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 1425 of the Penal Code, relating to jurisdiction of justices' courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 268—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment, fine and imprisonment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No 269—An act to regulate the construction, operation and maintenance of derricks and equipment in the developmen and production of petroleum.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 270—An act to add five new sections to the Penal Code to be numbered respectively 601*a*, 601*b*, 601*c*, 601*d*, and 796, relating to injury or interference, by means of explosives or other means, to or with works used for supplying water

for domestic use, and to instigating or advocating such injury or interference, and the jurisdiction of conspiracies to violate and violations of said sections.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 271—An act to provide for the appointment of special State police, with the powers of peace officers, for the protection of property belonging to or under the control of counties, cities and counties, cities, irrigation districts, municipal water districts, public utility districts or other political subdivisions or districts of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 7—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation of State and municipal bonds.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 8—Proposed amendment to article VI of the constitution, relative to the continuation in service of justices of the Supreme Court, justices of the District Court of Appeal and judges of the superior courts of the State of California; and defining the powers and duties of said justices and judges.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 9—Proposed amendment to article XI of the constitution, relative to fees and mileage of grand jurors.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Messrs. Hornblower and Mitchell: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 10—Proposed amendment of articles IV and XII of the constitution, relative to public necessities.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Murphy Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6—Relative to construction of a jetty at the Crescent City harbor

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7—Relative to provisions of United States revenue law.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8—Relative to the issuance of tax free bonds.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Relative to records of service in the army.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10—Relative to pensions for Civil War veterans.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, January 19, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desire to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the positions at the per diem set opposite their respective names:

The appointment of the following named person to date from and include the twelfth day of January, 1925:

Ed Lynch, Assistant Clerk.....$7 00

The appointment of the following named person to date from and include the fifteenth day of January, 1925:

O Norrell, Assistant Clerk.....$7 00

That the name of Blanche Caldren, Stenographer, be stricken from the roll to date from and including the sixteenth day of January, 1925.

Said per diem to be paid out of the funds for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Report and resolution read.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

ON MILEAGE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Mileage begs leave to submit an additional report relative to the mileage according to section 208 of the Political Code, and recommends the adoption of the resolution herewith

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed and ordered to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of the following named officers and members of the Assembly for the amounts set opposite their names, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed and ordered to pay the same.

Name	Miles	Amount
J. J. Murphy	530	$26 50
John W. Runner	624	31 20
Roscoe J Anderson	342	17 10
N. V. Wemple	556	27 80
Van Bernard	206	10 30
Charles B. Melville	432	21 60
Charles H. Deuel	228	11 40
Fred B. Noves	100	5 00
Mrs. Cora M. Woodbridge	36	1 80
Robt. B McPherson	118	5 90
Frank L Coombs	122	6 10
Hubert B. Scudder	194	9 70
D. P. Anderson	180	9 00
Roy J. Nielsen	---	-----
Percy G West	---	-----
H E. Dillinger	120	6 00
Chas. F. Reindollar	210	10 50
Robert P. Easley	160	8 00
Bradford S. Crittenden	136	6 80
Tom H. Louttit	136	6 80

Name	Miles	Amount
Fred C. Hawes	180	$9 00
Thomas A. Mitchell	180	9 00
Joseph F. Burns	180	9 00
Walter J. Schmidt	180	9 00
Wm. B. Hornblower	180	9 00
Ray Williamson	180	9 00
Leland R. Jacobson	180	9 00
Edgar C Levey	180	9 00
Harry F. Morrison	180	9 00
Robert B. Fry	180	9 00
Albert A. Rosenshine	180	9 00
James A. Miller	180	9 00
Charles A. Oliva	180	9 00
Wm P Jost	196	9 80
H. R. Spence	178	8 90
Edward J. Smith	168	8 40
Eugene W. Roland	168	8 40
J. Croter	168	8 40
M. J. McDonough	168	8 40
Harold C Cloudman	168	8 40
Anna L Saylor	168	8 40
F L. Eksward	238	11 90
Geo. C. Cleveland	436	21 80
T M Wright	256	12 80
C. C Spalding	276	13 80
Esto B Broughton	154	7 70
Maurice B. Browne	250	12 50
F. E. Dayton	416	20 80
E G Adams	200	10 00
Chas. A. Foster	358	17 90
Herbert McDowell	338	16 90
S. L. Heisinger	370	18 50
S. V Wright	668	34 30
Frank Johnson	442	22 10
Frank W Mixter	432	21 60
Grace S. Dorris	556	27 80
Isaac Jones	968	48 40
Archibald E. Brock	1040	52 00
Edgar O Campbell	920	46 00
Walter H. Duval	996	49 80
Frank C. Weller	910	45 50
Walter J. Little	938	46 90
Sidney T Graves	894	44 70
Harry Lyons	894	44 70
Thomas L Dodge	894	44 70
William M Byrne	894	44 70
Eleanor Miller	920	46 00
Harry F Sewell	934	46 70
Jerome V. Scofield	906	45 30
Frank F. Merriam	938	46 90
Henry E. Carter	944	47 20
W. E. Badham	894	44 70
Howard W. Davis	894	44 70
F. M Roberts	894	44 70
Mark A. Pierce	894	44 70
S C. Hartranft	948	47 40
Alfred C Murray	1024	51 20
A C Finney	1358	67 90
Byron J. Walters	1146	57 30
Edwin A. Mueller	1178	58 90
OFFICERS.		
Arthur A. Ohnimus	180	9 00
C. William Booth	168	8 40

BERNARD, Chairman.
DORRIS.
OLIVA
HAWES
McDONOUGH.

Mr. Bernard moved the adoption of the report and resolution.
The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Runner, and Woodbridge—2.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution, by Mr. Carter:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase eighty-three (83) sets of the 1923 edition of Deering's Codes and General Laws of the State of California in 6 volumes; also eighty-one (81) copies of Robert's Rules of Order.

Also, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to deliver one set of said Codes and General Laws to each member of the Assembly, Chief Clerk of the Assembly and Judiciary Committee and the Ways and Means Committee and one (1) volume of Robert's Rules of Order to each member of the Assembly and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted

MURRAY, Chairman

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobsen, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4—Relative to federal taxation of community income and community estates in California—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this nineteenth day of January, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to engrossment.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Schmidt, the speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Tuesday, January 20, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, January 20, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Ohva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Scofield, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dodge, Mrs. Bernice A. Johnson, superintendent of legislation of Los Angeles County W. C. T. U., was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bernard, Mr. C. C. Bennefield of Tehama County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate respectfully requests your honorable body to return to the Senate Assembly Bill No 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year—pending notice of motion to reconsider given in the Senate on Friday, January 16, 1925.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.

In compliance with the above request the Speaker ordered Assembly Bill No 64 recalled from enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Approving a certain amendment to the

charter of the city of San Jose, county of Santa Clara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of San Jose at a special municipal election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 2—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment to which was referred Assembly Bill No 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year—herewith returns the same in compliance with the request of the Assembly.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Assembly Bill No. 64 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Piedmont, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein on the first day of April, 1924;

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Approving eighteen certain amendments to the charter of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city and county of San Francisco, at a general election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924;

Also. Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Approving amendment to the charter of the county of San Bernardino, State of California;

Also. Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6—Approving amendments to the charter of the city of San Bernardino, State of California.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

ASSEMBLYMAN GRAVES IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and eighteen minutes a.m., Hon. Sidney T. Graves, Assemblyman from the Sixty-third District, was called to the chair.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON RULES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Rules recommends the adoption, as the permanent rules of the Assembly for the forty-sixth session, the temporary rules adopted as printed in the Journal of Monday, January 5, 1925, as corrected by the Minute Clerk to conform to the standing rules of the forty-fifth session, and further recommends the adoption of the following amendments

Rule 10 to be changed to read as follows:

10 The standing committees of the Assembly shall be as follows:

1. A Committee on Agriculture, to consist of seventeen members.
2. A Committee on Attaches, to consist of seven members.
3 A Committee on Banking, to consist of nine members.

4. A Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to consist of seven members.
5. A Committee on Civil Service, to consist of nine members.
6. A Committee on Claims, to consist of seven members.
7. A Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to consist of nine members.
8. A Committee on Conservation, to consist of nine members.
9. A Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to consist of nine members.
10. A Committee on Contested Elections, to consist of seven members.
11. A Committee on Contingent Expenses, to consist of five members.
12. A Committee on Corporations, to consist of nine members.
13. A Committee on County Government, to consist of fifteen members.
14. A Committee on Direct Legislation, to consist of seven members.
15. A Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to consist of thirteen members.
16. A Committee on Education, to consist of thirteen members.
17. A Committee on Elections, to consist of eleven members.
18. A Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, to consist of five members.
19. A Committee on Federal Relations, to consist of seven members.
20. A Committee on Fish and Game, to consist of fifteen members.
21. A Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to consist of eleven members.
22. A Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures, to consist of five members
23. A Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to consist of thirteen members.
24. A Committee on Insurance, to consist of eleven members.
25. A Committee on Irrigation, to consist of twenty-one members.
26. A Committee on Judiciary, to consist of twenty-one members.
27. A Committee on Labor and Capital, to consist of thirteen members.
28. A Committee on Libraries, to consist of seven members.
29. A Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to consist of eleven members.
30. A Committee on Manufactures, to consist of seven members.
31. A Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to consist of nine members.
32. A Committee on Mileage, to consist of five members.
33. A Committee on Military Affairs, to consist of nine members.
34. A Committee on Mines and Mining, to consist of nine members.
35. A Committee on Motor Vehicles, to consist of twenty-one members.
36. A Committee on Municipal Corporations, to consist of thirteen members.
37. A Committee on Oil Industries, to consist of nine members.
38. A Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to consist of thirteen members.
39. A Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to consist of nine members
40. A Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to consist of nine members.
41. A Committee on Public Morals, to consist of eleven members.
42. A Committee on Public Utilities, to consist of eleven members.
43. A Committee on Reapportionment, to consist of twenty-one members.
44. A Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to consist of fifteen members.
45. A Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of five members.
46. A Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to consist of seven members.
47. A Committee on Roads and Highways, to consist of fifteen members
48. A Committee on Rules, to consist of seven members, including the Speaker.
49. A Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to consist of thirteen members.
50. A Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to consist of seven members.
51. A Committee on Teachers Colleges, to consist of seven members.
52. A Committee on Universities, to consist of seven members.
53. A Committee on Ways and Means, to consist of twenty-one members.

Rule 13 to be changed to read as follows:

13. Each standing committee shall determine its own quorum and the number of affirmative votes necessary to report a bill out of committee; provided, that not less than a majority of all members constituting such committee shall in any case constitute such quorum, nor shall less than the affirmative votes of a majority of all members constituting such committee be sufficient to report a bill out of committee.

In Rule 68, line 5, after the words "the wife", insert a comma and the word "husband".

In Rule 71, line 2, after the word "provided", strike out the words "that during night sessions".

EKSWARD, Chairman.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and twenty-one minutes a. m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The Speaker ordered the above report printed in the Journal.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to joint rules of the Senate and Assembly.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Rules.

By Mrs. Saylor: Assembly Bill No. 272—An act to establish an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 273—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation of fires on, and the protection and management of, public and private forest lands within the State of California, creating a State Board of Forestry and certain officers subordinate to said board, prescribing the duties of such officers, creating a forestry fund, and appropriating the moneys in said fund, and defining and providing for the punishment of certain offenses for the violations of the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 18, 1905, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 274—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3779, relating to certain unclaimed tax sale moneys.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 275—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, counties and incorporated towns of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population may be regulated by ordinance; prescribing penalties and providing for the appointment of a board of adjustment, and defining the powers and duties thereof; and to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings may be regulated by ordinance," approved May 31, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 276—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to redemption of property from delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 277—An act to repeal section 3310 of the Political Code, relating to auctioneers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No 278—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to taxation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No 279—An act to provide for the exclusion from lighting districts of territory lying within the boundaries of an incorporated city or town.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 280—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations; for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 281—An act to appropriate moneys for, and to authorize and direct the California Highway Commission to complete that part of the State highway system of the State of California between the towns of Middletown and Lower Lake in Lake County, provided for by an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An act calling a special election to be held on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, and providing for the submission thereat to the qualified electors of the State of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California known as Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27, proposed by the Legislature of said State at its forty-third session, providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of forty million dollars for the completion of the State highway system and the acquisition and construction of other State highways by the State Department of Engineering, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved July 1, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 282—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Spalding (by request): Assembly Bill No. 283—An act to create the Mortgage Loan Bureau of California, under the jurisdiction

of the Corporation Commissioner; defining the powers and duties of the Corporation Commissioner in the regulation, control and dissolution of such mortgage loan companies

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No. 284—An act to repeal chapter I and articles 1 to VI inclusive of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 285—An act to amend section 1881 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to confidential communications.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Adams: Assembly Bill No 286—An act to amend sections 2965 and 2966 of the Civil Code, relating to mortgages on personal property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 288—An act to amend sections 4140 and 4300*c* of the Political Code, relating to recorders and fees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No 289—An act to amend sections 408 and 409 of the Political Code, relating to the Secretary of State

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 290—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Niles and Santa Rita by way of Sunol and Pleasanton in the county of Alameda, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 291—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3650½, relating to assessments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 292—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the completion of construction and equipment, and furnishing State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 294—An act appropriating money for the erection of buildings for boys requiring special custodial care, for service connections, furnishings and equipment for the same at the Preston School of Industry.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 295—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1519*c*, 1620*a*, and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 44 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 47 thereof, relating to the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Messrs. Jones and Weller: Assembly Bill No. 298—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation thereof, the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 299—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District,' to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the

officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to establish in the State of California an educational institution" for the care, supervision, education, training, discipline and employment of boys, to be known as the 'Whittier State School,'" approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to dismissals from such school.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 301—An act appropriating money for the purpose of building, furnishing, and equipping a cottage for boys at the Whittier State School.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 302—An act relating to certain funds and property in the custody or control of State schools and providing for the allotment and apportionment thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1893, providing for the creation of revolving funds in school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

Also: Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 2152 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, qualifications and removal of medical superintendents of State hospitals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 310—An act to amend section 2170 of the Political Code, relating to medical examiners of the insane and prescribing the form of their certificate of examination.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to repeal section 2184 of the Political Code, relating to the commitment of insane persons to the Southern California State Hospital

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 2153*a* of the Political Code, relating to the duties of medical superintendents of State hospitals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No 314—An act to amend section 1469, Code of Civil Procedure, relating to administration of estate not exceeding $2,500 in value.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 315—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 353*a*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

By Mr. Runner: Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 317—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No 318—An act to amend section 32 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, approved May 28, 1917, as amended."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 319—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act" approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 39*f* thereof, relating to the payment of tolls and charges for the use of water and making the same a lien upon the land upon which such water is used and making the same a part of the annual assessment levied by said district.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No 321—An act amending sections 378 and 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, 379*b*, 379*c*, and 391, all relating to the joinder of parties to actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, expense and compensation of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 323—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 4 and 5, and adding three new sections to be numbered 3, 3*a* and 6*c* to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highways by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; providing for the issue by incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties, and counties, of permits for the operation of such automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; empowering incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties, and counties to enact ordinances for the supervision and regulation of automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages, and auto stages, and providing penalties for the violation of such ordinances; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, and for the punishment of violation thereof; and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the transportation of persons or property on the public highway by motor vehicle.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Hartranft (by request): Assembly Bill No. 324—An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of such funds." approved June 16, 1913, as amended, referring to teachers' retirement salaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 326—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the horticulture commissioners in counties of the thirty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Hartranft (by request): Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Civil Service.

Also: Assembly Bill No 330—An act providing for the sale of tide and submerged lands of the State of California filled in through dredging operations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 331—An act providing for the survey and subdivision of lands belonging to the State of California to be sold or leased, and the recording of maps of surveys and subdivisions

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Also: Assembly Bill No. 332—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, designated the "Bank Act" by amending section 9 thereof as amended May 6, 1913, relating to the regulation of the business of banking.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Mr McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers, granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No 334—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers, to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualified applicants, with the designation of certified public accountant; and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof." approved March 23, 1901, as amended, by amending sections 2 and 3; by repealing sections 3*a*, 4 and 5; and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 335—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to concurrent jurisdiction.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Mitchell, Burns and Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 336—An act to fix the depreciation for fire losses and to provide rules and regulations therefor and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 337—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supply or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public

garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or to enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923, and add six new sections thereto to be numbered 164, 165, 166, 167, 168 and 169.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 338—An act to amend section 1207 of the Penal Code, relative to defectively acknowledged instruments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 339—An act to amend section 1525 of the Penal Code, relative to search warrants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 340—An act to add a new section to the "Inheritance Tax Act," to be numbered 6*a*, relating to exemptions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 141—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipality voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 141 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 16—Relating to federal harbor development at Crescent City.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 read, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No 4—Approving amendments to the charter of the County of Tehama, State of California

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 read, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—(RESUMED).

The following reports of standing committees were received and read.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000 to be used in the construction, renewal and repair of works for restraining, impounding and controlling debris resulting from mining operations, natural erosions and other causes, and to provide for the manner of expending such appropriation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The Speaker ordered the above reported bill re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 26—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in Tamalpais forest fire district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

NOYES, Chairman.

The Speaker ordered the above reported bill re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the following position and desires to submit the following resolution

Resolved, That the following named person be, and she is hereby appointed and employed for the position, at the per diem set opposite her name, to date from and include the twentieth day of January, 1925.

Bessie M. Manning, stenographer..... $5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the funds for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant from said funds in favor of the above-named person for said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—Hornblower, Schmidt, and Williamson—3.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS (RESUMED).

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to validate bonds issued under drainage district improvement act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 342—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of teachers in elementary schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 343—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another.

Bill read first time, and referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No 344—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for salaries and support of the State Department of Agriculture for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No 345—An act relating to the use and furnishing of premiums, prizes, stamps, coupons, tickets, certificates, cards, or other similar devices, for or with the sale of goods, wares, merchandise; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11—Proposed amendment to article XIV of the constitution, relative to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr Louttit: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to poll taxes.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Levey: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill now pending for the barring from transmission through the mails of revolvers and other concealable weapons.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Wednesday, January 21, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, January 21, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden,

Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Rosenshine, its further reading was dispensed with

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mrs. E. S. Leedy, principal of the Sutterville Heights School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Marie Gunderson, Burk Frank, Fumika Kozono, Frank Cernicky, Elis Baker, Takeshi Masaki, Florence Heustis, Roy Heustis, Marie Navlet, Sarah Stagno, Kikue Kikuchi, George Gunderson, Kimeka Kozono, Elwood Juergenson, Shizuka Kozono, Isami Yasuda, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. H. D. Williamson of Napa was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATION

The Chief Clerk filed the following communication:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named persons have filed their credentials and are duly recognized as representatives of the newspapers set opposite their respective names

San Francisco Bulletin—Frank B. Anderson, Edward H. Hurlbut, and Art Waugh

Stockton Record—Shelden B. Davis

San Diego Union—E Robert Anderson

Sacramento Union—Merril Osenbaugh

United Press—Myron V. Depew.

Los Angeles Review—Marvin Arnold

San Francisco Call—Alan McEwen and C. E Kunze.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

The Speaker ordered the above communication printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Approving fifteen (15) certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the

sixteenth day of December, 1924—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above concurrent resolution ordered to engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Piedmont, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein on the first day of April, 1924:

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Approving eighteen certain amendments to the charter of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city and county of San Francisco, at a general election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924:

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Approving amendments to the charter of the county of Tehama, State of California,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman

The above concurrent resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 141—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by vote not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipality voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill introduced by Hon. John E. Raker to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the border of said states, and for other purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

LOUTTIT, Chairman.

The above joint resolution ordered to engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to federal harbor development at Crescent City—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

LOUTTIT, Chairman.

The above joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 14—Relative to the proposed formation of a bridge and highway district for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the Golden Gate from the city and county of San Francisco to the county of Marin—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 138—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629, and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12¼ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits, and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to interpretation of the Motor Vehicle Act.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 read, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

MOTION.

Mr. West moved that the Committee on Motor Vehicles be instructed to report Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 back on the next legislative day

Motion carried.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No 7—Providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the controversy between the city of Los Angeles and the county of Inyo involving the taking of the waters of Inyo County by the said city of Los Angeles.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 read, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

MOTION.

Mr. Browne moved that the Committee on Judiciary be instructed to report Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 back on the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of San Jose, county of Santa Clara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of San Jose at a special municipal election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused reconsideration of Assembly Bill No. 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 19, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 18—Relating to protection of certain navigable waters in the State of California

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 read, without reference to committee.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Approving the charter of the city of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Los Angeles, upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixth day of May, 1924.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 read, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 346—An act to amend section 856 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 439 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J. (by request): Assembly Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 107 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for the escape of prisoners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 349—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 4, to an act entitled "An act to prevent the adulteration of paints, oils, varnishes and pigments," approved March 22, 1907, relating to labeling of paint containers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Mitchell: Assembly Bill No. 350—An act to protect the health of persons employed in handling portland cement, and to provide for the manner of packing same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 351—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 383*b*, relating to adulteration and sale of white lead, paint, or compound intended to be used as such, providing for its enforcement, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 352—An act authorizing and empowering the State Board of Forestry to acquire by purchase, gift or donation, in the name of the State of California, forest or brush covered lands under certain conditions; fixing the maximum price per acre to be paid for such lands as may be purchased; authorizing and directing the State Board of Forestry to administer and maintain and reforest such lands, or retain said lands for the conservation of water or watershed cover; appropriating the sum of $150,000 for the purpose of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Runner: Assembly Bill No. 353—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 392*b*, relating to railroad trains

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 354—An act to amend section 19*c*6 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 355—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create for the State of California a Department of Engineering, to provide for the appointment of the officers and employees thereof, defining its power and prescribing the duties of said department, its officers and employees, to provide the compensation of such officers and employees, to make an appropriation for the salaries and other expenses for the remainder of the fifty-eighth fiscal year and making certain acts a felony and repealing an act entitled "An act creating a Commissioner of Public Works, defining his duties and powers and fixing his compensation," approved February 9, 1900, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof; also repealing an act entitled "An act to create a Department of Highways for the State of California, to define its duties and powers, to provide for the appointment of officers and employees thereof, and to provide for the compensation of said officers and employees and for the additional expenses of said department, and to make an appropriation therefor for the remainder of the forty-eighth fiscal year" approved April 1, 1897; also repealing an act entitled "An act providing for the appointment of an auditing board to the Commissioner of Public Works, authorizing and directing him and them to perform certain duties relating to drainage, to purchase machinery, tools, dredges, and appliances therefor, to improve and rectify water channels, to erect works necessary and incident to said drainage, to condemn land and property for the purposes aforesaid, making certain acts a felony, and making an appropriation of money for the purposes of this act," approved March 17, 1897, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof; also repealing

an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, duties and compensation of a Debris Commissioner, and to make an appropriation to be expended under his directions in the discharge of his duties as such commissioner," approved March 24, 1893, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof; also repealing an act entitled "An act to create the office of Lake Tahoe Wagon Road Commissioner, providing the term of office and compensation of such commissioner, defining his duties, and making an appropriation for the salary and expenditures provided for and authorized by this act" approved April 1, 1897, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof," approved March 11, 1907, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof by amending section 10 thereof, relating to officers and employees of Department of Engineering, their power, duties and salaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 356—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Political Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 357—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 358—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No 359—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 13, 1923, relating to banks of deposit.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 360—An act to amend section 159 of the "California Vehicle Act" approved May 30, 1923, relating to disposition of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 361—An act to amend section 1035 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to interest and cost of court

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 362—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance and government of water storage district, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for irrigation of lands in such district, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith, and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act and conferring upon the State

Engineer certain additional duties and powers in connection with the carrying out of the purposes of said act and providing for the appointment of directors to assist the State Engineer in so doing and defining such duties and powers; and repealing the California Irrigation Act approved June 4, 1915, and all acts amendatory thereof." approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Messrs. Coombs and McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 363—An act ceding and turning over to the State of California certain improved county highways in Napa County at a point where the same intersects the State highway in Napa County leading to Sacramento; thence southerly to the northerly end of the city of Vallejo, in Solano County, and continuing from the southerly boundary of the city of Vallejo in a southerly direction to the Straits of Carquinez, and including such parts of the road along said route owned by private persons in Solano County; providing that all of said highways and roads shall be placed under the supervision of the State Highway Commission.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the District Courts of Appeal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 365—An act to amend section 1549 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of real estate at private sale in estates of deceased persons

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Heisinger. Assembly Bill No. 367—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to arson.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management, control and transfer of real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No 370—An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges of the county of Ventura.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No 371—An act to repeal section 158 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the residence of superior judges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No 372—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language: to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties, and upon property and rights of way owned by counties, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, by amending the title thereof and by adding two sections thereto to be numbered sections 5 and 6, relating to powers and duties of boards of supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No 374—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No 375—An act to amend section 19*x*15 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 376—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*r*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in Riverside county.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Fry: Assembly Bill No. 377—An act requiring that common carriers of persons carry first aid kits or supplies; providing rules and regulations therefor and penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No. 378—An act to amend an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an industrial welfare commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 379—An act for the government of the "Sutro Library."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries.

By Mr. Jacobson (by request): Assembly Bill No. 380—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code relating to the support of children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Levey: Assembly Bill No 381—An act regulating the securing of wine for sacramental purposes, providing rules and regulations therefor and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 382—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 629*b*, relating to group insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend section 822 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with misdemeanors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 821 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with felonies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 4262 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to validate municipal bonds, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Mixter (by request): Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the

violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of labor of male and female drug clerks.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to repeal section 3831 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No 390—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs. Burns, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Miller, Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt, and Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 391—An act amending section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out and acquire a right of way or rights of way for a highway or highways from the county line of the city and county of San Francisco, in, to and through San Mateo County, and to construct the same at a location or locations to be selected by said commission; declaring and establishing the same as a State highway or State highways, authorizing any county or city and county to contribute money or property toward the construction and maintenance of said highway or highways; authorizing the California Highway Commission to accept said contributed money or property, and to place the same and any other unappropriated money which may come under the control of said California Highway Commission in the general fund of the California Highway Commission, which fund is hereby created," approved May 18, 1923, also amending the title of said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Scofield. Assembly Bill No. 392—An act to provide for the establishment, organization and government of municipal port districts; for the acquisition and construction by municipal port districts of harbor works and improvements, and for the development, operation, maintenance, control and management of harbors and other navigable waters therein; for the regulation and promotion of commerce, navigation and fishery by municipal port districts; for the incurring by such districts of bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of such works and improvements, and for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on bonds and for carrying on the operations of such districts; for the dissolution of municipal port districts and prescribing the procedure therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Roland: Assembly Bill No. 393—An act to amend sections 724, 725, 733, 859, 2220 and 2280 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to amend section 1873 of the Political Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating employment, hours, kinds, and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to disposition of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No 396—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prohibit employers or certain agents or representatives of employees from demanding or receiving any money or other consideration from an employee as a condition of employment or of continuing to perform services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to forbid managers, superintendents, foremen and other persons having authority from their respective employers to hire, employ, or direct the services of other persons in such employments, to demand or receive any fee, gift or other remuneration in consideration of any such hiring, employment or permission to continue to perform work or services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of Labor Statistics,' approved April 12, 1915," approved May 5, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so

issued," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, relating to assessment and collection of taxes

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said mining bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau, approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith,' approved June 16, 1913, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 1 and section 2 of an act entitled "An act requiring the payment into the State Treasury of all moneys belonging to the State, received by the various State institutions, commissions, and officers and directing the disposition of the same," approved March 17, 1899, as amended, relating to the payment of State money into the treasury and abolishing certain special funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department and to assess and collect taxes from time to time for such purposes, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 404—An act to amend section 31 of the Penal Code, relative to who are principal in the commission of a crime.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Lyons and Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 405—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the Supreme Court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 406—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 379, relating to records of certain corporations and inspection thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 408—An act relating to the manufacture and sale of evaporated milk and milk products; providing ingredients to be used in such manufacture; prohibiting certain substitutes in such products; and providing penalties for a violation of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No. 409—An act to amend chapter of title IX of part III of the Political Code, embracing sections 3839 to 3856, both inclusive, providing for the levy and collection of poll taxes pursuant to the provisions of section 12 of article XIII of the State constitution as adopted November 4, 1924.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 411—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 412—An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties, and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities and agents, agents' employees and by other persons or corporations, creating 'The Railroad Commission fund,' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, repealing title XV, of part IV, of division I of the Civil Code, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No 413—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 337*b*, relating to the publication, distribution, selling or giving away of tips or other information concerning horse races, or betting upon horse races.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No 415—An act to prevent all persons not eligible to citizenship in the State of California, or in the United States of America, from catching or taking fish or shellfish in the waters of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 416—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation, and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend sections 2322, 2322*a*, 2322*b*, 2322*c*, 2322*d*, 2322*e*, 2322*f*, 2322*g*, 2322*h*, 2322*i*, and 2322*j* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 418—An act to require every corporation or person, their lessees, trustees, receivers or trustees appointed by any court whatsoever, owning, controlling, operating or managing any automobile, jitney bus, auto truck, stage or auto stage used in the business of transportation of persons or property or as a common carrier for compensation over any public highway in this State, to procure licenses to permit them to continue to so operate for any distance whatsoever along any public highway; and providing for the issuance of such license and fixing fees to be paid for and under such licenses; and fixing penalties for violations of this act; and authorizing certain proceedings by and before the Railroad Commission in connection therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Dayton: Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 420—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the forty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No 421—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 422—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage; providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, relating to minimum salaries of women

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr Pierce: Assembly Bill No 423—An act to add a new section to be numbered 52*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by public utilities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the

supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 426—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages, and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to amend section 685 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of an execution after five years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No 429—An act to authorize the legislative body of any city, county school district or other public corporation to employ the service of trained experts, and pay the cost thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 430—An act defining the power of municipalities to establish the grades of those portions of any State or county highway lying within their boundaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Sewell Assembly Bill No 431—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to superior court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 432—An act to provide for the prevention of forest fires in the San Antonio Canyon in the San Gabriel Mountains, California, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 433—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,' approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to the sale and use of veronal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr Crittenden: Assembly Bill No 434—An act to amend section 18½ of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 435—An act declaring the present highway from Malin on the Oregon state line and leading therefrom through Lookout and Bieber to Susanville, California, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to authorize the making of a survey, and the preparation of plans and estimates, and the construction of a highway from the town of Alturas, in Modoc County, to New Pine Creek on the Oregon-California line by the most direct and practical route connecting with the Oregon State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 437—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges of Lassen County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 438—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Davies-Johnson Lumber Company against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 439—An act declaring the public highway extending from Downieville, California, to Sierra City, California, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 440—An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of herbs, roots or other nature products used in the administering of sickness or treating diseases of a human being and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Messrs. McDonough and West: Assembly Bill No. 441—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to

the meaning of the term "injury" as used in said act, and removing the defense of the statute of limitations in certain cases of injury.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 442—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of representatives of the Pitt River Indian tribe to Washington, District of Columbia.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and compensation of officers in counties of the forty-first class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

Also: Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend sections 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, relating to the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the hunting of wild birds and animals and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation and restoration," approved March 27, 1909, as amended, relating to license fees

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 448—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the erection and equipment of State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No 449—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to the fees of the Secretary of State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

By Mr Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No 450—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, mainte-

nance and use of entrances and exits in certain buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated towns, incorporated cities and counties; to provide for its enforcement and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 2½, 3, 5, 7, 15, 17, 21¼, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38, and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended and to add nine new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, 22*a*, and 28½

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No 452—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 453—An act to abolish the labor bureau contingent fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No 455—An act authorizing and empowering the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California to conduct investigation of streams, stream system, lakes or other bodies of water, to investigate either or both surface and underground water conditions, to collect records of diversion and use of water, to supervise distribution of water in accordance with agreements therefor, to do all or any of such work either independently or in cooperation with a State or federal agency, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Schmidt: Assembly Bill No 456—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco State Teachers College.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Normal Schools.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 531*a*, relating to returns on writs of attachments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 458—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered section 531*a*, relating to executions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 459—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Hartranft and Murray: Assembly Bill No. 462—An act to provide for the survey of the Santa Ana River watershed and basin to determine the work necessary and proper to be done for flood control of the Santa Ana River and its tributaries, providing for an appropriation therefor and expenditure thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Hartranft (by request): Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 464—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 2640 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of officers over highways.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 467—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 10*a*, relating to the filing of records of diversion and use of water.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Hornblower. Assembly Bill No. 468—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act defining criminal syndicalism and sabotage, prescribing certain acts and methods in connection therewith and in pursuance thereof and providing penalties and punishments therefor," approved April 30, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1238 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exercise of the right of eminent domain.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 470—An act to establish a Department of Mines and Minerals for the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No 471—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and providing for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 472—An act to amend section 11 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act creating an 'industrial accident fund' and appropriating moneys therein," approved May 26, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: (by request): Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: (by request): Assembly Bill No. 475—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 476—An act to amend section 132 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decrees of divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 477—An act to amend section 546 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of the sheriff.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476b, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 479—An act to amend section 284 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens of an attorney.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to appropriate money to be used as a revolving fund by the Sixth District Agricultural Association for the purpose of creating, installing and maintaining special expositions at Exposition Park, Los Angeles," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the disposition of funds

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No 481—An act to amend section 2150 of the Political Code, relating to hospital funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No 482—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to funds of the said society.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No 483—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom prisons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to recognize and declare valid the Little Rock Midland Irrigation District, and all proceedings in relation thereto and to the organization thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 486—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 10, 14, 15, and 19 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government, and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 487—An act to amend section 2167*b* of the Political Code, relating to psychopathic parole.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs. Easley and West: Assembly Bill No. 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge, and from the south end of the said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half miles south of the new bridge, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 753 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the Supreme Court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 760 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the courts of appeals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Bill No. 493—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 1612*b*, and relating to school district budgets and school district taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 494—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the support of vocational re-education and rehabilitation of workmen disabled in industry in this State, and to create a fund for these purposes to be known as the industrial rehabilitation fund by fixing an additional liability upon all employees liable under said act in cases where employees received fatal compensatable injury and leave no dependents," approved May 2, 1919, relating to the disposition of fees

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 495—An act to protect poultry from contagious and infectious diseases and to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend sections 2293 and 2298 of the Political Code, and to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the library fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Mixter (by request): Assembly Bill No. 497—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, provided forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code relating to salaries, compensation, and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-ninth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 499—An act to amend the title and sections 16, 21, and 24 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody, and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation

committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909 as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the creation of a juvenile court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the confinement, care and reformation of delinquent women, to provide for its maintenance, conduct and government, to provide for commitment and admission thereto and to make an appropriation therefor," approved May 3, 1913, relating to deposit of moneys.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Also: Assembly Bill No. 501—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide for the credit on forthcoming taxes of certain life insurance companies of taxes heretofore erroneously collected from said insurance companies under the provisions of section 13 of article XIV of the constitution of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 503—An act to regulate the racing of horses in the State of California, and to establish a State Racing Commission, and to define its powers and duties, and prescribing a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Oliva: Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to common carriers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr Campbell: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 13—Proposed amendment to article I of the constitution, relative to qualification of voters to vote on bond issues

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments

By Messrs. Cleveland, Little, Mueller, Spence, Louttit, Nielsen, McPherson, Campbell, Cloudman, and Schmidt: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6—Relative to requesting the State Athletic Commission of California to give preference to any post of the American Legion or any other duly recognized organization of veterans of any war of the United States in the matter of granting boxing or wrestling permits.

Introduced, without reference to Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 344—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for salaries and support of the State Department of Agriculture for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 5—Approving amendment to the charter of the county of San Bernardino, State of California.

Also Senate Joint Resolution No. 6—Approving amendments to the charter of the city of San Bernardino, State of California

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above joint resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr Cleveland asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6, at this time, without reference to committee or printer and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIX.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 6—Relative to requesting the State Athletic Commission of California to give preference to any post of the American Legion or any other duly recognized organization of veterans of any war of the United States in the matter of granting boxing or wrestling permits.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons McDonough, McDowell, McPherson,

Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—74

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6 ordered to engrossment.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 6.

Relative to requesting the State Athletic Commission of California to give preference to any post of the American Legion or any other duly recognized organization of veterans of any war of the United States in the matter of granting boxing or wrestling permits.

WHEREAS, The people of the State of California at the last general election favorably approved and adopted proposition number seven relating to boxing and wrestling contests; and,

WHEREAS, Certain individual posts of the American Legion, other duly recognized veteran organizations and individual veterans were very active and instrumental in securing the passage of said proposition number seven; and,

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the members of the Legislature that certain posts of the American Legion have applied for permits to grant them the privilege of holding boxing contests under and by virtue of the provisions of said proposition number seven; and,

WHEREAS, It appears that said request for boxing permits by the American Legion posts have been denied;

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, That the State Athletic Commission of California be and the same is hereby requested to give preference to posts of the American Legion, or any other duly organized veteran organization in granting permanent boxing permits whenever it is possible;

Resolved, further, That a copy of this resolution be sent to each of the members of the said Athletic Commission of California and a copy to the Governor of the State of California.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Murphy asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 18, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18—Relating to protection of certain navigable waters in the State of California

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 18

Relating to protection of certain navigable waters in the State of California.

WHEREAS, The flow of lava and mud from Mount Shasta has seriously threatened the navigation of certain rivers in the northern part of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, The flow of such lava and mud, and debris into the rivers is threatening the fisheries of the State with serious injury; and

WHEREAS, There has been introduced into the House of Representatives of the United States a certain bill (H. R. 11065, sixty-eighth Congress, second session) which is commonly called the Raker bill, which provides for an investigation of the problem caused by such volcanic ash, mud and other material from Mount Shasta, California, the passage of which would be of great benefit to the State of California, wherefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California urgently petitions and requests the passage of the bill known as the Raker bill; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate is directed to send copies of these resolutions to the chairman of the rivers and harbors committees in the Senate and House of Representatives, and to the United States engineer in charge of rivers and harbors development, and to the Senators and Representatives of the State of California in Congress.

MOTION TO EXTEND HOUR OF RECESS.

Mr. Eksward moved that the hour of recess be extended.

Motion carried.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Mr. Dillinger asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, at this time, without reference to file and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER THREE.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to memorializing congress to adopt a bill introduced by Honorable John E. Raker to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3 ordered to engrossment.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill introduced by Honorable John E. Raker to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, Honorable John E. Raker, member of the Congress of the United States, representing the second district of California therein, has introduced a bill in the House of Representatives being H. R. 8844 which provides: "That the United States government hereby assumes, subject to the conditions of this act or any subsequent act of Congress, the payment to the several states of sums of money equivalent to the amounts which such states would receive from the taxation of said lands of the United States within their respective borders if such lands were owned by individuals", and

WHEREAS, Under act of the Congress of the United States approved March 3, 1891, large areas of territory with the timber and other resources thereon and therein were "set apart, reserved, and withdrawn from entry" in the states of California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Arizona and New Mexico and in a lesser degree in several of the other states of the Union; and

WHEREAS, The United States government has withdrawn, set apart and reserved within permanent national forests 18,891,161 acres of land within the State of

California, approximating one-fifth of the total land area of the State, said lands being set apart, withdrawn from entry and reserved for the purpose of conserving the resources thereof and particularly the standing timber thereon for the benefit of future generations of mankind, and

WHEREAS, The lands of the United States above referred to, comprising in several of the counties to upwards of one-half of the area within the borders of the counties and although exempt from annual taxation are being put to commercial and industrial uses for the benefit of all of the people of the United States which fact places these lands on the same basis as to use as privately owned lands used for the same purpose, and said lands of the United States are in competition with said privately owned lands, and the setting aside, reserving and withdrawing from entry of these large areas of territory in the sparsely settled forest counties and on which the United States pays no taxes results in throwing a heavy tax burden on privately owned property in the same political subdivision of government thus making the financing of local government a difficult problem indeed; and

WHEREAS, This area is not and can not be taxed by any of the thirty-nine counties of California wherein this vast domain is situated, although each of said counties are required to and do perform therein and thereon all necessary and requisite police powers, equip, maintain and operate schools, equip, maintain and operate courts for the punishment of offenders against the forest and other laws, construct, repair and maintain trails, roads and bridges and to do and perform such other acts, duties and powers as may be necessary to the enjoyment of such forests by the people of the United States as well as of other nations, and

WHEREAS, When state government was instituted and the several states admitted into the Union they were divided into counties, and townships and each of the states, counties and townships were guaranteed the full right of enjoyment of all of the territory and resources within their respective borders and the declared policy of the United States government being to dispose of all of the public domain and article X of the declaration of rights which formed the basis for the union of the states provides that "No state shall be deprived of territory for the benefit of the United States." In setting apart, reserving and withdrawing from entry 19,000,000 acres of land for national forest purposes within the boundaries of a single state, surely territory has been taken from that state for the benefit of the United States, and

WHEREAS, The following clause is contained in the enabling act of every state admitted into the Union, beginning with Ohio in 1803 "The state when admitted shall be on a basis of equality with the original states in all respects whatever" Therefore all political subdivisions of government should be on a basis of equality, which makes it necessary for all to contribute on a basis of equality to the solution of all problems of national necessity (and we deem the national forests to be national necessities), and if in so doing it becomes necessary to take territory and resources from some of the subdivisions of government and "set apart, reserve or withdraw" the same from entry for the benefit of all of the others, then those benefited should join in reimbursing the subdivisions of government from which the territory and resources were taken, otherwise there can be no basis of equality, and

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States has enacted legislation known as the "exchange bills" under the provisions of which said law, private owners are enabled to exchange cut-over lands for standing timber on the lands of the United States, and since said law has become operative private owners have availed themselves of the right granted to them under said law and have conveyed hundreds of thousands of acres of such lands to the United States and have received in exchange, hundreds of millions of feet of standing virgin timber from the United States, and as a result of the operation of such legislation, counties in which such exchange have been made or in which such exchanges may hereafter be made, have had or will have taken from them and removed from the assessment rolls of such counties, many thousands of dollars in assessed valuation, and in addition to this loss of assessed valuation such counties are losing the percentage which they would receive were a sale made instead of an exchange, and as Colonel Greeley, Chief Forester of the United States, has said of this law, "The forest counties lose both going and coming", and

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States has enacted the so-called Clark-McNary Law, and under the provisions of section seven of said law, private owners are enabled to donate or devise to the United States lands chiefly valuable for the growing of forests, the private owner reserving the timber, mineral, grazing and other rights and when so conveyed become a part of the national forest reserve and not open to entry or taxation, and should timber owners in some of the counties in several of the western states exercise their just right under this law and convey their said lands to the United States thus taking from the assessment rolls of the counties the immense valuation involved and the right of taxation, it will result in putting many of the forest counties of the west out of business, such counties will be unable to raise sufficient revenue to maintain county government, and if such counties are annexed to a nonforest county in the same state the county to which it is annexed will receive not an asset but a liability and

WHEREAS, It is only just and right that a heavy burden of local taxation should not be placed annually on the people of any state, in which and by reason of the fact that extensive areas of territory having great natural resources, guaranteed to

them in the beginning and later legislated from them, set apart, reserved and withdrawn from entry for the economic use and benefit of all of the people of the United States, and we believe that if the government of the United States can not afford to finance its national forests, then in right and justice it should not expect the sparsely settled forest counties to do so for it; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate, jointly That the Legislature of the State of California approves of the purpose of the Raker bill referred to and respectfully request its support and adoption by the Congress of the United States at the earliest possible date; and be it further

Resolved, That any moneys to be paid to the State of California by the United States under the provisions of the Raker bill or any similar bill, or any law enacted by the Congress of the United States, based on forest values of the forest counties of California shall be divided among said forest counties in proportion to the forest values fixed by the United States Bureau of Public Roads. *Provided*, that by the term "forest counties" is meant those counties of California, a part of which are in the present national forests; *and provided, further*, that any portion of the timber sale, grazing or other receipts of national forests returned by the federal government to the State of California, are excepted herefrom; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly of the State of California be authorized and directed to transmit copies of this resolution by mail to the governors of the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada, Colorado, New Mexico, and Arizona with the request that similar action be taken by their respective legislatures; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly of the State of California be authorized and directed to transmit copies of this resolution by mail to all of the members of the Congress and Senate of the United States.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Hornblower asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3, at this time, without reference to file

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER THREE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 3—Approving eighteen certain amendments to the charter of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city and county of San Francisco, at a general election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Loutfit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence Walters, Weller, Wemple West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, and Wright, T M.—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No 3.

Approving eighteen certain amendments to the charter of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city and county of San Francisco at a general election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Bernard asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 344, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER THREE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 344—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for salaries of director and employees and support of the State Department of Agriculture, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read second time.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Wright, T. M., the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 344 was made a special order for Thursday at eleven o'clock a.m.

Assembly Bill No. 344 ordered to engrossment.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Coombs asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 14, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOURTEEN.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14—Relative to the proposed formation of a bridge and highway district for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the Golden Gate from the city and county of San Francisco to the county of Marin

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 14.

Relative to the proposed formation of a bridge and highway district for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the Golden Gate from the city and county of San Francisco to the county of Marin.

WHEREAS, The war department of the government of the United States has recently approved the general plan placed before it for the construction of a bridge to span the Golden Gate from the city and county of San Francisco to the county of Marin; and

WHEREAS, Steps are now about to be taken for the formation of a bridge and highway district under the laws of the State of California for the purpose of constructing said bridge and the approaches thereto; and

WHEREAS, Said bridge will, when completed, form a much needed link in the chain of the famous highway system of the State of California, and afford service, convenience and economy of transportation to its citizens, as well as a marvelous attraction to sightseers and tourists, and will be a valuable asset in time of war; and

WHEREAS, Said bridge will be a monument to engineering skill and public enterprise, now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and the Assembly of the State of California, That we endorse the project of forming a bridge and highway district, as an agency of the State of California, for the purpose of building said bridge, and urge upon the boards of supervisors of the respective counties affected by the proposed district the desirability and urgency of pressing the necessary resolutions and ordinances to effect the speedy organization of such bridge and highway district; and be it further

Resolved, That we extend to the war department of the United States Government the appreciation of the Senate and the Assembly of the State of California for its favorable and helpful consideration in the past, and most respectfully urge that such further consideration be extended to the project as will enable its early completion, and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of War of the United States.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Murphy asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 16, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIXTEEN.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 16—Relating to federal harbor development at Crescent City.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 16.

Relating to federal harbor development at Crescent City.

WHEREAS, The federal government has heretofore approved the projected construction of a jetty at the Crescent City harbor for a distance of 3000 feet at an estimated cost of $490,000, the expenditures therefor by the federal government to be matched or equaled by local interests or other sources; and

WHEREAS, More than 2200 feet of such jetty has been constructed, and between 700 and 800 feet thereof remains uncompleted, the said amount of $490,000 having been expended and expenditures of the federal government having been equaled by the county of Del Norte through a bond issue; and

WHEREAS, The completion of said jetty is of great importance in establishing a harbor of refuge to coast navigation as well as the commercial and industrial development of northwestern California and southwestern Oregon; and

WHEREAS, The county of Del Norte is unable to assume further bonded indebtedness to secure funds to be available under existing federal restrictions; now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Congress of the United States is most respectfully urged to include in the pending rivers and harbors appropriation bill, or such other bills as may be necessary, a sufficient amount to complete said proposed jetty without the requirement or condition that federal expenditures therefor be matched by contribution from local or other sources, and that the United States engineers in charge of or making recommendations on said project is most respectfully urged to make their recommendations for the completion of said project, with the estimated amount necessary therefor, without the condition of contribution thereto from other sources; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the chairman of the rivers and harbors committee, to the California representatives in Congress, to the United States district engineer at San Francisco, California, and to the chief engineer of the army board of engineers at Washington, D. C.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Little asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER FIVE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 5—Approving fifteen (15) certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of December, 1924.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dortis, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5 ordered to engrossment.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 5

Approving fifteen (15) certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of December, 1924

ADJOURNMENT.

At one o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a m., Thursday, January 22, 1925

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, January 22, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge Dortis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Rev. John H. Ellis of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Dillinger, its further reading was dispensed with.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Major B. F. Rice of Tracy was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Wright, T. M. former Lieutenant Governor of California A. J. Wallace was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Mr. R. L. Horton of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Gertrude Memmler of the Leland Stanford Junior High School of Sacramento and the following pupils: Vera Brooks, Iris Durst, Louis Evans, Violet Orminski, Henrietta Lower, Viva Stark, Lucille Rodby, Mary Greule, Emma Jacobson, Lucille Pollicita, Claire Henley, Henrietta Baker, Evelyn Mossup, Nancy Grant, Katherine Greule, Annie Terando, Georgiaemery Rudland, Helen Clayton, Flora Carson, Elizabeth Buck, Verna Evans, La Vern Sieggreen, Helen Twohig, Gladys Shelley, Guy Morley, Er Wood Greenwalt, Henry Schultze, William McKinley, Frank Murrels, Lawrence Nickells, Clyde Johnson, Tyler Crowell, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Easley, Miss M. E. Rahill of the Mt. Diablo Union High School of Contra Costa County, and the following pupils: Barnett Hollenbeck, Bernard Hagen, Dorothy Tange, Helen Parsons, James Patton, Lance Jarman, Norbert Gehringher, Ella Dirkes, Evelyn Jarman, Frank Devencenzi, John Pedrizetti, Georganna Duncen, Jessie Mauzy, Eveline Voelker, Ardene Vessing, Eugene Gaddes, Kenneth Trimmingham, George Barnett, Cornelius McLaughlin, Dorothy Putnam, David Osborne, Bathilda Fischer, Kenneth Guest, Jack Haugh, Lawrence Olson, Rene Narberes, Clyde Humphrey, Stanley Williams, De Wolf Miller, John Davis, Judy Davis, Ida Elling, Della Alden, Gladys Frederickson, Louise Benson, Aileen Kane, Thomas Kane, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

The following petitions were presented, and ordered printed in the Journal.

By Mr. Crittenden:

IN THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF LODI.

WHEREAS, The constitution of the State of California was amended in 1911 to provide for division of the sessions of the State Legislature into two periods so that the people of the State might be informed of pending legislation before the same was enacted into law, and

WHEREAS, Bills introduced in the first part of each session, as by the above amendment provided, have not been printed and distributed to interested citizens in time so that they might be advised of their content, be it

Resolved, Therefore, that this board respectfully asks the Senator and Assemblyman from this district to use all means possible to have bills introduced in the first part of the legislative session printed and distributed to interested citizens as soon as possible after the conclusion of the said first part of the session; be it also

Resolved, That the clerk of this board be, and he is hereby instructed, to mail copies of this resolution to the Senator and Assemblyman representing the district of which this city is a part.

Passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the board of trustees of the city of Lodi held Monday, January 19, 1925.

HALE,
SHATTUCK,
METTLER,
ROACH,
SPOONER,
Trustees

Attest J F BLAKELY, City Clerk.

By Mr. Speaker:

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB,
LONG BEACH, January 17, 1925.

Honorable Assembly, Sacramento, California

GENTLEMEN It has been with considerable interest that the Business and Professional Women's Club of Long Beach has watched for the Assembly vote on the Federal Child Labor Law. As a club we wish to express our approval of your ratification of this bill, which has our unanimous support. Positive evidence that faith in our representatives is well placed is both pleasing and gratifying

Yours truly,

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB.
MARGARET OHL, Corresponding Secretary.

Also:

Be it resolved that

WHEREAS, The Legislature of California has endorsed the National Child Labor Law Amendment, and

WHEREAS, We, the Seattle Council of Parent-Teacher Associations favor this amendment, be it therefore

Resolved, That we send a message of congratulation to the Speaker of the House in Sacramento, California.

MRS JOHN G. MATTHEWS,
President Seattle Council.

January 13, 1925.

Also:

GLENDALE, CALIFORNIA, January 17, 1925.

Hon. Frank Merriam,
Speaker of the State Assembly,
Sacramento, California

MR. SPEAKER: Will you please tell the members of the Assembly that the California Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations, at its executive board meeting held Tuesday, January 13, 1925, Mrs. Hugh Bradford, presiding, heard with great pleasure the report of the child labor department of the ratification of the Child Labor Amendment and advised the chairman of the department to express to the members of the Assembly its great happiness and its appreciation that California leads in this legislation

Very sincerely,

MRS. JOHN ROBERT WHITE, JR.,
Chairman California Congress of
Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations

Also:

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY,
SAN FRANCISCO, January 19, 1925

Legislative Assembly,
Capitol Building, Sacramento California

WHEREAS, The so-called Absent Voters' Law is so worded that it is impossible for disabled veterans to vote at their place of residence while they are confined in the various hospitals in the direction of the federal government, and

WHEREAS, It is a great hardship upon said veterans not to be able to vote under said absent voters' law, therefore be it

Resolved, By the American Legion Auxiliary, Unit No. 61, of Sacramento Post No 61, Department of California, that the Legislature of the State of California be requested to so amend said law that it will permit veterans confined in our various hospitals to vote under the terms of said law. And be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution is sent to our representatives in the Legislature.

IMELDA DAVIS ARCHIMEDE,
Committeewoman for the Third District.
Per ELIZABETH I DRENDELL,
Department Secretary-Treasurer.

Also:

WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION,
LOS ANGELES COUNTY, January 14, 1925

To the Honorable Members of the Assembly of California.

GENTLEMEN AND LADIES

WHEREAS, For some years the legislation of California has ignored or disobeyed the State constitution by refusing to make a just apportionment of representation in the State; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Executive Committee of the Los Angeles County Woman's Christian Temperance Union in meeting assembled implore you that as speedily as possible you carry out the law regarding apportionment of representation as expressed in the constitution of our State.

Most respectfully,

DR. LEN HUTCHINS,
MRS. MARIAN B. SCARCE,
MRS. BERNICE JOHNSON,
Committee

J. V. BANNISTER, Secretary.

By Mr. Easley:

WHEREAS, The plan for a divided session of the Legislature was devised for the purpose of giving the people an opportunity to become familiar with proposed measures during the legislative recess, and

WHEREAS, In past sessions of the Legislature the printing and sending out of such measures has been delayed to the extent that the citizens have had no opportunity to read or study such measures during such recess, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the council of the city of Richmond that the Legislature now in session be urged and requested to take such steps as may be necessary to bring about a speedy printing and distribution of all measures introduced during the first half of the session so that the spirit and purpose of the divided session may be carried out. Be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be forwarded to our State Senator, Will R. Sharkey, and to our Assemblyman, Robert P. Easley.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Approving the charter of the city of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Los Angeles, upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixth day of May, 1924—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

SEWELL, Chairman

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the controversy between the city of Los Angeles and the county of Inyo involving the taking of the waters of Inyo county by the said city of Los Angeles—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to memorializing congress to adopt a bill introduced by Honorable John E. Raker to provide compensation in lieu of taxes

tor the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported joint resolution ordered transmitted to the Senate

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature for the constitutional recess and to the reassembling of the Legislature after said recess and fixing the date for said adjournment and said reassembling—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-first day of January, 1925, at one o'clock and forty-five minutes p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 344—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of director and employees and support of the State Department of Agriculture, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Approving fifteen (15) certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of December, 1924,

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 6—Relative to requesting the State Athletic Commission of California to give preference to any post of the American Legion or any other duly recognized organization of veterans of any war of the United States in the matter of granting boxing and wrestling permits;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolutions ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 486—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 10, 14, 15, and 19 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

SPECIAL MESSAGE ON TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SALARY ACT.

To the Senate and Assembly.

The financial condition of the Public School Teachers' Retirement System is in such an alarming state that it deserves your earnest consideration. The report of the actuary to the Board of Education shows that the fund is now from an actuarial standpoint insolvent to the extent of more than thirty million dollars In 1919 an actuary reported to the former Board of Education that the fund was then insolvent to the amount of twenty-five million dollars At the 1923 session of the Legislature, Senate Bill 127 was passed amending the Teachers' Retirement Salary Act, and delivered to me on the day the Legislature adjourned I declined to sign the bill for the reason that the whole scheme appeared unsound and the great majority of

teachers who were paying into the fund would never receive a dollar in return. In a statement issued at that time I said

"I have made a careful examination of the Teachers' Retirement Act and of Senate Bill 127 amending the act. I have read the report of the actuaries who have investigated the subject, have conferred with the Insurance Commissioner, the Board of Control, and others in regard to this matter. From this investigation I am forced to conclude that the present law is unsound, that the fund is now insolvent, and that it is only a question of a few years when the crash will come. Senate Bill 127 will not improve this desperate condition but may make it worse. This bill increases the pension to teachers from $500 to $720 a year, increases the tax on teachers from $12 to $24 a year, and changes the State payment from 5 per cent on inheritance taxes to an amount similar to that paid by teachers. The increase in the cost to the State, in the opinion of the State Controller, would be $350,000 for the next biennial period.

"On first investigation it was my desire to sign the bill, but when my attention was called to the report of the actuary and I dug deeper I found the proposition so fundamentally unsound that I could not, in justice to the teachers, double their assessments when there is so little hope of the great majority ever receiving a cent of benefit; and in justice to the taxpayers sinking their money in a scheme having so little financial stability.

"Notwithstanding the warning of the actuary, the sponsors of this plan have gone ahead with seeming little dread of the insolvency that awaits the fund within the next few years. It is evident that the pension plan will be of help to those teachers who are now receiving pensions for a very few years, and that when the crash comes these older teachers will receive no further compensation, and that the great majority of young teachers who have poured their savings into this financially unsound scheme will receive nothing whatever in return. For me to approve this bill and double the tax on teachers in the face of the instability of the plan, would be a gross injustice to which I will not be a party.

"I propose to have this matter looked into during the next two years in the hope that some plan may be devised for the 1925 Legislature which will rescue this fund from insolvency."

After the adjournment of the 1923 Legislature, I took the matter up with the Insurance Commissioner and he employed a high-class actuary who made a careful examination and reported to the Board of Education. The actuary states that the commitments at the present time are no less than $32,848,543.05, while there is only $2,300,000 on hand and invested. The actuary says that the condition of the retirement fund is not unique but is simply a repetition of the history of nearly every public and private pension system. He says that the present plan has been unsound and unsafe from the start. I am submitting to you herewith the report of the actuary for your careful consideration. As I am not an expert on insurance and was not the author or in any way responsible for this pension plan, I have no advice to give you other than that contained in the report of the actuary.

I am submitting the report to you because I believe the public should have the fullest information and that the thousands of teachers who are paying money into this fund every month should know the full facts, and how little the possibility of their ever receiving a dollar in return. Whether it is possible to make this plan workable without too great an assessment upon the teachers and too heavy a financial burden upon the taxpayers is a subject which I leave for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON,
Governor of the State of California.

Dated January 21, 1925.

ACTUARIAL REPORT ON FINANCIAL CONDITION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUNDS AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 1924.

January 12, 1925.

To His Excellency, Friend W. Richardson,
Governor of the State of California,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR: At your suggestion, the members of the State Board of Education, under date of October 27, 1924, authorized my appointment as actuarial expert for the purpose of investigating the financial condition of the Public School Teachers' Retirement System.

I now have the honor, after an unavoidable delay, of submitting to you the attached report, copies of which I am transmitting today to the State Board of Education.

The condition as revealed in the report can only be considered in the light of an estimate, but one sufficiently reliable for immediate purposes to indicate a crying need for reorganization, thus confirming the views expressed by you two years ago, when you declined to give your approval to a temporizing amendment of the retirement law.

I bespeak your earnest consideration of the recommendations incorporated in the report, which aim at the solution of what undoubtedly constitutes one of the major financial problems confronting the State of California.

A no less disturbing phase of the present system is the certainty that the great majority of contributing teachers will be almost totally deprived of the benefits which they are being led to expect, unless energetic steps are taken to remedy the situation.

To permit this great injustice to continue on the convenient ground that it is neither generally known nor immediately being felt, is entirely inconsistent with the traditional solicitude of the people of California for the welfare of its public school teachers

Respectfully submitted.

S. GUNDELFINGER,
Actuary.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA,
January 12, 1925.

To the Honorable, the State Board of Education,
Sacramento, California.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN In compliance with the authority conferred upon me pursuant to your letter to the Honorable Will C Wood, Secretary of the State Board of Education, dated October 27, 1924, I have examined the available records of your board with a view to estimating the financial condition of the Public School Teachers' Permanent Fund and the Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary Fund from an actuarial point of view.

Subject to the qualifications hereinafter made, I estimate that on November 30, 1924, the commitments of the State of California arising from the operation of the laws dealing with the retirement of public school teachers exceed present and future resources arising from the operation of the same laws by a sum not less than $32,848,453 05.

This means that adequate provision under present laws for the obligations of the State to the present force of both active and retired teachers necessitates the accumulation of funds equivalent to a present investment of 33 million dollars earning 4 per cent interest per annum, in addition to the $2,300 000 now on hand and invested, and in addition to the contributions to be made in the future by and on behalf of the present teaching force

Any increase in the number of active teachers will require further provisions on a similar scale

The continuing ability of the system to meet its currently maturing obligations is being maintained solely at the expense of, and at a practically total loss to, the great majority of the present force of approximately 32,000 public school teachers.

BASIS OF ESTIMATE.

The statistical data underlying the estimate are incomplete, and this has necessitated the substitution of certain broad assumptions which are open to criticism from an actuarial point of view and render the valuation less reliable than that made five years ago by Mr. William Leslie on the basis of fairly complete and up-to-date information.

The number of active school teachers has increased in the interval from 21,000 to approximately 32,000 No information is available as to age, length of service, and location of service of the new entrants It has, therefore, been assumed that the new entrants are composed in these respects of groups substantially similar to those existing in 1919, with an appreciable modification in favor of the younger ages and of a lesser service record.

It has also seemed advisable in order to avoid the possibility of overstating the deficiency, to assume between the ages 18 and 33 substantially higher rates of withdrawal from active service than were used in the valuation of November, 1919 This has been done in deference to the view frequently expressed, although by no means substantiated by proof, that such withdrawals show a higher frequency in California than elsewhere

As a result, the estimate here presented and more fully analyzed in the accompanying financial statement and schedules, can not claim scientific accuracy, but it can and does claim to be an informed estimate of the financial condition of the system considered in the most favorable light compatible with safety. In short, the estimated deficiency of approximately thirty-three million dollars is almost certainly understated.

INTEREST.

It has been assumed that the funds of the system not disbursed for annuities earn interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, compounded annually, and it is believed that this rate is capable of attainment although it is doubtful whether it has been attained in the past. No attempt has been made to determine the actual rate of interest earnings, but a cursory examination of the record of the past ten years indicates that it does not exceed, and probably does not reach 3½ per cent per annum This is due partly to unavoidable periods of idleness to which not inconsiderable portions of the funds are from time to time condemned, and partly to the necessity of occasional purchases of securities above par value.

CAUSE OF DEFICIENCY.

The unfavorable condition of the retirement funds is not unique, but constitutes a repetition of the history of practically every public and many private pension systems. Two principal causes are responsible for it. To begin with a great number of prospective beneficiaries entering the system at the time of its establishment had to their credit a service record involving a large commitment on the part of the State, which then had no commensurate resources in the fund to offset these commitments. In the second place the contributions exacted from the teachers and made on their behalf in accordance with law are insufficient. As a result, a fraction only of the funds now on hand, invested, and accrued, has been contributed by retired teachers now drawing annuities, and nearly $2,000,000 more is required in contribution from and on behalf of active teachers to enable the fund to meet its liability to those retired.

NEED FOR REORGANIZATION.

In its decennial report covering the period August 10, 1913, to June 30, 1923, the Public Teachers' Retirement Salary Fund Board said

> "It is the impression of those in charge of the fund that the financial basis of the fund eventually will have to be revised, but that we have not yet had enough experience to show just what should be done, and that it is not wise to hurry about making a change, since the fund will evidently run on for a number of years before the expenditures will exceed the income."

The impression that the financial basis of the fund requires revision is not only completely confirmed as correct, but it is also apparent that the situation demands a speedy and fundamental reorganization. The State of California is now diverting funds contributed by active teachers to the benefit of retired teachers, with no prospect of being able to continue the process for an indefinite period. The remarkable growth in the number of active teachers, which is characteristic of the past, can not go on forever. On the other hand, the number of annual retirements is bound to increase with the passage of time. The relative volume of cash expenditures to cash receipts, so far from being an index of safety, has no bearing on the question of solvency other than being dangerously misleading.

CALIFORNIA EXPERIENCE.

To establish a basis for a scientifically unassailable and practically accurate determination of rates of contribution, it is imperative that the rates of separation and retirement actually obtaining among teachers in California be currently observed and currently recorded. To this end, information similar to that gathered in 1919, and pertaining to new entrants, is essential. In addition, current reports of all changes in the status of active teachers are indispensable. Without the former data, successive valuations become less and less reliable; without the latter, no intelligent adjustment of rates to changing conditions is possible.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

It is therefore urgently recommended that the Public School Teachers' Retirement Salary Fund Board secure legal authority to exact the information and reports above referred to from individual teachers and from the proper school officials, as the case may be, and that complete experience observation records be currently maintained, commencing at the earliest feasible date, under competent actuarial direction.

The inadequacy of present rates of contributions, and the consequent inevitable state of insolvency into which the fund is rapidly drifting, forbids the application of these rates to new entrants. It is therefore recommended that public school teachers entering the service after a convenient fixed date in the near future be relieved from the burdens and excluded from the benefits of the present retirement law, without prejudice to vested, accrued and inchoate rights, and that enactment be secured of a new retirement law, applicable to all public school teachers entering the service after such date, and embodying provision insuring a continually sound financial condition.

For the latter purpose, any one of the four plans suggested by Mr. William Leslie in connection with the valuation made by him in 1919, possesses the virtue of adequacy. Periodical adjustment of rates, based upon experience indications of the observation records hereinbefore recommended, should be expressly provided for.

For reasons which will presently appear, the choice of a plan is suggested which provides for the return, upon separation from the service for any cause except retirement with an annuity, of the teacher's individual contributions, together with interest at 4 per cent per annum, compounded annually.

It is apparent that the elimination of new entrants from the operation of the present retirement law has no effect upon the condition of the present system. To reduce the deficiency in the present system to manageable proportions, it is necessary that the system be relieved of the commitments incurred by it in respect of a

considerable contingent of the 32,000 active teachers now embraced by it. Thus, it is believed, can be accomplished in the case of a large number of teachers not too far advanced in age or service, by according them the optional right to enter the new system with its refund and interest features, in consideration of a waiver of all rights vested in and accrued to the optionee under the present law. Adequate rates of contribution for such teachers can be developed, and it is believed that such a plan would be welcomed and accepted by many as a valuable inducement. The transfer of a large number of teachers from the old to the new system involves, of course, a curtailment of the current revenue of the former, equal to $12 per annum for each teacher transferred. The revenue from inheritance tax, however, would remain unimpaired, and the deficiency thus greatly reduced. This reduced deficiency, however, offers a far less difficult problem than the present excess of liabilities over assets. It is believed that the remaining deficit will be amenable to gradual amortization by a series of annual appropriations of relatively modest proportions.

The establishment of a new system for new entrants, with adequate rates of contribution, gives rise to a question concerning the source of such contributions. In this connection, I venture to suggest for your consideration the desirability of requiring the school districts, the immediate employers of the public school teacher, to share with the State and the teacher the cost of providing retirement salaries.

CONCLUSION

I take this opportunity of expressing my appreciation of the valuable assistance rendered me by the Assistant Secretary of your board, Miss Marion H. Ketcham, and to place myself at your disposal for any service which I may be able to render you.

Respectfully submitted

S. GUNDELFINGER,
Actuary.

ESTIMATE OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUND AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 1924.

LIABILITIES.

1.	Present value of annuities entered upon by retired teachers		$4,246,949 89*
2.	Present value of probable annuities to be granted to teachers now in active service		46,211,940 26*
	Total liabilities		$50,458,890 15

ASSETS

3	Cash in State Treasury	$111,085 52	
4	Investments	1,995,561 50	
5.	Inheritance tax accrued	184,280 50	
6	Present value of future contributions by present force of teachers	7,883,904 97*	
7.	Present value of probable future income from inheritance tax, based upon past ratio thereof to contributions from teachers	7,425,604 61	
	Total assets		$17,610,437 10
	Excess of liabilities over assets		$32,848,453 05

*Analyzed in schedule bearing the number of this item.

SCHEDULE 1

PRESENT VALUE OF ANNUITIES ENTERED UPON BY RETIRED TEACHERS.

Service annuities:			
155	Men	$600,308 26	
554	Women	2,676,835 05	
			$3,277,143 31
Disability annuities			
27	Men	$87,108 91	
232	Women	882,697 67	
			969,806 58
	Total		$4,246,949 89

SCHEDULE 2

PRESENT VALUE OF PROBABLE ANNUITIES TO BE GRANTED TO TEACHERS NOW IN ACTIVE SERVICE.

Non-contributors—		
Service annuities:		
Men	$341,312 00	
Women	2,742,513 00	
		$3,083,825 00
Disability annuities		
Men	39,052 20	
Women	635,384 43	
		674,436 63
Contributors—		
Service annuities:		
Men	$3,988,545 00	
Women	33,193,789 00	
		37,182,334 00
Disability annuities:		
Men	$344,394 22	
Women	4,926 950 41	
		5,271,344 63
Total		$46,211,940 26

SCHEDULE 6.

PRESENT VALUE OF FUTURE CONTRIBUTIONS BY PRESENT FORCE OF TEACHERS.

Non-contributors.		
390 Men	$86,348 77	
2,336 Women	519,536 87	
		$605,885 64
Contributors		
4,167 Men	$755,209 71	
25,107 Women	6,522,809 62	
		7,278,019 33
Total		$7,883,904 97

The Speaker referred the above message to the Committee on Education.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 141—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by vote not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipality voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 141 for further consideration at this time.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 141 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each House is hereby

dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the third time, and placed upon its passage

Mr. Eksward moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be adopted?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED FORTY-ONE.

Senate Bill No. 141—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by vote not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipality voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 141 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 1—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Piedmont, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the

qualified electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein on the first day of April, 1924.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 1

Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Piedmont, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein on the first day of April, 1924

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Approving amendments to the charter of the county of Tehama, State of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 4.

Approving amendments to the charter of the county of Tehama, State of California.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6—Approving amendments to the charter of the city of San Bernardino, State of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell,

Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 6.

Approving amendments to the charter of the city of San Bernardino, State of California.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Approving amendment to the charter of the county of San Bernardino, State of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fester, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 5.

Approving amendment to the charter of the county of San Bernardino, State of California.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Approving the charter of the city of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Los Angeles, upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixth day of May, 1924.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 2

Approving the charter of the city of Los Angeles, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Los Angeles, upon a special municipal election held therein on the sixth day of May, 1924.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the controversy between

the city of Los Angeles and the county of Inyo involving the taking of the waters of Inyo county by the said city of Los Angeles.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 ordered transmitted to the Senate

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

Providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the controversy between the city of Los Angeles and the county of Inyo involving the taking of the waters of Inyo County by the said city of Los Angeles.

WHEREAS, Certain differences have arisen between the city of Los Angeles and the people of the county of Inyo touching the question of the appropriation and diversion of the waters of Inyo County by and to the said city of Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, In order to avoid and prevent friction between the two said communities over said question and to settle, if possible, the friction caused thereby and to better inform this Legislature as to the said questions, it is advisable that a committee be appointed to study said several matters and to report back its findings after the constitutional recess;

Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly thereof concurring, That a committee consisting of two members of the Senate and two members of the Assembly be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly, respectively, and that the State Engineer and the Attorney General be members of said office, ex officio, to investigate said aforementioned questions and to report back its findings to this Legislature as soon after said constitutional recess as may be convenient;

Resolved, further, That the expenses of said investigation be borne equally by said Inyo County and said city of Los Angeles in a sum not to exceed $750 each, to be paid as required to the chairman of said committee who shall render an itemized statement of its expenditures to each of said contributors;

Resolved, That in the event that either the said city of Los Angeles or the said county of Inyo shall fail, refuse or neglect to bear its share of said expense as aforesaid, the other party may, at its option pay the entire expense;

Resolved, further, That said committee shall proceed with said investigation when satisfied that proper financial arrangements have been made to defray said expenses as hereinbefore stated, and not otherwise.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE.
SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 344, making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for salaries of director and employees and support of the State Department of Agriculture for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years is, in my opinion, an urgency measure and this bill is an emergency bill, and I therefore recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER THREE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 344—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for salaries of director and employees and support of the State Department of Agriculture, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read.

Urgency clause read.

The question being, Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be adopted?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—71

NOES—Coombs, Jones, and Runner—3

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER THREE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 344—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for salaries of director and employees and support of the State Department of Agriculture, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 344 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Runner—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Weller asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 486, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIX.

Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 10, 14, 15, and 19 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Weller:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No 486 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each House is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr Weller moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—68

NOES—None

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIX.

Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 10, 14, 15, and 19 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read:

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be adopted?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—73.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIX.

Assembly Bill No 486—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 10, 14, 15, and 19 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 486 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller,

Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received, and read:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE.
SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly.

In compliance with chapter 241 of the Statutes of 1923, I appointed a State Highway Committee for the purpose of investigating and reporting upon the State highway system.

The statute provided that the committee should be composed of one Senator, one Assemblyman, the State Engineer, one member of the Highway Commission, one member of the State Board of Control, and four others. I appointed as members of this committee

Hon. A. H. Breed, Senator,
Hon. Elmer P. Bromley, Assemblyman,
Louis Everding, member, California Highway Commission,
George G. Radcliff, member, State Board of Control,
J. B. Gill, San Bernardino,
J. H. Newman, Tulare,
E. E. East, Los Angeles,
A. E. Loder, San Francisco,
R. M. Morton, State Engineer.

This committee spent several months in careful and thorough investigation and has visited every county in the State. It has been left absolutely free to use its own judgment and to come to its own conclusions. I have not attended a single meeting of the committee or gone on any of its trips, and have sought in no way to control or influence its judgment or its report.

It has made a preliminary report which I am submitting to you herewith for your consideration. A complete report, the committee advises me, will be ready within the next thirty days. I am submitting the preliminary report without comment, for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

To Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor.

Your committee, appointed in accordance with chapter 241, Statutes 1923, to make a study of the State highway situation for the purpose of rendering a report for the benefit of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature, with sole instructions from you to perform our duty according to law, herewith presents a summary of its recommendations.

A complete and detailed report setting forth our findings and supporting our conclusions and recommendations, as set forth below, is in course of preparation and will shortly be submitted.

1. We recommend a classification of the roads in the present highway system into two general systems hereafter designated as primary system and secondary system. Classification has been made in accordance with the importance of the various highways based on their functional use.

The primary system to consist of—

1. Intercity highways.
2. Major interstate connections.
3. County seat laterals.
4. Other important lateral connections.
5. Major recreational highways.

The secondary system to consist of—
1. Minor interstate connections.
2. Minor recreational highways.
3. Local development highways.

We find that it is necessary to add certain highways to the State highway system for the purpose of closing obvious gaps in the various routes, thus providing for the more economic and efficient operation of traffic on the primary road system.

To this end we recommend that the following roads be made State highways, which we classify as a portion of the primary system

San Rafael to Point San Quentin, 3 miles.
Crescent City to the Oregon line, coast route, 19 miles
Alturas to the Oregon line, near New Pine Creek, 44 miles.
From Coleville to the Nevada state line in Mono County, 10 miles.
From Bakersfield to Mojave, 65 miles
From Needles to Topoc, 16 miles
From Shavers Wells to Coachella, 25 miles.
From Blythe to the Colorado River, 5 miles.
From Oxnard to the main coast highway, 2 miles.
From San Diego to Tia Juana, 7 miles

We recommend that the primary system consist of the roads outlined in red and that the secondary system consist of the roads outlined in green upon the maps hereto attached and made a part hereof.

We recommend that no other additions be made to the primary system, and that any additional roads which, in the opinion of the Legislature, should be included in the State highway system prior to the completion of the primary system be classified into the secondary system.

The committee has been requested to recommend for inclusion in the State highway system 3000 miles of additional road, the estimated future expenditure on which would approximate $117,000,000.

This is divided 2050 miles in the forty-five northern counties at an estimated cost for construction and reconstruction in a fifteen or twenty year period of about $86,000,000, and 951 miles in the thirteen southern counties at an estimated cost in a fifteen or twenty year period of $31,000,000

Of these requests, we recommend ten sections, hereinbefore named, aggregating 196 miles, to be included in the primary system for reasons stated above

The committee is unwilling to recommend any further additions, although not disputing the merit of some of the roads requested, because of the magnitude of our obligation on the present highway system.

2. Financing

We recommend further financing of State highway construction by one or more methods, which will insure a revenue of approximately $10,000,000 in 1926 and thereafter

Four general methods of financing are available.

1. By general State bond issue The sum of $200,000,000 will probably be required to be expended over a term of at least fifteen years If this method is adopted, we recommend successive bond issues for portions of this amount.

2. Ad valorem tax may be levied on the general property of the State at rates necessary to produce a minimum of $10,000,000 per year

3 Direct legislative appropriation might be made at the rate of not less than $20,000,000 per biennium.

4. Increased taxes on motor vehicles through either
(*a*) Increased gasoline tax
(*b*) Increased plate tax.
(*c*) Graduated weight tax

to produce additional revenue of $10,000,000 in 1926

Of the above four methods, we recommend increased taxes on motor vehicles in combination with the following recommended bond issue.

We recommend that steps be taken by the Legislature preliminary to placing before the voters at the next general election a bond issue of $25,000,000 all proceeds of which shall be used to defray the cost of construction of major bridges on the primary road system, and in cooperation with railroads, division of expense to be fixed by the California Railroad Commission for each project, for the elimination of railroad grade crossings on the primary road system

We recommend that at least 75 per cent of construction funds be devoted annually to the construction of the primary road system until completed

3 We have found the following situation

The southern thirteen counties, San Luis Obispo, Tulare, Kern, Mono, Inyo, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara, Ventura Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, and Imperial, comprise about 50 per cent of the area of the State. They have an estimated population of about 45 per cent of the total population of the State (U. S. Bureau of Census estimate for 1923.) These counties contain only 35 per cent of the existing State highway mileage, and record of past expenditures shows approximately 34 per cent of State highway construction expenditures in these counties In these counties is found 57 per cent of the motor vehicle registration.

We further find that not less than 60 per cent of the future expenditures for State highway construction on the primary road system will be required on roads located in the northern 45 counties.

This situation has given the committee much concern, but we have been unable to agree on any method for apportionment of future expenditures which would correct this situation. We consider it advisable, however, to concentrate future State highway construction expenditures, insofar as possible, on the primary trunk system, which is of general State importance, and we recommend that construction be prosecuted by the State Highway Commission on the primary system at equal rates of annually completed highway mileage in each section of the State.

An alternate method for allocation of funds would be to district the State for State highway expenditures, allotting to each district the amount raised therein.

We recommend that the policy of the California Highway Commission should be to assume all cost of construction on the road system, including bridge construction and rights of way, accepting such donations as may be offered.

We recommend that the convict labor camps be expanded or increased in number, to utilize at least 1600 prisoners on highways, the cost to be payable from any moneys in the highway construction funds, and that the savings in prison maintenance expense be paid from general State funds to the highway fund from which operation of convict camps is defrayed.

We recommend that maintenance be extended by law to all unconstructed State highways open to travel, this for the reason that many years will elapse prior to construction of all the State highways, and the best possible road service should in the interim be furnished to the public.

We are informed by the State Highway Commission that the additional annual cost to extend this class of work to those roads not now maintained is estimated from $600,000 to $700,000 per annum.

We recommend that the amount of the existing revenue for maintenance and reconstruction purposes be not reduced on account of the requirements for maintenance and the urgency of reconstruction needs due to traffic conditions.

We recommend that the present law be so amended as to give the California Highway Commission authority to relocate and realign constructed roads.

We recommend that as a procedure for adding roads to the system that any district or county asking for the inclusion of additional roads to the highway system, should make survey, plans and estimates of the cost of same in proper form and submit to the California Highway Commission, which, in turn, should submit the same to the first succeeding session of the Legislature with its recommendations as to importance and classification.

Reasons which lead us to make these recommendations will be set forth in detail in our final report now in course of preparation, which will be filed shortly.

A. H. BREED.
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LOUIS EVERDING.
R. M. MORTON.
GEO. G. RADCLIFF.
ARTHUR E. LODER.
J. B. GILL.
J. H. NEWMAN.

W. F. MIXON, Secretary.
January 21, 1925.

My approval of these recommendations is personal and as a citizen of the State, and reflects no policy of the California State Automobile Association, with which I am connected.

ARTHUR E. LODER.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Campbell gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 486 was this day passed.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 353—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operation," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, and making the same an emergency measure.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 353 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MOTION.

Mr. Adams moved that the Committee on Ways and Means be instructed to report Senate Bill No. 353 back on the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION.

Mr. Eksward moved the adoption of the report of the Committee on Rules, as printed in the Journal of January 20, 1925.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RULES.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules recommends the adoption, as the permanent rules of the Assembly for the forty-sixth session, the temporary rules adopted as printed in the Journal of Monday, January 5, 1925, as corrected by the Minute Clerk to conform to the standing rules of the forty-fifth session, and further recommends the adoption of the following amendments:

Rule 10 to be changed to read as follows

10. The standing committees of the Assembly shall be as follows:

1. A Committee on Agriculture, to consist of seventeen members.
2. A Committee on Attaches, to consist of seven members
3. A Committee on Banking, to consist of nine members
4. A Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to consist of seven members.
5. A Committee on Civil Service, to consist of nine members.
6. A Committee on Claims, to consist of seven members.
7. A Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to consist of nine members
8. A Committee on Conservation, to consist of nine members
9. A Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to consist of nine members.
10. A Committee on Contested Elections, to consist of seven members.
11. A Committee on Contingent Expenses to consist of five members.
12. A Committee on Corporations, to consist of nine members.
13. A Committee on County Government, to consist of fifteen members
14. A Committee on Direct Legislation, to consist of seven members.
15. A Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to consist of thirteen members
16. A Committee on Education, to consist of thirteen members
17. A Committee on Elections, to consist of eleven members.
18. A Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, to consist of five members.
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23. A Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to consist of thirteen members
24. A Committee on Insurance, to consist of eleven members
25. A Committee on Irrigation, to consist of twenty-one members
26. A Committee on Judiciary to consist of twenty-one members
27. A Committee on Labor and Capital, to consist of thirteen members.
28. A Committee on Libraries, to consist of seven members.
29. A Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to consist of eleven members
30. A Committee on Manufacturers, to consist of seven members
31. A Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to consist of nine members
32. A Committee on Mileage, to consist of five members.
33. A Committee on Military Affairs, to consist of nine members
34. A Committee on Mines and Mining, to consist of nine members
35. A Committee on Motor Vehicles, to consist of twenty-one members.
36. A Committee on Municipal Corporations, to consist of thirteen members
37. A Committee on Oil Industries, to consist of nine members
38. A Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to consist of thirteen members
39. A Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to consist of nine members.
40. A Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to consist of nine members.
41. A Committee on Public Morals, to consist of eleven members.
42. A Committee on Public Utilities, to consist of eleven members
43. A Committee on Reapportionment, to consist of twenty-one members
44. A Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to consist of fifteen members.
45. A Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of five members
46. A Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to consist of seven members.
47. A Committee on Roads and Highways, to consist of fifteen members.

48. A Committee on Rules, to consist of seven members, including the Speaker
49. A Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to consist of thirteen members.
50. A Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to consist of seven members
51. A Committee on Teachers Colleges, to consist of seven members
52. A Committee on Universities, to consist of seven members
53. A Committee on Ways and Means, to consist of twenty-one members

Rule 13 to be changed to read as follows:

13. Each standing committee shall determine its own quorum and the number of affirmative votes necessary to report a bill out of committee, *provided*, that not less than a majority of all members constituting such committee shall in any case constitute such quorum, nor shall less than the affirmative votes of a majority of all members constituting such committee be sufficient to report a bill out of committee.

In Rule 68, line 5, after the words "the wife", insert a comma and the word "husband"

In Rule 71, line 2, after the word "provided", strike out the words "that during night sessions".

EKSWARD, Chairman.

Report read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendments.

Amendments adopted.

The question being on the adoption of the standing rules of the Assembly as amended.

MOTION TO AMEND.

Mr. Dodge offered the following amendment:

That Rule No. 71 be stricken out.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION.

Mr. Campbell offered, as a substitute to Mr. Dodge's motion: That smoking be permitted on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays, and that no smoking be permitted on Mondays, Wednesdays or Fridays.

The question being on the substitute motion by Mr. Campbell:

Motion lost.

The question being on the motion to amend by Mr. Dodge.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs Burns, Oliva, Schmidt, Williamson and Miller, J. A., the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to amend.

The roll was called, and the motion to amend lost by the following vote:

AYES—Burns, Byrne, Croter, Davis, Dodge, Fry, Jacobson, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Wemple, Williamson, and Woodbridge—22.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—49.

The question being on the adoption of the Standing Rules of the Assembly.

The roll was called and the rules adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland,

Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—67.

NOES—McDonough—1.

STANDING RULES OF THE ASSEMBLY.

CONVENING AND ORDER OF BUSINESS

Hours of Meeting

1. The sessions of the Assembly shall be daily (Sundays excepted), beginning at nine o'clock and thirty minutes a.m. After the constitutional recess, a recess shall be taken daily at the hour of twelve o'clock noon until the hour of one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the House.

Speaker to Call House to Order.

2. The Speaker, or, in his absence, the Speaker pro tempore, shall take the chair precisely at the hour appointed for meeting, and shall immediately call the House to order. In the absence of both the Speaker and Speaker pro tempore, the Chief Clerk, or an assistant, shall call the House to order, whereupon a Chairman shall be elected from among the members to preside.

Order of Business.

3 The order of business of the Assembly shall be as follows

1. Roll Call.
2. Prayer by the Chaplain
3. Reading and Approval of the Journal.
4. Presentation of Petitions.
5. Reports of Standing Committees.
6. Reports of Select Committees
7. Messages from the Governor.
8. Messages from the Senate
9. Introduction and Reference of Bills.
10. Motions and Resolutions.
11. Special Orders of the Day
12. Unfinished Business of the Preceding Day
13. Business on Special File, Second Reading, and Third Reading of Bills.
14. Business on General File, Second Reading, and Third Reading of Bills.
15. Announcements of Committee Meetings.
16. Adjournment.

Priority of Business.

4. All questions relating to the priority of business shall be decided without debate.

Motion to Adjourn.

5 A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, except during roll call. The Clerk shall enter on the Journal the name of any member moving an adjournment, also the hour at which the motion was made and adjournment taken.

When a motion is made and seconded to adjourn, it shall be in order for the Speaker, before putting the question, to permit any member to state any fact to the House relating to the condition of the business of the House, which would seem to render it improper to adjourn at that time Such statement, however, shall not be debatable, and such statement or statements shall not, in any case, occupy more than two minutes.

DUTIES OF THE SPEAKER.

Speaker to Preserve Order; to Decide Points of Order; and May Speak to Same

6. The Speaker shall preserve order and decorum; may speak to points of order in preference to other members, rising from his seat for that purpose; and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House by any member, on which appeal no member shall speak more than once, unless by leave of the House.

Speaker to Have Direction of the Hall; May Call Any Member to the Chair.

7. The Speaker shall have general direction of the hall He shall have a right to name any member to perform the duties of the Chair, but such substitutions shall not extend beyond an adjournment. He shall have the control and direction of the journals, papers and bills of the Assembly. He shall have the power to see that all officers of the Assembly perform their respective duties, and may assign places to properly accredited newspaper representatives.

Speaker to Sign Resolutions, etc., Attested by the Clerk.

8. All acts, addresses, and joint resolutions shall be signed by the Speaker, and all writs, warrants, and subpœnas issued by order of the House shall be under his hand, attested by the Clerk.

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSEMBLY.

Committees to be Appointed by Speaker.

9. All committees shall be appointed by the Speaker, unless otherwise ordered by the House

Standing Committees.

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Special Standing Committees.

11. In addition to the regular standing committees of the Assembly, there shall be special standing committees, as follows:

1. A Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of five members, as provided in the Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly
2. A Committee on Introduction of Bills after the Constitutional Recess, to consist of three members.

Schedules for Committee Meetings.

12. The Speaker shall be empowered to propose to the Assembly such schedules for regular meetings of the standing committees as shall permit a full attendance of their members without conflict of committee engagements

Quorum of Standing Committees.

13 Each standing committee shall determine its own quorum and the number of affirmative votes necessary to report a bill out of committee: *provided*, that not less than a majority of all members constituting such committee shall in any case constitute such quorum, nor shall less than the affirmative votes of a majority of all members constituting such committee be sufficient to report a bill out of committee.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Appropriations of Money to Be Considered in Committee of the Whole.

14. All bills making appropriations of money may be considered in a Committee of the Whole House while on second reading by demand of five or more members.

Proceedings of Committee of the Whole House.

15. In forming a Committee of the Whole House, the Speaker, as chairman or a chairman to be named by the Speaker, shall preside Bills committed to a Committee of the Whole House shall, in Committee of the Whole, be read by sections. All amendments shall be noted and reported to the Assembly by the chairman. After being reported to the Assembly, the bill shall again be subject to amendment before a vote on the report is taken.

Rules in Committee of the Whole

16. The rules of the Assembly shall be observed in Committees of the Whole, as far as may be applicable, except limiting the time of speaking, and except that the ayes and noes need not be taken.

Motion to Rise Decided Without Debate.

17. A motion that the committee rise shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

SPECIAL DUTIES OF CERTAIN COMMITTEES.

Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment.

18. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment to compare all bills, constitutional amendments, and concurrent and joint resolutions, *ordered or considered engrossed by this House with the engrossed copies thereof*, and, before they pass out of the possession of this House, see that the engrossed bill is a true copy of the original, with such amendments as may have been made thereto; and said committee shall see that all engrossed bills are reported back in the order in which they were ordered engrossed

Engrossing and Enrolling Bills.

19. The Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk shall engross and enroll the bills, constitutional amendments, and joint and concurrent resolutions which shall come to his hands for such purposes, in compliance with the provisions of section 539 of the Political Code, and in the order of time in which the same shall be acted upon by the House. All Assembly bills, constitutional amendments and joint and concurrent resolutions shall be engrossed before final action is taken on them in the Assembly, and the report of such engrossment must be made to the Assembly on a day previous to the day on which such final action is taken.

Reports of Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment.

20. It shall be in order for the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment to report at any time.

Committee on Ways and Means.

21. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Ways and Means to take into consideration all reports of the State officers and State boards or State commissions, and all propositions relative to the revenue of the State, as may be referred to them by the Assembly, to inquire into the state of the revenue and expenditures of the State, and report from time to time their opinion thereon. All bills for the appropriation of money, which were not at first referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, shall be reported to the House by the committees having them under

consideration, and shall thereupon, without motion, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and said committee shall consider and report thereon the amount of appropriation required. The Committee on Ways and Means shall, from time to time at least once in two weeks, report to the House the exact condition of legislation involving appropriations, and the aggregate amount of all the proposed appropriations pending

Committee's Report on Sine Die Adjournment.

22 Concurrent resolutions for adjournment sine die shall in all cases, whether originating in the House or coming from the Senate, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. That committee shall report upon any such concurrent resolution not later than the next legislative day, and with regard to the status of the general appropriation bill and tax levy.

Committee on Contested Elections.

23 It shall be the duty of the Committee on Contested Elections to examine and report upon the certificates of election or other credentials of such members returned to serve in this House, as may have their seats contested, and to take into their consideration all such petitions and other matters touching elections and returns as shall or may be presented or come into question, and be referred to them by the House, or the Speaker thereof.

Committee on Attaches.

24. The Committee on Attaches shall assign the committee clerks and the official stenographers of the House to the various committees and, on recommendation of the Chief Clerk, shall have the authority to reassign any clerk or attache under him to special duties or other committees when the necessity arises.

The Committee on Attaches, in cooperation with the Chief Clerk and Sergeant-at-Arms, shall exercise general supervision over and shall systematize the work of all attaches.

The Committee on Attaches shall see to it that attaches shall not receive their per diem until they have been sworn in, and that the per diem of attaches shall be forfeited for each day on which they are absent from their duties without excuse from the authority delegated by the committee

All assignments of committee clerks and stenographers made by the Committee on Attaches under this rule shall be reported to the House and entered in the Journal

DUTIES OF ASSEMBLY OFFICERS AND ATTACHES

Duties of Chief Clerk.

25 The Chief Clerk shall have charge and supervision of all the clerical business of the Assembly. He shall perform the duties imposed on him by law and the rules of the Assembly. Subject to the provisions of Rule 67, he and his assistants shall read from the desk only such matter as the Speaker shall direct He shall have the supervision of all the clerks and assistants at the desk, of all bill clerks, bill filers, stenographers, and of all committee attaches and all pages, and shall be responsible for their performance of and regular attendance upon their duties and shall have power to suspend any such clerk or attache under him for dereliction of duty, and shall report to the Committee on Attaches such suspension and the cause thereof. Said suspended clerk or attache shall not receive any pay during the time of such suspension. The Committee on Attaches shall have the power to relieve the attache or clerk of his suspension, and shall have the power, subject to the approval of the House, to remove any clerk or attache for incompetency or for wilful neglect of duty. The Chief Clerk shall not permit any records or papers to be taken from the desk, or out of his custody, by any person except a chairman of a committee; but he shall deliver any bill or paper to be printed to the Superintendent of State Printing, and all bills ordered engrossed or enrolled to the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, and take receipts therefor.

Duties of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

26. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall attend the House during its sittings, execute the commands of the Speaker of the House, and serve all processes issued by authority thereof directed to him by the Speaker He shall be sworn to keep the secrets of the House. He shall also have supervision over the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms and gatekeepers, and shall be responsible for their performance of and regular attendance upon their duties, and shall have power to suspend any such attache under him for dereliction of duty, and shall report to the Committee on Attaches such suspension and the causes thereof Said suspended attache shall not receive any pay during the time of such suspension. The Committee on Attaches shall have power to relieve the attache of his suspension and shall have the power, subject to the approval of the House, to remove any attache for incompetency or for wilful neglect of duty. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall place copies of all bills, joint and concurrent resolutions,

constitutional amendments, and journals and histories, when printed, on the desks of members at least one hour previous to the opening of the session

Expenses of Sergeant-at-Arms.

27. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall receive his actual traveling expenses for himself or a special messenger when executing any process issued by the House or by any officer or committee thereof.

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms to Be Doorkeeper.

28. The Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms who is designated to be the doorkeeper shall be sworn to keep the secrets of the House.

Compensation of Attaches.

29. No attache of the Assembly shall demand or receive from any person any compensation other than that provided by law for services performed as such attache.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Introduction and Reading of Bills.

30. Any member desiring to introduce a bill shall rise in place and address the Speaker, and upon being recognized shall present the same. It shall then be numbered and read the first time at the Clerk's desk and referred to a standing committee, and be printed, and a copy placed upon the desk of each member. Every bill shall be read at length on three several days previous to its passage, unless in case of urgency two-thirds of the House shall, by vote of ayes and noes, dispense with this provision. The Speaker shall give notice at each reading, whether it is the first, second or third reading. All bills to appropriate money for contingent purposes shall be presented by the Committee on Ways and Means. The chairman or clerk of each committee of the Assembly shall notify the author of any bill or proceeding pending before such committee of the hour and place of hearing or acting upon such bill or proceeding.

Joint and Concurrent Resolutions and Constitutional Amendments.

31. Joint and concurrent resolutions shall be treated the same as bills; *provided*, that they shall be read but once, and that after they have been reported by a committee; *and provided, further*, that the ayes and noes shall not be called upon the adoption of concurrent resolutions, except those presenting charter amendments, unless regularly demanded, or required by statute or the constitution. Proposed amendments to the constitution shall be treated the same as bills; *provided*, they shall be read but once, and only after they have been reported by a committee. All bills, constitutional amendments, and joint and concurrent resolutions may be amended by a majority of those voting.

Procedure on First Day of Introducing Bills.

32. In each legislative session on the first day when bills are introduced, under the "Order of Business" or "Introduction and Reference of Bills," the roll shall be called from A to Z and then back again from Z to A, and as each member's name is called, he shall have the privilege of introducing one bill, constitutional amendment, joint or concurrent resolution. After these two roll calls, bills, constitutional amendments, joint or concurrent resolutions shall be introduced by members on recognition of the Speaker, as provided by the rules of the Assembly, and all bills, constitutional amendments or joint or concurrent resolutions introduced before the standing committees of the Assembly are appointed, shall be referred to committees, references to take effect when the committees shall be appointed.

Introduction of Bills by Committee.

33. Any committee may introduce a bill appertaining to any subject coming within its consideration, whereupon it shall be read the first time and placed upon the proper second-reading file. When such bill is designed to be a substitute for one or more Assembly bills, the bills for which it is such a substitute shall, by a majority vote of the House, be deemed withdrawn, and shall not appear upon the file. Upon the introduction of a bill by a committee, it shall be numbered as a new bill, read, ordered printed, and placed upon the Assembly file for further action.

Introduction of Bills After Constitutional Recess.

34. Immediately upon convening after the constitutional recess the Speaker shall appoint a standing Committee on Introduction of Bills, to consist of three members.

All motions for leave to introduce bills after the constitutional recess shall be sent to the desk in writing, under the order of "Introduction of Bills," and at no other time. The motion shall give the title of the bill, and shall be accompanied by the bill. The bill shall thereupon be referred to the Committee on Introduction of Bills.

Joint and concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments shall not be referred to the Committee on Introduction of Bills, and shall not require a vote to authorize their introduction.

The committee shall examine bills referred to it with particular reference to the question as to whether there is already any bill in either House of the same character which might be amended to effect the results sought, and generally as to the advisability of introducing the measure

The committee shall report upon each bill so referred to it on the same legislative day. The report shall be made at the conclusion of the consideration of the Senate Special File.

The committee may, in its discretion, incorporate more than one bill in the resolution to grant leave to introduce, incorporating in the resolution the title of each bill in full, and the roll shall be called upon the adoption of the resolution and no resolution to introduce any such bill shall be adopted without the consent of three-fourths of the members of the Assembly

If a division of the question is demanded upon the introduction of any particular bill, the division shall be allowed, and the roll called separately upon the bill The author of any bill shall have not more than ten minutes within which to speak to the question of the introduction of his bill and the Committee on Introduction of Bills may have the same time for reply.

Reference of Bills.

35 At the time of introduction the Speaker shall first indicate to what committee a bill or resolution ought to be referred, and it shall be so referred, unless upon a motion, without debate, the Assembly by a majority vote refer it to some other committee. A motion to re-refer a bill shall be debatable as to the propriety of such re-reference.

Order of Reference.

36. When a motion is made to refer any subject, and different committees shall be proposed, the question shall be taken in the following order

The Committee of the Whole House.
A Standing Committee.
A Select Committee.

Referring With Special Instructions.

37 No amendment shall be received for discussion at the third reading of any bill; but it shall at all times be in order, before the final passage of such bill, to move its commitment to a select committee, under special instructions to amend

Reference of Senate Bills.

38. When a Senate bill has been received by the House with a message announcing that the same has passed the Senate, such bill shall be referred to a standing committee, *provided, however*, that when a Senate bill is received the provisions of which are stated by a member to be identical with those of an Assembly bill which has already been considered and reported by a committee of the Assembly, such Senate bill shall be referred to the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment for comparison, which committee shall report on the next legislative day whether or not said bill is identical with the Assembly bill, and if reported identical, shall be read the second time, be substituted for the Assembly bill (the latter being considered withdrawn), shall take the latter's place on the Assembly file, and be considered as having received the same recommendation of the Assembly committee; *provided*, that the fact that the bills are identical shall be entered in the Journal.

Bills to Be Reported Back to Committees.

39. All committees shall act upon bills, constitutional amendments and resolutions referred to them as soon as practicable, and when acted upon each bill shall be reported back to the Assembly forthwith, and the chairman of each committee is charged with the observance of this rule, *provided*, that the Assembly may at any time, by a majority vote of all its members, recall a bill, constitutional amendment or resolution from any committee.

ORDER OF CONSIDERING BILLS

Order of Making File.

40. Upon the introduction of bills they shall be read the first time, and referred to committees as provided in Rule 30. When reported back they shall be placed upon the general file, to be kept by the Clerk, as follows All bills when reported to the House by the committees, except such bills as are by the report re-referred to another committee, shall be placed at the foot of the second-reading file, in the order in which the reports are made, and after the second reading they shall be placed at the foot of the third-reading file, in the order of reading, and precedence shall be given in the consideration of bills in the following order Second-reading file and third-reading file, unless otherwise ordered by unanimous consent or by two-thirds vote of the House. The bills upon third reading shall be considered in the order in which they appear upon the file, unless otherwise ordered by unanimous consent or by vote of majority of the members present, such vote to be taken by roll call: *provided*, that if a bill is passed on file for any reason, other than the absence of the

author by leave of the Assembly, note of the fact shall be made in the General File, and when passed on file a second time the bill shall be ordered to the foot of the file, and notice of the fact of the bill having been passed on file prior to the order placing it at the foot of the file shall be omitted from the General File. The Clerk shall post, in a conspicuous place in the chamber, a daily statement of the bills on the General File, setting forth the order in which they were filed, and specifying the alterations arising from the disposal of business each day.

Order Making Special File.

41. The Clerk shall, from time to time, make up a file, to be known as the Special File, on which he shall place bills relating to appropriations for the support of the State government and State institutions, revenue, election laws and constitutional amendments, in the order named, and in the order in which the same may be reported to the Assembly, and he shall place no other bills thereon, nor shall any bill on the General File be substituted for any bill thereon.

Ordering Bills to Third Reading.

42. After being read the second time bills shall be ordered by the Speaker to third reading (or, in the case of Assembly bills, to engrossment and third reading). When any member makes objection to any bill thus being ordered to third reading, the final question for such bill shall be, "Shall the bill be ordered to third reading?"

Bills Considered During Last Seven Days.

43. No Assembly bill shall be passed by the Assembly within seven days of the time set for adjournment sine die of the two houses of the Legislature, unless permission to vote on such bill be granted by a three-fourths vote of the Assembly after being recommended by the Speaker of the Assembly.

QUESTIONS AND MOTIONS.

Precedence of Motions During Debate.

44. When a question is under debate, or before the House, no motion shall be received but: To adjourn; to lay on the table; for the previous question, to postpone to a day certain; to commit or amend; to postpone indefinitely, which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are named, but the first three shall be decided without debate; and no motion to postpone to a day certain, to commit, or to postpone indefinitely, being decided, shall again be allowed on the same day and at the same stage of the proceedings. A motion to strike out the enacting clause of a bill shall have preference over a motion to amend, and, if carried, shall be considered equivalent to its rejection. A dilatory motion shall not be considered intervening business within the meaning of parliamentary usage.

Division of Questions.

45. Any member may call for a division of the question, which shall be divided if it comprehend propositions in substance so distinct that, one being taken away, a substantive proposition shall remain for the decision of the House. A motion to strike out being lost, shall preclude neither a motion to add to nor a motion to strike out and insert.

Substitute.

46. A motion to substitute shall be deemed and held to be a motion to amend, and be treated in all respects as such.

Subjects Different from the One Under Consideration

47. No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted as an amendment.

Question Indefinitely Postponed.

48. When a question is postponed indefinitely, the same shall not again be introduced during the session.

PROCEDURE OF DEBATE.

Motions to Be Stated by Speaker, and If Desired Shall Be Reduced to Writing, or May be Withdrawn.

49. No motion shall be debated until the same be seconded and distinctly announced by the Speaker; and it shall be reduced to writing, if desired by the Speaker, or any member, and be read by the Clerk, before the same shall be debated. A motion may be withdrawn, by leave of the House, at any time before amendment or decision.

Order in Speaking to Questions.

50. Every member, when he speaks shall, standing in his place, address "Mr Speaker," and when he has finished he shall sit down. No member shall speak more than twice during the consideration of any one question, of whatever nature, on the same day and at the same stage of proceedings, without leave being granted,

except the author of a bill or resolution, or mover of a question, who shall have the right to close the debate. No member shall be allowed to speak more than fifteen minutes upon any question except by leave of the House, and except further, the author shall be allowed fifteen minutes to open and fifteen minutes to close.

Speaker to Decide Who Is Entitled to the Place.

51. When two or more members shall rise at once, the Speaker shall name the member who is first to speak.

Calling Members to Order When Transgressing Rules.

52. If any member, in speaking or otherwise, transgresses the rules of the House, the Speaker shall, or any member may, call to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain; and if called to order by a member, such member shall immediately state the point of order. If the point of order be sustained by the Chair, the member shall not be allowed to proceed; but if it be not sustained, then he shall be permitted to go on. Every such decision from the Chair shall be subject to an appeal to the House, but no discussion of a question of order shall be allowed, unless an appeal be taken from the decision of the Chair.

Called to Order for Offensive Words in Debate.

53. If any member be called to order for offensive words spoken in debate, the person calling him to order shall report the words excepted to, and they shall be taken down in writing at the Clerk's table, and no member shall be held to answer, or be subject to censure of the House, for language used in debate, if any member has spoken or other business has intervened after the words spoken and before exception to them shall have been taken.

THE PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Previous Question Demanded.

54. The previous question shall be put only when demanded by five members.

Manner of Putting the Previous Question.

55. The previous question shall be in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" And its effect, when sustained by a majority of the members present, shall be to put an end to all debate and bring the House to a vote on the question or questions before it.

Questions of Order After Previous Question Is Ordered.

56. All incidental questions of order arising after a motion is made for the previous question, and pending such motion or previous question, shall be decided (whether on appeal or otherwise) without debate; *provided*, that after the previous question shall have been ordered, ten minutes shall be allowed for explanation of the matters covered by the previous question of which five minutes shall be given to the member moving the previous question, and five minutes to those opposed thereto.

VOTING BY ASSEMBLY.

Calling Ayes and Noes.

57. The ayes and noes shall be taken on the final passage of all bills, and when called for by five members on other questions, and every member within the bar of the House, when his name is called, shall (unless for special reasons he be excused) declare openly and without debate, his vote. In taking the ayes and noes, and upon call of the House, the names of the members shall be taken alphabetically, and the Clerk shall enter on the Journal the names of those demanding the ayes and noes.

Members at Clerk's Desk.

58. No member, or other person shall remain by the Clerk's table while the ayes and noes are being called, or while the votes are being counted.

Voting on Question When Interested.

59. No person shall vote on any question in the result of which he is personally interested or involved.

Division and Count of House.

60. Upon a division and count of the House on any question, no person without the bar shall be counted.

Explaining or Changing Vote.

61. No member shall be allowed to explain his vote or discuss the question while the ayes and noes are being called, and no member shall be allowed to change his vote after the vote is announced by the Chair.

Election by House.

62. In all cases of election by the House, the vote shall be taken viva voce.

Notice of Reconsideration of Vote.

63. On the day succeeding that on which a final vote on any bill, constitutional amendment, or resolution has been taken, said vote may be reconsidered on the motion of any member, *provided*, a notice of intention to move such reconsideration shall have been given on the day on which such final vote was taken, by a member voting with the successful side, and it shall not be in order for any member to move a reconsideration on the day on which such final vote was taken. Said motion of reconsideration shall have precedence over every other motion, except a motion to adjourn. No notice of reconsideration shall be in order on the day preceding the last day of the session. No motion to reconsider shall be adopted, except upon a roll call, and it shall require forty-one votes to adopt the motion.

MESSAGES, PETITIONS AND PAPERS.

Messengers May Be Introduced.

64 Messengers may be introduced at any stage of business except while a question is being put, while the ayes and noes are being called, while the ballots are being counted, or while a member is addressing the House.

Messages from the Governor and Senate.

65 Messages from the Governor and from the Senate may be considered at any time by vote of the House or by unanimous consent.

Petitions to Be Presented With a Brief Statement of Contents

66. Whenever petitions, memorials, or other papers addressed to the House are presented by a member, a brief statement of the contents thereof shall be made verbally by the introducer. They shall not be debated on the day of their being presented, but shall lie on the table, or be referred, as the House shall determine.

Reading of Papers.

67 When the reading of a paper is called for, except petitions, and the same is objected to by a member, such reading shall be determined by a vote of the House, without debate, upon brief statement of its substance by the Speaker.

THE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Persons Admitted to the Floor.

68 No persons except Senators, State officers, Governors and ex-Governors of the states, members of Congress, Judges of the Supreme, Appellate and Superior Courts, ex-Senators and ex-Assemblymen, members of the press when accredited by their respective journals, attaches when actually engaged in work for the Assembly or a member thereof, and the wife, husband, or child of a member, shall be admitted within the Assembly Chamber, except in the gallery, during the sessions of the Assembly; *provided, however*, any other guest of any member may be admitted to the floor of the Assembly, but to no other part of the floor than to a seat at the desk of said member, *and provided, also*, that such admission of said guest shall be only by written permission of said member, countersigned by the Speaker, such permission being good only for the sessions of the day on which it is given, the names of such member and guest to be entered in the Journal when specifically requested by such member At the convening of the Assembly in the morning, or after recess, all present except those covered by this rule shall retire from the floor of the Assembly. No one except the Sergeant-at-Arms or his deputies shall be allowed to remain in the lobby behind the rail at any time

No Lobbying in the Assembly Chamber.

69. No person engaged in presenting to the Assembly or its committees any business, or claim, or legislation, shall be permitted to engage in such business in the Assembly chamber, or be permitted on the floor of the Assembly at any time while the Assembly is in session, unless seated beside a member upon his invitation; and any person transgressing this rule shall be removed from the floor of the Assembly and be debarred from the privilege of the floor during the remainder of the entire session. The Speaker is charged with the enforcement of this rule. This rule can not be suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the entire Assembly

Speaker May Order the Galleries and Lobby Cleared.

70. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the galleries or lobby, or whenever he shall deem it necessary, the Speaker (or Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House) shall have power to order the same to be cleared.

Smoking in the Assembly Chamber.

71. No smoking shall be allowed within the Assembly Chamber during the session of the House, *provided*, this rule may be suspended by a vote of the majority of the members present, without notice or reference to committee

Use of Assembly Chamber.

72 The Assembly room shall not be used for any public or private business other than legislative, except by consent of a majority of the House.

LEGISLATIVE PRINTING.

Printing of Bills.

73. One thousand five hundred copies of all bills, and as many additional copies as the House shall order, shall be printed The Chief Clerk or Sergeant-at-Arms shall be required to certify to the receipt by the House of all such printed matter and quantity thereof.

Printing Extra Number of Bills, Etc.

74. A proposition to print an extra number of any document or other matter shall lie on the table one day for consideration, unless otherwise ordered by consent of the House.

Form for Printed Amended Bills.

75 All bills amended, either in committee or on the floor of the House, shall be immediately reprinted; the omission of any matter to be indicated by the insertion of heavy parentheses and all proposed additions to be enclosed in heavy brackets

Printing of Maps.

76. Maps accompanying documents shall not be printed under the general order to print, without the special direction of the House.

Filling Blanks.

77. In filling up blanks the least sum and shortest time shall be put first.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

Protest of Members.

78. It shall be in order for any member or members to protest against the action of the House and have such protest entered in the Journal

Peisonal Explanation.

79 Any member may rise to explain a matter personal to himself, with leave of the Chair, but shall not discuss a question in such explanation

Right to Address Assembly.

80. No one except a member of the Assembly shall be permitted to address the Assembly except in the Committee of the Whole.

Call of the House.

81 Upon a motion being carried for a call of the House the Speaker shall immediately order the doors to be closed, and shall direct the Clerk to call the names of the absentees as disclosed by the last previous roll call. Thereupon no one shall be permitted to leave or enter the Assembly Chamber except by written permission of the Speaker, or except such members as are taken into custody as herein provided Those members who are found to be absent and for whom no excuse or insufficient excuses are made, may, by order of those present, be taken into custody, as they appear, or may be sent for and then taken into custody by the Sergeant-at-Arms wherever found, or by special messenger to be appointed for that purpose. In the absence of a quorum, a majority of the members present may order a roll call of the House and compel the attendance of absentees in the manner above provided No recess can be taken during a call of the House, *provided, however*, that during a call of the House it may consider and transact any matter or business that the members then present shall unanimously decide to consider, but no call of the House shall be had, during the call of the House, on any matter so taken up or considered while the House is under call. When a call of the House is ordered, pending the completion of a roll call, the pending roll call shall become unfinished business, the consideration of which shall be continued until further proceedings under the call of the House are dispensed with, when it will forthwith become the order of business before the Assembly.

Members Absenting Themselves.

82. No member shall absent himself from attendance at a session of the House without the leave of the House, and no member shall obtain leave of absence, or be excused without a vote of two-thirds of the House, or by unanimous consent

Fees for Witnesses.

83. Witnesses summoned to appear before the House or any of its committees shall be paid as follows For each day a witness shall attend, the sum of three dollars, for each mile he shall travel in coming to and going from the place of examination, the sum of ten cents No mileage shall be paid, except where the witness has actually traveled for the purpose of giving testimony

No Committee Expenditures Permitted.

84. No member of any committee shall be permitted to incur any expense by visiting any part of the State on official business, except that the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means shall, during the constitutional recess, be allowed his actual expenses while on such business.

RULES OF PROCEDURE.

Parliamentary Rules.

85. The rules of parliamentary practice contained in Robert's Rules of Order shall govern the House in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Standing Rules and Orders of the House and the Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly.

Suspending and Changing Rules.

86. No standing rule or order of the House shall be rescinded or changed without a vote of two-thirds of the members of the Assembly, and one day's notice being given of the motion therefor; *provided*, that the Committee on Rules may at any time, except during a roll call, report a temporary rule providing for the consideration of any bill on the files of the House belonging to either of the following classes:

1. Bills affecting the State government, its revenues, its various departments or commissions or appropriations therefor.
2. Bills affecting county and township governments, or roads and highways.
3. Bills affecting town, city, city and county governments, or the municipal affairs of the same.
4. Bills amending election or primary election laws.
5. Constitutional amendments.
6. Bills amending or repealing the Codes, or sections thereof.

Such temporary rule shall provide when a bill so selected shall be taken up for consideration, and the time when final vote shall be taken thereon and pending amendments thereto, if there be any.

It shall always be in order to call up for consideration such report. The same shall be subject to amendments by the House.

On the adoption of such temporary rule by the House by a two-thirds vote thereof, if the bill be on third reading, and by a majority vote of the members elected to the House, if otherwise, such bill shall thereupon be made the special order for the time fixed therein.

A rule or order may be suspended temporarily by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, except Rule 43 and that portion of Rule 30 relating to third reading of bills. A motion or resolution proposing to increase or diminish a standing committee shall not be adopted until the same has been referred to the Committee on Rules.

The Committee on Rules may also, at any time, report a temporary rule or regulation. When such temporary rule or regulation shall have been adopted by a two-thirds vote of the House it shall have the effect, for the time being, of a standing rule, and if such temporary rule shall be in conflict with a standing rule it shall supersede said standing rule for the time being, and shall be enforced by the Speaker.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON RULES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

EKSWARD, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Ekswarad asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER FOUR.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Ohva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 4 ordered to engrossment.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 4.

Relative to Joint Rules of Senate and Assembly.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the following be adopted as the Joint Rules of the two houses of the Legislature for its forty-sixth session

JOINT RULES OF SENATE AND ASSEMBLY.

COMMITTEES AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

1 Subject to the right of either House to appoint additional committees, the following standing committees shall be appointed in the Senate and Assembly, the number of members and the manner of selection to be determined by the rules of each house:

(1) Agriculture.
(2) Banking.
(3) Commerce and Navigation.
(4) Corporations.
(5) County Government
(6) Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.
(7) Education.
(8) Elections
(9) Federal Relations.
(10) Finance in the Senate and Ways and Means in the Assembly.
(11) Fish and Game.
(12) Hospitals and Asylums.
(13) Insurance.
(14) Irrigation.
(15) Judiciary.
(16) Labor and Capital.
(17) Military Affairs.
(18) Mines and Mining.
(19) Municipal Corporations.
(20) Oil Industries
(21) Prisons and Reformatories
(22) Public Health and Quarantine
(23) Public Morals.
(24) Public Utilities
(25) Revenue and Taxation.
(26) Roads and Highways.
(27) Rules.

JOINT COMMITTEES.

2. Joint standing committees of Senate and Assembly shall be appointed as follows

(1) Committee on Revision and Printing, to consist of three (3) members from the Senate and five (5) from the Assembly

(2) Committee on Joint Rules, to consist of the members of the rules committee of each House.

JOINT MEETING OF COMMITTEES.

3 Whenever any bill has been referred by the Senate to one of its committees, and the same or a like bill has been referred by the Assembly to one of its committees, the chairmen of the respective committees, when in their judgment the interests of legislation or the expedition of business will be better served thereby, shall arrange for a joint meeting of their committees for the consideration of such bill.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

SCOPE OF WORD "BILL."

4. Whenever the word "bill" is used in these rules it shall include constitutional amendments, joint and concurrent resolutions

JOINT AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.

5. Joint resolutions are those which relate to matters connected with the federal government. All other resolutions relating to matters to be treated by both houses of the Legislature are concurrent resolutions.

RESOLUTIONS TREATED AS BILLS.

6. Joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments shall be treated in all respects as bills, except that they shall be read but one time in each house, and that they shall not be deemed bills within the meaning of section 2 of article IV of the constitution and shall not be referred to the Committee on Introduction of Bills, and shall not require a vote to authorize their introduction. As in the case of bills, they shall be engrossed in the house in which they originate before being voted upon.

PREPARATION AND INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

TITLE OF BILL

7. The title of every bill introduced shall convey an accurate idea of the contents of the bill and shall be indicative of the scope of the act and the object to be accomplished. In amending a code section, the mere reference to the section by number shall not be deemed sufficient

DIVISION OF BILL INTO SECTIONS.

8. Bills amending more than one section of existing laws shall contain a separate section for each section amended

Bills which are not amendatory of existing laws shall be divided into short sections, where this can be done without destroying the sense of any particular section, to the end that future amendments may be made without the necessity of setting forth and repeating sections of unnecessary length.

CHANGES FROM EXISTING LAWS TO BE MARKED BY AUTHOR.

9 In case of a bill amending a code section, or general law, all omissions must be shown by the insertion of heavy parentheses or brackets without including the omitted matter; all additions must be shown by underlining the new matter. When printed, the new matter so underlined shall be enclosed in heavy brackets in the printed bill and also heavy brackets shall be retained to show omissions.

COMMITTEE ON REVISION AND PRINTING TO EXAMINE BILLS WHEN INTRODUCED.

10 Unless otherwise ordered by the House in which the bill was introduced, all bills before being printed shall be immediately sent to the Committee on Revision and Printing, which shall examine the bill, with the aid of the Legislative Counsel Bureau. The committee, by and with the written assent of the author filed with it, shall have authority to correct any clerical error such as in orthography, adding or correcting the enacting clause, mistakes in numbering sections and references thereto, errors in grammar, phraseology, or in the form of the bill; *provided*, that no bill which bears the stamp of the Legislative Counsel Bureau showing that before introduction it has been examined as to form, shall be sent to the Committee on Revision and Printing.

NOTE—The submission of bill copy to Legislative Counsel Bureau for approval of form before introduction will expedite its course.

BILLS INTRODUCED TO INDICATE CHANGES IN EXISTING LAWS

11. The Committee on Revision and Printing shall see to it that rules seven and nine of these Joint Rules are observed by the author, and that the bill shall not be sent to the printer until the provisions of these rules have been carried out.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON REVISION AND PRINTING.

12. The Committee on Revision and Printing shall return to the Secretary of the Senate or Chief Clerk of the Assembly all bills in the order in which they were sent to it, but shall not retain any bill for longer than three legislative days, unless otherwise ordered.

ENDORSEMENT OF DATE OF INTRODUCTION.

13. Bills introduced in either House shall be endorsed with the date of introduction.

PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTION OF BILLS.

MANNER OF PRINTING BILLS, ETC.

14. The State Printer shall observe the following directions in printing all bills, constitutional amendments, joint and concurrent resolutions

(*a*) The body of such bills and resolutions shall be printed in solid unspaced form so that the same type shall be used both before and after enrollment.

(*b*) All titles of bills, resolutions, etc., shall be set in italics, statute form, and the length of the lines used in the bills shall not exceed that of the body of the bill.

(*c*) The lines of all printed bills shall be numbered by page and not by sections, and amendments shall be identified by reference to title, page and line only; *provided, however*, that concurrent resolutions approving city or county or city and county charters or amendments thereto may be set in smaller type without line numbers.

(*d*) Enrolled bills may be inclosed in stock cover.

PRINTING OF AMENDMENTS.

15. All bills amended by either House shall be immediately reprinted; in the case new matter is added by the amendments, such new matter shall be inclosed in heavy parentheses in the printed bill, and in the case of matter being omitted, the omission shall also be indicated by heavy parentheses. When a bill is amended in either house, the first or previous markings, except that showing change from code provision or former law, shall be omitted. When a bill amendatory of a code section is engrossed, all figures or symbols shall be removed.

DISTRIBUTION OF BILLS DURING CONSTITUTIONAL RECESS.

16. All requests for mailing or distribution by the members shall be filed with the Secretary of the Senate or Chief Clerk of the Assembly, who shall compile the same with the elimination of duplication as a general mailing list. The distribution of bills, constitutional amendments, joint and concurrent resolutions shall be systematized as follows: Members' desks and legislative officers, files 150 full sets; to authors 50 copies of their own bills, accredited newspaper representatives 25, to public and law libraries, newspapers, county officials, and other civic, commercial, fraternal or industrial organizations as the Secretary of the Senate and Chief Clerk of the Assembly may compile from the recommendations of the members of both houses, 1200 copies; to State officers, State library and Secretary of State, 200 copies, to legislative committees, bill room files and public requests—confined to single copies of bills designated, 1000 copies. The State Printer shall cause to be printed in the standard form adopted by the Senate and the Assembly as many copies of all bills, constitutional amendments and joint or concurrent resolutions as may be necessary to conform to the provisions of this rule.

A similar number and distribution shall be made of the semi-final history and final calendar.

DISTRIBUTION OF BILLS AFTER CONSTITUTIONAL RECESS.

17. Following the recess, new bills introduced shall be forwarded to the public libraries and law libraries only, and one copy each of amended bills as may be requested. Weekly Histories and Journals shall be distributed generally, following the recess, upon such schedule as the Secretary of the Senate and Chief Clerk of the Assembly may designate.

OTHER LEGISLATIVE PRINTING.

PRINTING OF THE DAILY JOURNAL.

18. The State Printer shall print 1000 copies of the Journal of each day's proceedings of each house; at the end of the session he shall also print a sufficient number of copies, properly paged after being corrected and indexed by the Secretary of the Senate and Chief Clerk of the Assembly, to bind in book form as the journal of the respective Houses of the Legislature as required by law.

WHAT SHALL BE PRINTED IN THE JOURNAL.

19. The following shall always be printed in the Journal of each House:

(*a*) Messages from the Governor and messages from the other House, and the titles of all bills, joint and concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments when introduced in, offered to, or acted upon by the House, and the title and text of joint and concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments when adopted by the House; *provided*, that in the case of a concurrent resolution approving the adoption of a charter or charter amendments of any kind, the text of such charter or charter amendments need not be printed in the Journal.

(*b*) Every vote taken in the House, and a statement of the contents of each petition, memorial, or paper presented to the House.

(*c*) A true and accurate account of the proceedings of the House, when not acting as a Committee of the Whole.

PRINTING OF THE DAILY FILE.

20. A Daily File of bills ready for consideration shall be printed each day for each House, and copies of the file of each House shall be distributed each day to all of the members of both Houses.

PRINTING OF HISTORY.

21. Each House shall cause to be printed on Monday of each week, during the session, a complete History of all bills, joint or concurrent resolutions and constitutional amendments originating in, or acted upon by the respective Houses.

Such History shall show the action taken upon each measure up to and including the legislative day preceding its issuance

For each legislative day intervening there shall be printed a Supplemental History showing the action taken upon any measure since the issuance of the complete History. A regular form shall be prescribed and no other form shall be used

Immediately following the adjournment for the constitutional recess the History shall be compiled and printed to date of recess.

AUTHORITY FOR PRINTING ORDERS

22. The Superintendent of State Printing shall not print for use of either House any matter other than provided by law or by these rules, except upon a written order signed by the Secretary of the Senate or the Chief Clerk of the Assembly. The Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly may also, when necessity requires it, order certain matter printed in advance of the regular order, by the issuance of a rush order.

RECORD OF BILLS.

SECRETARY AND CHIEF CLERK TO KEEP REGISTER

23. The Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly shall keep a register, in which shall be recorded every action taken by the Senate and Assembly on every bill, concurrent or joint resolution, or constitutional amendment.

SECRETARY AND CHIEF CLERK SHALL ENDORSE BILLS.

24. The Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly shall endorse on every original bill a statement of any action taken by the Senate and Assembly.

ACTION IN ONE HOUSE ON BILL TRANSMITTED FROM THE OTHER.

BILLS READ AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE.

25. When a Senate bill has been received by the Assembly or an Assembly bill by the Senate, with a message announcing that the same has passed the Senate or Assembly, such bill shall be read the first time by the Secretary or the Chief Clerk and referred to a standing committee by the presiding officer, unless otherwise ordered by the house.

AFTER A BILL HAS BEEN PASSED BY THE SENATE OR ASSEMBLY.

26. When a bill (if it be a Senate bill) has been received from the Senate by the Assembly, after its passage, or (if it be an Assembly bill) has been received from the Assembly by the Senate after its passage, it shall be taken up by the Senate or Assembly, as the case may be, under the regular order of business ("Senate messages" or "Assembly messages"), read the first time, unless otherwise ordered by the House, and shall then be assigned to the proper committee, unless otherwise ordered, who shall act upon the same as soon as practicable, and report the same back to the Senate or Assembly forthwith, and the chairman of each committee is charged with observance of this rule.

SPECIAL FILE.

27 On the second day after the close of the recess provided for in section 2, article IV of the constitution, the Senate and Assembly shall each adopt and provide a special file upon which shall be placed In the Senate, only Assembly bills that have passed the Assembly, and in the Assembly, only Senate bills that have passed the Senate. Such special file shall be taken up at two o'clock p m of each day in the Assembly and at two o'clock and thirty minutes p m. of each day in the Senate and be considered at least one hour and a half after being so taken up unless its consideration shall be completed in a lesser period of time. This rule shall not be suspended in either House except by a three-fourths vote of such House.

REPORTS FROM ONE HOUSE TO THE OTHER AS TO ACTION ON BILL.

BILL OR RESOLUTION IN ONE HOUSE, REJECTED IN THE OTHER, REQUIRES NOTICE.

28. When a bill or resolution which shall have passed one House is rejected by the other, notice thereof shall be given immediately to the House in which the same shall have passed.

EACH HOUSE TO TRANSMIT PAPERS.

29 Each House shall transmit to the other papers on which any bill or resolution shall be founded.

NOTICES TO BE IN WRITING, UNDER PROPER SIGNATURES

30 Notice of the action of either House to the other shall be in writing, and under the signature of the Secretary of the Senate or the Chief Clerk of the House from which such notice is to be conveyed

SECRETARY, CHIEF CLERK, ETC., TO DISPATCH MESSAGES.

31. Messages shall be sent to the other House by an officer or attache to be designated by the Secretary, if it be a Senate message, or by the Chief Clerk if it be an Assembly message

MESSAGES MUST BE ANNOUNCED BY THE SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

32. When a message shall be sent from either House it shall be announced at the door by the Sergeant-at-Arms, and shall be respectfully communicated to the presiding officer by the person by whom it may be sent.

PASSAGE AND ENROLLING OF BILLS.

PASSAGE OF BILLS TAKING EFFECT IMMEDIATELY.

33. Each House shall act in the usual course upon all bills that may be made to take effect immediately, under the provisions of section 1, article IV of the constitution

PASSAGE OF URGENCY PROVISIONS IN BILLS.

34. Upon the third reading of an act which is an urgency measure within the meaning of section 1 article IV of the State constitution, the presiding officer shall direct that the section of said act setting forth the facts constituting the necessity for such urgency (which shall be known as the urgency section) be then read and put to vote The question shall be thus stated. "Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?" If upon such final vote, two-thirds of all the members elected to the House in which the vote is being taken shall not vote in the affirmative, no further action shall be taken on the bill, but, in case an identical bill without such an emergency clause be again introduced into such House, such bill shall be placed on file without reference to any committee.

PASSAGE OF BILLS PRECEDING FINAL ADJOURNMENT

35. No Senate bill shall be passed by the Senate and no Assembly bill shall be passed by the Assembly within seven days of the time set for adjournment sine die of the two Houses of the Legislature, unless permission to vote on such bill shall be granted by a three-fourths vote of the House of its origin after being recommended by the presiding officer thereof.

ENROLLMENT OF BILL AFTER PASSAGE

36. After a bill shall have passed both houses, it shall be duly enrolled after being carefully compared, by the Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk and Committee of the House in which it originated, with the engrossed bill, as passed in the two houses. It shall then receive the signatures provided for in joint rule 37, and be presented to the Governor of the State.

ENROLLING COMMITTEE TO PRESENT BILLS TO GOVERNOR.

37. After a bill shall have been thus passed in each House, it shall be presented by the Engrossing and Enrolling Committee of the House in which it originated to the Governor of the State for his approval (it being first endorsed by the presiding officers of the two houses, and by the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly). The said committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor, which time shall be carefully entered in the Journal of the House in which the bill originated.

AMENDMENTS AND CONFERENCES.

AMENDMENTS TO AMENDED BILLS MUST BE ATTACHED.

38. Whenever a bill or resolution which shall have been passed in one House shall be amended in the other, it shall immediately be reprinted as amended by the House making such amendment or amendments. Such amendment or amendments shall be attached to the bill or resolution so amended, and indorsed "adopted," and such amendment or amendments, if concurred in by the House in which such bill or resolution originated, shall be indorsed "concurred in," and such indorsement shall be signed by the Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the Senate, or the Chief Clerk or Assistant Chief Clerk of the Assembly, as the case may be, *provided, however*, that an amendment to the title of a bill adopted after the passage of such bill shall not necessitate reprinting, but such amendment must be concurred in by the House in which such bill originated.

TO CONCUR OR REFUSE TO CONCUR IN AMENDMENTS.

39. In case the Senate amend and pass an Assembly bill, or the Assembly amend and pass a Senate bill, the Senate (if it be a Senate bill) or the Assembly (if it be an Assembly bill) must either "concur" or "refuse to concur" in the amendments. If the Senate concur (if it be a Senate bill), or the Assembly concur (if it be an Assembly bill), the Secretary or Chief Clerk shall notify the House making the amendments and the bill shall be ordered to enrollment.

WHEN SENATE OR ASSEMBLY REFUSE TO CONCUR.

40. If the Senate refuse to concur (if it be a Senate bill), or the Assembly refuse to concur (if it be an Assembly bill), the Secretary or the Chief Clerk shall notify the House making the amendments of such refusal, and ask that they recede from their amendments. If they refuse to recede, the presiding officer shall appoint a committee of three (3) on conference and the Secretary or the Chief Clerk shall immediately notify the other House of the action taken and request the appointment of a like committee. Two of the members comprising such committee from each House shall be selected from those voting with the majority on the point about which the difference has arisen, and the other member from each House of such committee shall be selected from the minority, in the event there is a minority vote. The first Senator named on the conference committee shall act as chairman of the committee from the Senate, and the first Assemblyman named on such committee shall act as chairman of the committee from the House, and the chairman thus selected shall arrange the time and place of all meetings and prepare or direct the preparation of reports. The Committee on Conference shall report to both the Senate and Assembly.

COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

41. In every case of an amendment of a bill agreed to in one House and dissented from in the other, if either House shall request a conference and appoint a committee to confer, the other House shall appoint a like committee, and such committee shall meet at a convenient hour, to be agreed upon by the respective chairmen of the committees.

COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

42. If the conference fail to agree or either House refuse to adopt the report of the committee, a Committee on Free Conference shall then be appointed, which shall consist of three members from each House, to be constituted and appointed in the same manner as a Committee on Conference. The Committee on Free Conference is hereby directed to include in its report any amendments which it may adopt as a committee, and such amendments shall be attached to the bill.

The report of the Committee on Free Conference shall not be subject to amendment, and if either House refuse to adopt such report the conferees may be discharged and other conferees appointed.

It shall require the affirmative vote of not less than four of the members constituting the committee to agree upon a report. No member who has served on a Committee on Conference shall be appointed a member of a Committee on Free Conference on the same bill.

WHEN CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT IS IN ORDER

43. The presentation of the report of a Committee on Conference or Free Conference shall always be in order, except when the Journal is being read or a question of order or a motion to adjourn is pending, or during roll call, and, when received, the question of proceeding to the consideration of the report, if raised, shall be immediately passed upon, and shall be determined without debate.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

44. The Committee on Joint Rules shall be empowered to compile a list of suggestions as to the form of bills and resolutions prepared for introduction into the Legislature.

PRESS RULES.

45. A person desiring recognition by the Senate or Assembly as a newspaper correspondent shall make application in writing to the President of the Senate or Speaker of the Assembly.

(*a*) The applicant shall state in writing the name of the newspaper or newspapers he represents and that he is not engaged, and will not become engaged as a lobbyist for any person, copartnership, corporation or interest and that he is not and will not become the agent or representative of any person, copartnership, organization or corporation in advocating or attempting to defeat any measure pending in either branch of the Legislature, that he is not employed in any executive, administrative or legislative department of the State government and will not become so employed while accepting the privileges of a press representative.

(*b*) It shall be the duty of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly to assign one or more rooms for the exclusive use of correspondents during the legislative session, which room shall be known as the Press Room. The Press Room shall be under the control of the Superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds, *provided*, that all rules and regulations shall be approved by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the Assembly.

ADJOURNMENT.

46. Adjournment for the constitutional recess and adjournment sine die shall be made only by concurrent resolution, and the resolution for adjournment sine die shall be passed by both houses at least twenty-eight days before the date of such adjournment.

JOINT ADDRESS TO GOVERNOR.

47. When the Senate and Assembly shall judge it proper to make a joint address to the Governor, it shall be presented to him in his audience chamber by the President of the Senate in the presence of the Speaker of the Assembly and a Select Committee of six members from each House appointed by the respective presiding officers

DISPENSING WITH JOINT RULES.

48. No Joint Rule shall be dispensed with except by a vote of two-thirds of each House; and Joint Rules 27 and 35 can be dispensed with only in the manner provided for in said Joint Rules. If either House shall violate a Joint Rule, a question of order may be raised in the other House and decided in the same manner as in the case of the violation of the rules of such House, and if it shall be decided that the Joint Rules have been violated, the bill involving such violation shall be returned to the House in which it originated, without further action. Or, at the option of such House, the President or Speaker may direct the Secretary or the Chief Clerk to mark the section or sections in conflict with the rules as nonconcurred in or negatived.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Approving a certain amendment to the charter of the city of San Jose, county of Santa Clara, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of San Jose at a special municipal election held therein on the fourth day of November, 1924—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-second day of January, 1925, at one o'clock and fifty minutes p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 64—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the funds for the acceptance of the appropriation of the federal government for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment, for the last half of the seventy-sixth fiscal year—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-second day of January, 1925, at one o'clock and fifty minutes p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 505—An act making an appropriation for money to be at the disposal of the district attorneys in the several counties of the State to be used for the purpose of bringing into the State for trial at the expense of the State, persons who are charged with forging or passing "bad" checks and further authorizing the district attorneys to expend of these funds, sufficient moneys to bring into the State witnesses for the purpose of prosecuting persons charged with drawing or uttering, "bad" checks or forging checks.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs. Hawes, Mitchell, Burns, Schmidt, Hornblower, Williamson, Jacobson, Levey, Morrison, Fry, Rosenshine, Miller, and Oliva: Assembly Bill No. 506—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco Teachers College.

Bill read first time, and referred to the Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Also Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Schmidt and Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 508—An act to add a new section to the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to be known as section 9*a*, relating to disputes concerning payments of compensation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.: Assembly Bill No. 510—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, said amendments adding subdivisions 1*a*, 5*a*, 5*b* and 5*c*, setting forth additional causes for revocation of licenses or certificates issued hereunder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 511—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any Laws

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts

of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913; relating to penalty for the purchase or sale of fraudulent credentials.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 513—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913; by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 18*a*, relating to practice under assumed name or title and the employing or associating with other individuals in the practice of any system of the healing art.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee of Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Oliva: Assembly Bill No. 514—An act to amend section 628*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of striped bass and shad.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 515—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of abalone.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

Also: Assembly Bill No. 516—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the manner of catching fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 517—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State fish exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industry; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No 518—An act to amend section 287 of the Civil Code of California, relating to how corporations may continue their existence under the code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Reindollar (by request): Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 857 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved May 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 520—An act to amend sections 1, 5, and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Miller, J. A: Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 52 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, or attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 1714*a*, relating to vehicles and persons being carried therein.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 337*a*, of the Penal Code, relating to pool selling, book making, bets and wagers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Mr. Levey: Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 633 of the Political Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 633c of the Political Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code, providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 618*a*, relating to investments by insurance companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 515 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the deputy superintendent of public instruction.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 533—An act adding a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered section 2205 and relating to the liability of stage lines, transfer companies and other common carriers operating over the public highways for loss or damage to baggage.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, by amending section 102 thereof, relative to headlights on motor vehicles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend an act to license canners, curers, preservers, and packers of fish and handlers of crustaceans and mollusks, and providing a revenue therefrom for the conservation, propagation and restoration of fish in the State of California, and providing for a record of fish caught or received, and providing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved May, 28, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No 536—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste; to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canneries or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform; to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers or fresh fish dealers; to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes, and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended May 18, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend sections 2, 50, and 57 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties, and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 539—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 540—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, relating to use of funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles

Also: Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to repeal section 4099 of the Political Code, relating to joint statements of auditor and treasurer.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

By Mr. Bernard (by request). Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602, subsection 9, of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 543—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of the storage, control and diversion of water for public use and public protection in the State of California, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Jost Assembly Bill No. 546—An act to prohibit pharmacists or druggists from overcharging for liquors prescribed by physicians; to prevent adulteration of such liquors and providing a penalty for any violation of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 547—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define trusts and to provide for criminal penalties and civil damages, and punishment of corporations, persons, firms, and associations, or persons connected with them, and to promote free competition in commerce and all classes of business in this State," approved March 23, 1907.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committtee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 548—An act to amend section 77 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supply or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power

of local authorities to enact or to enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 549—An act to amend an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to add a new section to article III of chapter II of title III of part I of division IV of the Civil Code to be known as section 3396 and relating to specific performance of marketing agreements of cooperative marketing associations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Messrs. McDowell, Heisinger and Foster: Assembly Bill No. 551—An act making an appropriation for permanent improvements on the summer session property of Fresno State Teachers College at Huntington Lake, Fresno County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary .

Also: Assembly Bill No. 553—An act to amend section 78 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to payment of fees and issuing licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles

Also: Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, regulating the refund of tax, on motor vehicle fuel, on certain sales

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Bill No 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton Channel.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No 557—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State in legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 23*a* of the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to permit for water rights.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No 559—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 6026*c*, relating to protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No 560—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in the counties of Yuba and Sutter.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of reinsurance companies to reinsure the business of county fire insurance companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 562—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

Also: Assembly Bill No 563—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a reclamation district to be called and known as 'Reclamation District No. 1500'; providing for the management and control thereof and dissolving all levee districts, swamp land districts, and reclamation districts, lying wholly within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500, providing for the liquidation and winding up of said dissolved districts, and excluding from any levee district, swamp land district and reclamation district any land lying within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500," approved April 30, 1913, as amended, relating to the election, appointment, powers, and duties of the trustees of said district, and relating to the management and control thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 564—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 637*g*, relating to closing by the Governor of the open season for the taking of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

Also: Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 3454 of the Political Code, relating to swamps, and overflowed, salt marsh and tide lands.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No 566—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to exempt property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 567—An act to repeal sections 19 and 20 of the "State Fish Exchange Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the fish exchange fund and the deposits of moneys to the State commission market fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No 568—An act to amend section 59 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 569—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the fish and game commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of marriage licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dayton: Assembly Bill No. 572—An act to conserve the fish supply of the State of California; to regulate the use of fish for canning, packing, preserving, curing, and the manufacture of fish flour fit for human consumption, and the manufacture of fish meal or fish oil; to empower the Fish and Game Commission to make an investigation of the abundance of sardines, anchovies and herring; to empower the Fish and Game Commission to bring injunction proceedings in the name of the people restraining the taking or using of any species of said fish showing depletion; providing for the dissolving or modification of said injunctions where there is no further danger of depletion.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No 573—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr Wright, S. V: Assembly Bill No. 574—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county park districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and

providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 575—An act to amend section 956 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to what may be reviewed on appeal from judgment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to amend section 632 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to upon trial by court, decision to be in writing and filed within thirty days.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California polytechnic school in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California polytechnic school or California farm institute.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No 580—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 581—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of the claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code of the State of California in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide that the Department of Engineering of the State of California may acquire for and in the name of the people of the State

of California, by purchase, donation, dedication or by proceedings in eminent domain, additional rights of way, land and trees on and along the course of any State highway,'' approved April 1, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 584—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots 10, 11 and 12 in block 4 of Diestelhorst's Addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block 5 and lots 6 and 7 in block 6 of said Diestelhorst's Addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1183*a*, 1183*b*, and 1183*c* and to amend sections 1184, 1184*a*, and 1184*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to securing the payment of claims of materialmen, laborers, contractors and subcontractors upon contracts awarded by boards, commissions or officers of the State or any political subdivision thereof and by private individuals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways

Also: Assembly Bill No. 587—An act to fix the liability of bidders to the State of California or to any county, city, municipality or political subdivision of said State who deposit money, certified checks

or bid bonds to guarantee that such bidder will enter into a contract if such contract is awarded to him.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the abandonment of portions of routes of State roads and highways by the advisory board of the State Department of Engineering, and for consent thereto in certain cases by county boards of supervisors," approved May 20, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o*, and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled: "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition or registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect with this act," approved May 30, 1923, in regard to the distribution and expenditure of funds provided by said act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No 591—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act relating to estrays, providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, relating to estrays

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 592—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "grain standardization fund."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 594—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relative to defectively acknowledged instruments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 595—An act to amend section 11 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the construction of apartment houses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended relating to the disposition of fees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No 597—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Messrs. Pierce and Smith: Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to amend sections 1510 and 1514 of the Political Code; to repeal section 1511*b*, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1511*b*, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Pierce: Assembly Bill No. 599—An act to amend sections 9 and 11 and to repeal sections 12 and 16 of the "State Commission Act" approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 61½, relating to the issuance by boards of directors of irrigation districts of new warrants and the extension of old warrants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr Duval: Assembly Bill No 601—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code fifty-eight new sections, to be numbered 2322*a*1, 2322*a*2, 2322*a*3, 2322*a*4, 2322*a*5, 2322*a*6, 2322*a*7, 2322*a*8, 2322*a*9, 2322*a*10, 2322*a*11, 2322*a*12, 2322*a*13, 2322*a*14, 2322*a*15, 2322*a*16, 2322*a*17, 2322*a*18, 2322*a*19, 2322*a*20, 2322*a*21, 2322*a*22, 2322*a*23, 2322*a*24, 2322*a*25, 2322*a*26, 2322*a*27, 2322*a*28, 2322*a*29, 2322*a*30, 2322*a*31, 2322*a*32, 2322*a*33, 2322*a*34, 2322*a*35, 2322*a*36, 2322*a*37, 2322*a*38, 2322*a*39, 2322*a*40, 2322*a*41, 2322*a*42, 2322*a*43, 2322*a*44, 2322*a*45, 2322*a*46, 2322*a*47, 2322*a*48, 2322*a*49, 2322*a*50, 2322*a*51, 2322*a*52, 2322*a*53, 2322*a*54, 2322*a*55, 2322*a*56, 2322*a*57, and 2322*a*58, relating to county horticultural commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

Also: Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions, to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, including in such repeal an act entitled the same as the title of this act to and including the word "herewith" in this title, which act was approved June 23, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 603—An act authorizing and directing the State Highway Commission to acquire a highway from Oxnard to El Rio, both in Ventura County, and declaring such highway to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways

Also: Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 10 of the "California Warehouse Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Browne (by request): Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274*c*, empowering boards of supervisors of any county to provide a fund from the filing fees in civil litigation for the payment of a fixed salary of official reporters of the superior court and authorizing county treasurers to pay the salaries of official reporters from such fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 606—An act to amend section 1729 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estates by the public administrator.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate for mining, irrigation and domestic purposes, and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 608—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of the fact of death.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No 610—An act to provide for the submission to the qualified electors of cities, or cities and counties, the question of establishment of municipal courts therein

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 611—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for murder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure

Also: Assembly Bill No 612—An act to regulate the erection, construction, alteration, conversion, maintenance and occupancy of hospitals, including sanitoriums, asylums and orphanages, detention homes including jails and prisons, places of public assemblage including auditoriums, assembly rooms, public halls, churches, theaters, and dance halls; public and private schools, and providing for its enforcement and fixing penalties for the violation hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1612*c*, relating to the education of children under control of the juvenile court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 615—An act appropriating money for the restoration and rebuilding of Fort Ross, Sonoma County, California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 617—An act to amend section 32 of the "Public Utilities Act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to what may be charged to operating expenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No 618—An act to regulate the placing or keeping of dangerous or destructive species of animals in preserves.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to provide for the reforestation, constructing and maintaining of fire lanes and fire trails on the Angeles National Forest, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No 620—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3440*a*, relating to transfers of personal property presumed fraudulent.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 621—An act to amend section 896 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to taxation of costs in justices' courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to service of writs, notices and other process in justices' courts

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 623—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 11*a*, relating to the appropriation of waters percolating through an underground reservoir or basin.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 625—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, maintenance, use and occupancy of houses or buildings occupied by human beings, to provide sanitary regulations, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 627—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 149, relating to trials of actions for divorce involving the custody of minor children.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 628—An act to provide for the appointment of an investigator and mediator to be appointed by the superior court in counties of the first, second and third class, and defining his duties and fixing his compensation and term of office.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Miller, Eleanor: Assembly Bill No. 629—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions upon devises and bequests for charitable purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Saylor: Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1609*a*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to define collection agencies, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 632—An act to fix and quiet titles to rights of way reserved without limit of time or location.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act requiring employers who provide hospital service for their employees and who make a charge therefor, to keep book records and accounts of all such charges, and to make an annual written report thereof; requiring each such charge to be just and reasonable and to be devoted to no other purpose than such hospital service; and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 8, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 373*a* of the Penal Code, relating to public nuisances.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 635—An act relating to outdoor advertising as in this act defined, and granting to municipalities the power to regulate or prohibit such advertising.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to amend sections 6 and 32 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect." approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 5 and section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings, and medicine, when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers, and providing for the indicating of quantity in the sale of commodities in respect to which there exists a definite trade custom, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended, relating to designation of quantity.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in progress of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods,

wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect." approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 640—An act to amend sections 8 and 20 of the "Pure Milk Law," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk in bottles and the labeling thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 20 and 21 of the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to unsanitary dairies, creameries, dairy plant licenses, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Runner: Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 637*g*, relating to poultry, game, and animals used for food purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 643—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to provide for the organization and government of highway districts, and to provide for the construction, acquisition and maintenance of highways in such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Bill No. 646—An act to amend section 689*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to selling personal property under execution.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Finney: Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in counties of the seventh class

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Roland (by request) · Assembly Bill No. 648—An act to amend that certain act entitled "Street Opening Act of 1903," approved March, 1903, and acts amendatory thereto

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Roland: Assembly Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 1880 and to add a new section to be numbered 1880*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to witnesses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Charities and Corrections, prescribing its duties and powers and appropriating money therefor," approved March 25, 1903, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Jost Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 17 of the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the weighing, sampling and testing of milk and cream.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 16 of the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the licensing of persons handling dairy products and preventing artificial price fixing in connection therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 19 of the "Pure Milk Law," approved June 15, 1923, relating to pasteurization.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Dayton: Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 19 of the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to restriction on transporation of butter from outside the State, not produced in conformity with the "General Dairy Law of California."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to authorize the city of Vallejo, Solano County California, to enter into partition agreement between the city of Vallejo and claimants of tideland locations granted to the city of Vallejo by the State of California under State patents issued to such claimants which had the effect of conveying legal title subject to public easement and right of navigation

and fisheries, and to authorize the city of Vallejo to allot to such claimants not in excess of one-half of said property and release the public right of navigation and fisheries as to such portions as may not be longer required for such purpose

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 656—An act to validate the partition between the city of Vallejo and certain claimants of certain tidelands in the city of Vallejo, Solano County, California, and to declare that certain tidelands affected by such partitions are not required for public use.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of household articles and authorizing the use of concealed materials for the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Messrs. Spalding and Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 658—An act authorizing justices of the Supreme Court and of the District Courts of Appeal and judges of the superior court, of the State of California to temporarily retire from regular service after reaching the age of sixty-five years and after service of at least twenty years in one or more of said courts and providing for service and compensation therefor of such justices or judges and for designating and assigning justices and judges pro tempore to act in place of such retiring justices or judges and providing for their duties, expenses and compensation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 659—An act appropriating money for the purchase of a new site for the University of California, southern branch.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 660—An act to amend subdivision (*b*) and sections 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such license; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, including in such repeal an act entitled the same as the title of this act to and including the word "herewith" in this title, which act was approved June 23, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 661—An act to appropriate money for the erection of new buildings for the University of California, southern branch.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to authorize the counties of the State of California to establish retirement salary systems for their employees," approved May 20, 1919, to be numbered 2½, relating to dissolution of such systems and powers of the board of supervisors with reference thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs. Weller and Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure; relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 664—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of the present site of the University of California, southern branch.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 665—An act to regulate smudging and orchard heating, and to regulate the use of heaters and devices used for such purpose.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior court in San Bernardino County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737*bbb*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges of Contra Costa County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hartranft: Assembly Bill No. 668—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county officers from the State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section to be numbered 752*c*.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 670—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Seal Beach, subject to certain trusts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 671—An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sale and shipment of citrus fruits damaged by frost, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved May 3, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Anderson, R J.: Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the superintendents of schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 673—An act to amend section 791 of the Political Code, relating to notaries public.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Roland. Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend sections 1775 and 1778 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of teachers certificates.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to workmen's compensation insurance carriers and self-insurers, classification of risks and premium rates relative thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 676—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification and capital requirements of insurance companies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 677—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 678—An act to amend section 626*o* of the Penal Code, regulating the use of decoys, pits and professional guides in hunting ducks or geese and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 679—An act to amend sections 1617, 1662 and 1720 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 680—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the county superintendent of schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 681—An act to amend section 410 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of the laws, resolutions and journals of Legislature; of reports of Supreme Court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 682—An act creating a system of State highways, classifying the State highways now in the State highway system, dividing the State into State highway districts and providing for the disposition of State highway funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 683—An act to amend section 1357 of the Political Code, relating to procuring ballots by absent voters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to amend section 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens and filing of the same for record.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 686—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No. 687—An act to be known as the State Highway Improvement District Act and to provide for work on State highways; for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon; for the issue of bonds representing all or any portion of the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in special assessment districts established for the purpose; and for State, county and municipal aid in such work.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening and straightening, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, parks, commons and all public places and other properties and rights of way of the public, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county, or lying within such territory and one or more municipalities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways

Also: Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act by amending sections 44, 77, 95, 96, 114, 138, 145 and 153, relative to the renewal of registration of motor vehicles and to the operation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act by amending section 2 thereof relative to bicycles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committeee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 330 of the Penal Code, relating to gambling.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Mr Adams: Assembly Bill No 692—An act to amend section 1 of "An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations, approved June 1, 1917, and any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 693—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations, approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28, and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act," approved May 23, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 694—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28, and 29, thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22 and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Schmidt (by request): Assembly Bill No 695—An act adding a new section to be numbered section 11, to an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Bill No 696—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McDonough (by request): Assembly Bill No. 697—An act to repeal section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prohibit the advertis-

ing of venereal disease remedies and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 11, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 698—An act to appropriate money to build a grand stand at the State Fair Grounds at Sacramento.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the registration, brand and labeling of the same, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of the act, providing penalties for violation of the same, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Mueller: Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 701—An act declaring the public highway from San Diego to the State boundary line opposite Tia Juana in Lower California, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 702—An act to amend section 626*j* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 703—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 704—An act creating the California military reserve, providing for the appointment of officers therein, and when said reserve may be called into active service.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 705—An act to promote the agricultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with bee diseases, defining the powers and duties of the director of the Department of Agriculture, his agents and inspectors in each county in relation hereto, declaring any and all apiaries infected with bee diseases to be a public nuisance, prohibiting the keeping of bees in immovable or stationary frame hives, prohibiting the sale, barter or removal of any diseased bees, hives or appliances without permit, providing for the licensing of beekeepers, including the payment of fees, making a violation of the provisions hereof a public nuisance, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to authorize and empower the Director of Agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno and Los Angeles, making the expenditure of funds under the provisions hereof contingent upon the expenditure of a like sum by the United States Department of Agriculture, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, authorizing the acceptance by the Department of Agriculture of donations to be expended in accordance with the provisions hereof, and creating the agricultural leased wire fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to amend section 19.c17 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and

eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as Johnson grass," approved March 20, 1903, together with all amendments thereto, and repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No 709—An act to amend section 637*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 710—An act to amend section 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to exemptions from jury service.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 711—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of abalones and the protection of clams.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,' approved May 19, 1915," as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr Rosenshine: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14—Proposed amendment to article XII of the constitution, relative to the issuance of stock or bonds by corporations.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 15—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to the holding of stock of water companies by irrigation districts.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16—Proposed amendment to article____of the constitution relative to a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution by adding a new section to article VI thereof, to be numbered section 4½, relative to courts of appellate jurisdiction.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to legislative reapportionment.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the appropriation of funds for carrying out certain recommendations of the chief staff of the United States Army made in furtherance of the National Defense Act of 1920.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13—Relative to the improvement of the San Joaquin River and Stockton Channel by the United States and asking the United States to appropriate sums of money for dredging, deepening, widening, and otherwise improving the said channels.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Messrs. Campbell and Carter: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to a southern branch of the University of California.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Universities.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Relative to charging of rate of taxation for State purposes.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city, at a special election held therein, on the ninth day of December, 1924.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

MOTION.

Mr. Sewell moved that the Committee on Municipal Corporations be instructed to report Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8 back on the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to a legislative inquiry into the conditions existing in the State land settlement colony at Delhi and requesting the appointment of a joint committee of ten members, five from the Assembly and five from the Senate, to make necessary investigations.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

MOTION.

Mr. Adams moved that the Committee on Municipal Corporations be instructed to report Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9 back on the next legislative day.

Motion carried

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 10—Relative to approving amendments to the charter of the city of Watsonville,

county of Santa Cruz, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of the said city of Watsonville at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the nineteenth day of January, 1925.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Assemblyman Jones asked as a special privilege permission to distribute oranges furnished by the orange growers of his district, and also announced the holding of the National Orange Show in the city of San Bernardino from February 14 to 24, 1925.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED

Mr. Campbell waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 486 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 486 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and forty minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, January 23, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, January, 23, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Rev. R. B. McAulay of the Fremont Presbyterian Church of Sacramento

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mr. V. M. Moir of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. J. R. Scott, City Attorney of Manteca, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Eksward, Mr. Glenn D. Williams of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr and Mrs. D Fricot of San Andreas was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Miss Ray Rooney of San San Andreas were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Superior Judge J. A. Smith and Mrs. Smith of San Andreas were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Crittenden, Mr. William F. Stretch, President of Manteca Chamber of Commerce, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Runner, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, Mr. Jost was granted leave of absence for the day.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, By the Board of Trustees of the city of San Bruno, that the Legislature of the State of California and the members thereof, be, and they are hereby respectfully petitioned and requested by this board in behalf of the people of the city of San Bruno, to use their best efforts to have all bills which are introduced printed as speedily as possible so that copies may be procured by interested citizens without delay.

NETTIE A. WILLITS,
City Clerk of the City of San Bruno.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to joint rules of Senate and Assembly, and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Concurrent Resolution ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No 9—Relative to interpretation of the Motor Vehicle Act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Badham asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER NINE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 9—Relative to interpretation of the Motor Vehicle Act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of the Concurrent Resolution No. 9 the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, after the word "WHEREAS," strike out the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the legislature, during its session of 1923, passed an act known as the vehicle act, and

WHEREAS, Said act provided as follows

"Nothing in this act shall be construed as preventing the use on a motor vehicle of any headlight lamp, device or equipment heretofore approved by the division until December 31, 1924, unless such approval is revoked in accordance with the provisions hereof. After December 31 1924, it shall be unlawful to use on any highway in this state any headlight, lamp, device or equipment which shall not have been approved by the division as in this act provided" And

WHEREAS, The state motor vehicle department has so construed said act as to compel the installation of certain lighting devices on cars, manufactured prior to 1919, which are now lighted from their magnetos, which said installation will cause the expenditure of a large sum of money upon cars of small value used principally in the daytime by farmers and laborers in commercial pursuits, and

WHEREAS, It is proposed by certain members of the legislature to introduce for the consideration of this legislature certain amendments to the vehicle act relating to the lighting provisions thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That it be the sense of this legislature that the provisions of said section herein quoted be extended by the motor vehicle department to September 1, 1925, in so far as it applies to cars manufactured prior to 1919 where the same are lighted from their magnetos. And be it further

Resolved, That it be the sense of this legislature that no requirements as to lighting facilities other than equipment heretofore approved on the division be required as to cars manufactured prior to 1919 as a prerequisite for registration of said cars for the year 1925

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the superintendent of the motor vehicle department of the State of California."

Amendment adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 ordered to reprint and on file for adoption.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE.
SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly.

I am transmitting to you herewith the report of the Surveyor General on the presence of oil on California beaches, as authorized by Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 23, adopted by the Legislature at the 1923 session.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor

REPORT OF THE SURVEYOR GENERAL ON THE PREVALENCE OF OIL UPON THE BEACHES ALONG THE COAST OF CALIFORNIA.

As authorized by Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23, Statutes of California, 1923.

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SACRAMENTO, January 16, 1925.

To His Excellency, Friend Wm. Richardson,
Governor of California.

DEAR SIR I submit herewith for your consideration the report of the Surveyor General on the presence of oil on California beaches, authorized by Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23, filed with the Secretary of State May 21, 1923, reading as follows

"Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to an investigation by the surveyor general of the prevalence of oil upon the beaches along the coast of California.

[Filed with Secretary of State May 21, 1923.]

WHEREAS, The beaches along the coast of California are among the most desirable pleasure places in the state and furnish a means of recreation to a great many people, and

WHEREAS, There is at the present time a great prevalence of crude oil and petroleum in the waters along such beaches which is washed upon and scattered along the beaches themselves making them undesirable for pleasure purposes and preventing their use and enjoyment; and

WHEREAS, The value and desirability of maintaining such beaches in a condition in which they may be used for pleasure purposes by the people of the state is a matter of concern to the entire state and has already been recognized by the legislature by a provision of the act of 1921 reserving minerals in state lands which prohibits the leasing of tidelands in front of an incorporated city and for a mile on either side for the purpose of drilling for oil; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the surveyor general of this state be and hereby is authorized and directed to make a complete survey and investigation of such situation and to determine the causes for the presence of such crude oil or petroleum on the beaches and to arrive, if possible, at a method for preventing the same; and be it further

Resolved, That the surveyor general shall make a full and complete report of his findings with all data so obtained to the governor of this state together with any plans and suggestions he may deem expedient."

I have made every effort to present to you a report completely and accurately covering the situation I have carefully inspected the beaches where the most trouble has been experienced and I have conferred in person or by correspondence with Federal, State, County and City officials, private geologists, the California State Mineralogist, State Oil and Gas Supervisor, State Fish and Game Commission, State Attorney General, with Oil Company officials, and with Chambers of Commerce, Bath House men, and many private citizens, some of whom were entirely disinterested. I have collected all clippings, articles and data that have come to my attention

I have secured particularly valuable data from the United States Bureau of Mines, the National Coast Anti-pollution League, and from the State Fish and Game Commission. I have taken advantage of every source of information available, that I might make an accurate and fair presentation of the facts, together with such recommendations for methods of prevention as appear best suited to meet the situation

Respectfully submitted.

W. S. KINGSBURY, State Surveyor General.
By GEORGE R. HILBY, Assistant.

CHAPTER II.

General Review of Situation.

The problem of oil on bathing beaches is a very serious one. It is not confined to California alone nor even to the United States, but it is a world wide condition which has arisen and grown steadily worse, since oil has come into use, as fuel. The United States Bureau of Mines has made a thorough investigation to determine the cause of this condition. Hearings have been held before the Committee on Rivers and Harbors of the House of Representatives and before the Commerce Committee of the United States Senate, finally resulting in the passage of an act by Congress (Public No. 238—68th Congress.) (S. 1942.) to protect navigation

from obstruction and injury by preventing the discharge of oil into the coastal navigable waters of the United States

The act makes it a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine or imprisonment or both, to discharge oil from vessels into the coastal navigable waters and authorizes the Secretary of War to ascertain what polluting substances are being deposited into certain waters of the United States

Following is a copy of the act:

"[PUBLIC—No. 238—68TH CONGRESS.]
[S. 1942.]

An Act To protect navigation from obstruction and injury by preventing the discharge of oil into the coastal navigable waters of the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That this Act may be cited as the 'Oil Pollution Act, 1924.'

SEC. 2. When used in this Act, unless the context otherwise requires—

(a) The term 'oil' means oil of any kind or in any form, including fuel oil, oil sludge, and oil refuse;

(b) The term 'person' means an individual, partnership, corporation, or association; any owner, master, officer or employee of a vessel, and any officer, agent, or employee of the United States;

(c) The term 'coastal navigable waters of the United States' means all portions of the sea within the territorial jurisdiction of the United States, and all inland waters navigable in fact in which the tide ebbs and flows;

(d) The term 'Secretary' means the Secretary of War

SEC 3 That, except in case of emergency imperiling life or property, or unavoidable accident, collision, or stranding, and except as otherwise permitted by regulations prescribed by the Secretary as hereinafter authorized, it shall be unlawful for any person to discharge, or suffer, or permit the discharge of oil by any method, means, or manner into or upon the coastal navigable waters of the United States from any vessel using oil as fuel for the generation of propulsion power, or any vessel carrying or having oil thereon in excess of that necessary for its lubricating requirements and such as may be required under the laws of the United States and the rules and regulations prescribed thereunder The Secretary is authorized and empowered to prescribe regulations permitting the discharge of oil from vessels in such quantities, under such conditions, and at such times and places as in his opinion will not be deleterious to health or sea food, or a menace to navigation, or dangerous to persons or property engaged in commerce on such waters, and for the loading, handling, and unloading of oil.

SEC 4. That any person who violates section 3 of this Act, or any regulation prescribed in pursuance thereof, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $2,500 nor less than $500, or by imprisonment not exceeding one year nor less than thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, for each offense. And any vessel (other than a vessel owned and operated by the United States) from which oil is discharged in violation of section 3 of this Act, or any regulation prescribed in pursuance thereof, shall be liable for the pecuniary penalty specified in this section, and clearance of such vessel from a port of the United States may be withheld until the penalty is paid, and said penalty shall constitute a lien on such vessel which may be recovered in proceedings by libel in rem in the district court of the United States for any district within which the vessel may be

SEC. 5. A board of local inspectors of vessels may, subject to the provisions of section 4450 of the Revised Statutes, and of the Act entitled 'An Act to provide for appeals from decisions of local inspectors of vessels, and for other purposes,' approved June 10, 1918, suspend or revoke a license issued by any such board to the master or other licensed officer of any vessel found violating the provisions of section 3 of this Act.

SEC. 6. That no penalty or the withholding of clearance, or the suspension or revocation of licenses, provided for herein, shall be enforced for any violation of this Act occurring within three months after its passage

SEC. 7. That in the administration of this Act the Secretary may make use of the organization, equipment, and agencies, including engineering, clerical, and other personnel, employed under his direction in the improvement of rivers and harbors, and in the enforcement of existing laws for the preservation and protection of navigable waters. And for the better enforcement of the provisions of this Act, the officers and agents of the United States in charge of river and harbor improvements, and the assistant engineers and inspectors employed under them by authority of the Secretary, and officers of the Customs and Coast Guard Service of the United States, shall have power and authority and it shall be their duty to swear out process and to arrest and take into custody, with or without process, any person who may violate any of said provisions *Provided*, That no person shall be arrested without process for a violation not committed in the presence of some one of the aforesaid officials: *And provided further*, That whenever any arrest is made under

the provisions of this Act the person so arrested shall be brought forthwith before a commissioner, judge, or court of the United States for examination of the offenses alleged against him, and such commissioner, judge, or court shall proceed in respect thereto as authorized by law in cases of crimes against the United States.

SEC. 8. That this Act shall be in addition to the existing laws for the preservation and protection of navigable waters and shall not be construed as repealing, modifying, or in any manner affecting the provisions of those laws.

SEC. 9. That the Secretary is authorized and directed to make such investigation as may be necessary to ascertain what polluting substances are being deposited into the navigable waters of the United States, or into nonnavigable waters connecting with navigable waters, to such an extent as to endanger or interfere with navigation or commerce upon such navigable waters or the fisheries therein; and with a view to ascertaining the sources of such pollutions and by what means they are deposited; and the Secretary shall report the results of his investigation to the Congress not later than two years after the passage of this Act, together with such recommendations for remedial legislation as he deems advisable: *Provided*, That funds appropriated for examinations, surveys, and contingencies of rivers and harbors may be applied to paying the cost of this investigation, and, to adequately provide therefor, the additional sum of not to exceed $50,000 is hereby authorized to be appropriated for examinations, surveys, and contingencies of rivers and harbors.

Approved, June 7, 1924."

The centers of the zones of greatest pollution appear to be Redondo, San Pedro, Long Beach and Huntington Beach.

Oil is drained from Los Angeles fields through storm sewers draining into Ballona Creek, which empties into the ocean at Playa del Rey north of Redondo. The beaches to the north at Venice, Ocean Park and Santa Monica have at times been polluted from Ballona Creek, but at these points I am convinced that practically all the trouble comes from shipping.

Directly west of Redondo about two miles, there is a submarine oil spring which doubtless has been a large contributing factor, to the pollution of Redondo, Hermosa and Manhattan Beaches.

Practically all the pollution at San Pedro comes from the shipping and from spillage at the oil loading stations. Secretary of Commerce H. C. Hoover estimated that generally about ninety per cent of oil pollution comes from ships. (See Hearings on Pollution of Navigable Waters, Committee on Rivers and Harbors, House of Representatives, Sixty-eighth Congress, page 12.)

Oil is also drained from Signal Hill field through storm sewers and the open ditch leading into the flood control channel, which empties into the ocean at Long Beach. At Huntington Beach oil has been drained from the oil field through storm waterways. At these points the oil field drainage is largely, but not altogether, responsible for the pollution of the beaches.

At Pismo Beach, a great deal of damage to the clam industry was done at one time, but through several court actions initiated by the State Fish and Game Commission, the trouble was overcome.

CHAPTER III.

The Shipping Situation

One of the greatest sources of pollution is the shipping, including both tankers and cargo vessels. This occurs principally in four ways, as follows:

1. Discharge of ballast water.
2. Pumping out bilges.
3. Cleaning out tanks for inspection or repairs.
4. Spillage in transferring oil.

Ballast water is carried in the empty oil tanks of tankers and in the empty fuel tanks of practically all oil burning vessels, to preserve stability. If the weather is fair upon approaching the port of destination, the ballast water is discharged, and with it a certain amount of oil. As the tanks are pumped from the bottom, the oil scum which floats on the top does not begin to appear until the depth of the water in the tank is reduced to about three feet. It is now the general practice of the tankers operated by the large oil companies to reduce the depth to about three feet while out at sea, retaining the balance for discharge and salvage, while at the loading station. This reduces the loss of oil through the discharge of ballast water to a very small amount.

The ability of a ship to handle any oily water which may accumulate is dependent upon the design of the ship. Most of the modern ships should have little difficulty in properly retaining ballast water for discharge at the loading station, and the installation on each ship of a successful oil separation device will prevent pollution from all others. This will undoubtedly be the ultimate solution of this phase of the problem.

The largest part of the pollution of the Southern California beaches has been due in the past to improper discharge of ballast water, but it is believed that enforcement of the recent legislation enacted by Congress will prevent practically all the pollution from this source.

Pumping out bilges This source of pollution has always existed, since steamships have come into general use, but particularly since the steamships have been using oil as fuel It is doubtless a contributing factor in the Pacific Coast problem, but not a large one It was not noticeable before oil came into general use as fuel. The installation of a small separator and a little care in operation will probably eliminate this source of pollution

It is believed that this phase of the situation will be remedied through the operation of the new United States law

Cleaning out tanks for inspection or repairs This is sometimes done at sea. It is probable that the Secretary of War will make rules and regulations governing, and provide facilities for, the discharge of waste products of this kind in every case.

Spillage in transferring oil In the past there had been a great deal of spillage at the loading stations in San Pedro Harbor, but the City of Los Angeles employed watchmen at these places to prevent carelessness in operation, and conditions have since improved greatly As the amount of oil being shipped is constantly decreasing, the pollution from this source will decrease proportionately

CHAPTER IV.

Oil Field Drainage

Aside from the shipping, this is the most prolific cause of pollution of the beaches.

The principal region affected by this condition is that around Long Beach. It also occasionally occurs at several other places, particularly at Huntington Beach, and at the mouth of Ballona Creek At Long Beach, where the largest amount of oil has been produced and where, consequently, the greatest amount of trouble has been experienced, the situation appears to be fairly well under control The oil and water which escape from the sumps at the wells, drain into a ditch which leads to a settling basin As the oil accumulates on the top of the water in the settling basin, it is skimmed off and pumped into the pipe line, and the water is allowed to flow down a storm drain to the Flood Control Channel. Just before reaching the Flood Control Channel, the water goes through another system of sumps and the waste oil recovered is burned In normal times, with a small amount of water coming down, the system is very successful in preventing practically all oil from entering the Flood Control Channel from Long Beach Field

However, due to the close spacing of the wells in both Long Beach and Huntington Beach fields, and the small size of individual holdings there is often not enough room for proper storage space for waste oil and water Inadequate sumps maintained by individual operators are a constant menace for in a heavy rainstorm, the great amount of water will carry down large quantities of oil which have accumulated in the sumps The capacity of the settling basins cannot be increased in proportion, and the oil will be swept out through the storm drains, into the Flood Control Channel, and from thence carried to the bay and brought back on the beach, by the tide. This has happened in the past at Long Beach, Huntington Beach and through Ballona Creek, and will continue to happen until successful preventive action is taken. The sides of the Flood Control Channel, at Long Beach, particularly near the high water mark, bear the evidence of many such occurrences. At Huntington Beach I found oily masses which were attached to chips of wood in such a way as to indicate very clearly that they had come from an oil sump The only practical solution to the problem is a cooperative separation system of sufficient capacity to meet any emergency.

The city officials of Long Beach have done everything in their power to prevent pollution of their beach and have succeeded in reducing the damage to a minimum. The Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County passed a resolution to assist in every way possible to prevent the pollution of beaches by oil. However, there appears to be some doubt as to the applicability of the sections of the Penal Code covering the situation and I believe that a specific provision of law should be enacted directly prohibiting pollution by oil of waters which drain into the ocean, or which may in time of flood, drain into the ocean at or near a bathing beach.

CHAPTER V.

Submarine Oil Springs

There are several places along the coast of California where oil and gas are continually escaping from points in the bed of the ocean. They are opposite Naples, Carpinteria, Manhattan, Redondo and San Juan Capistrano. The principal one that concerns the Southern California beaches is directly west of Redondo and is shown extending from a point about one and one-half miles off shore to a point about three miles off shore, on the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey Chart of Santa Monica Bay corrected to May 29, 1923. The depth of the water at the center of this spot is 72 fathoms. It lies at the head of a canyon and is practically all in water too deep for divers to work in, so that at present there appears to be no practical way of exploration of the bottom of the sea at this point, or any remedy or method of prevention of pollution from this source.

FISH AND GAME COMMISSION OF CALIFORNIA, San Pedro.

State of California }
County of Los Angeles } ss.

Harry H. Rogers, being first duly sworn, deposes and says I have been fishing off Hermosa and Redondo for the past nine years, and during this time have known of two oil seepages which cover the surface of the ocean for acres One is about three miles off Redondo and the other is off Manhattan about four miles. This oil at times drifts up on the beach.

HARRY H. ROGERS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of March, 1921.

C. S. BAUDER,
Assistant Fish and Game Commissioner.

FISH AND GAME COMMISSION OF CALIFORNIA, San Pedro.

State of California }
County of Los Angeles } ss.

H. Carstensen, being first duly sworn, deposes and says. I have been fishing for the market for about 28 years, off Redondo, and during this time have always found crude oil on the surface of the water along the shore between Manhattan and Redondo. At times this oil is carried on to the beach by the wind and currents It is common knowledge that this oil comes from a natural oil spring off shore

H. CARSTENSEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of March, 1921.

C. S. BAUDER,
Assistant Fish and Game Commissioner.

CHAPTER VI.

Refineries, Industrial Plants and Pipe Lines.

Refineries I do not believe that much damage is being done from this source As a rule, refineries find it profitable to save every drop of oil possible, and they are well equipped to prevent any loss of oil into the discharge water, except possibly under extraordinary circumstances The Standard Oil Refinery at El Segundo has been accused of polluting the beaches, in times past, but it does not appear that this accusation has any foundation in fact. On April 25, 1921, C S. Bauder, Assistant Fish and Game Commissioner at San Pedro, after a thorough investigation, including an inspection of the Standard Oil Refinery and a chemical analysis of the discharge water, reported that the real cause of the oil on the beach at this point, is the submarine oil spring off Redondo, and that every effort was being made by the officers of the Standard Oil Company to prevent any pollution of the ocean waters at El Segundo.

Industrial Plants. I was unable to find any case where the discharge from an industrial plant was polluting the water with oil.

Pipe Line Breaks. There have been several very bad breaks in pipe lines, resulting in the pollution of the vicinity for many months. The oil companies are taking every possible precaution to prevent such accidents and I do not think anything could be done that would entirely eliminate this source of pollution.

CHAPTER VII.

City Sewers.

There appears to be a great deal of oil and grease in city sewage, but the city officials of Los Angeles, where the greatest amount of pollution from this source would naturally be, are doing everything in their power to keep this condition under control, as the oil and grease interfere with sewage treatment and assimilation by the ocean water and are consequently very undesirable I do not think that enough oil escapes through the sanitary sewers to noticeably pollute the beach, but I am satisfied that oil from oil fields escapes at intervals through storm sewers.

CHAPTER VIII

Summary.

Sources of Pollution and Remedies

1 Shipping. This will probably be properly taken care of by the War Department.

2. Oil Field Drainage Enactment of law recommended.

3 Submarine Oil Springs. No remedy.

4 Refineries, Industrial Plants, and Pipe Lines Little pollution from these sources.

5. Sewage Proper regulation of oil field drainage will practically eliminate this source.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Assembly Bill No 344—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for salaries and support of the State Department of Agriculture for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Anderson, R J.: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to requesting the Attorney General of the State of California to appoint a special prosecutor to represent the people of the county of Shasta against said John H. Vail on the charge of murdering James S. White in said county.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr Anderson, R. J., asked for unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12, at this time, without reference to committee or printer.

MOTION.

Mr. Coombs moved that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 12 be referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried

The speaker referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12 to Committee on Judiciary

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 8—Relative to approving the charter of the City of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city, at a special election held therein, on the ninth day of December, 1924;

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 10—To approving amendments to the charter of the city of Watsonville, county of Santa Cruz, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of the said city of Watsonville at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the nineteenth day of January, 1925;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Sewell asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHT.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the

qualified electors of said city, at a special election held therein, on the ninth day of December, 1924.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 8.

Relative to approving the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city, at a special election held therein, on the ninth day of December, 1924.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Cleveland asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Relative to approving amendments to the charter of the city of Watsonville, county of Santa Cruz, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city of Watsonville at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the nineteenth day of January, 1925.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 10.

To approving amendments to the charter of the city of Watsonville, county of Santa Cruz, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of the said city of Watsonville at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the nineteenth day of January, 1925.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency the following:

Senate Bill No. 230—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for emergency fund for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years;

Also Senate Bill No. 231—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of insane and prisoners for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 230 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 231 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 10, 14, 15 and 19 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to amend "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended by act approved December 24, 1911, by amending section 12 thereof as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 714—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts to levy tax to meet deficiencies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, assist in felling, preparing or transporting logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products

from such logs and providing for means by which the owner of such logs or products manufactured therefrom may protect by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor; to add a new section to Civil Code to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens, to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee to Judiciary

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No 716—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No 717—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to acknowledgments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 718—An act regulating the buying, receiving as a pledge and shipping of builders' tools, and requiring every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, to secure from every person who sells or pledges builders' tools satisfactory written evidence of his rights to sell or pledge the same; establishing a prima facie presumption that any such tools bought or received in pledge, without such written evidence, were so bought or so received in pledge, with knowledge that they were stolen; and also requiring every such person, firm or corporation to keep a register of all such tools bought or received as a pledge, and to deliver daily, except on legal holidays, a copy thereof to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department, or to the sheriff of the county; and prescribing a penalty for violation of the act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 719—An act authorizing the sending of the librarians of any and all publicly supported libraries in the State to meetings of the California Library Association, and the payment of the expenses incident thereto.

Bill read first time and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of, and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors, and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to the appointment of employees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 721—An act to amend section 69*a* of the Civil Code, relative to the certificate of registry of marriage.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No 722—An act to promote the development of the California olive industry and to protect the State's reputation in such industry by establishing and defining certain standards for canned olives, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned olives, and to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 724—An act providing that any reversionary restriction in titles of real estate shall be inoperative and void after the reasons for the restrictions have, through operation of law, ceased to exist, and providing that any reversionary restriction shall not be operative for more than a period of twenty-one years or during the life of the person holding the reversionary interest.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Brock: Assembly Bill No 725—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking." approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 15, 15*a*, 21*a*, 62, 65, 80, 83, 96, 101, 123, 130, 132, and 138, and by adding new sections thereto, to be numbered sections 16, 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, 16*e*, and 104, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 of an act entitled "An act relating to the liquidation of banks by the Superintendent of Banks; empowering him to levy assessments against the members and stockholders of any bank in process of liquidation by him to an amount which he may determine to be necessary to promptly pay the creditors of such bank in full; to enforce such assessments by suit and empowering the superior court to determine the equities of the members and stockholders of any such bank to any surplus which may remain after the payment of the creditors of such bank in full, and to award and distribute the same accordingly," approved May 17, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 727—An act to repeal section 290½ of the Civil Code, relating to the names, powers of corporations, and the purposes for which certain corporations may be formed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to provide for the investigation of matters relating to the public welfare in connection with the welfare

of women and children in the State of California by a committee of nine women to be appointed by the Governor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 730—An act to amend sections 852*a* and 881 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections for and adoption of the commission form of government, and relating to the compensation of officers of municipalities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to boundaries of municipalities

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Pierce: Assembly Bill No. 732—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious diseases, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposal of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 733—An act to amend section 1861 of the Civil Code, relating to liens of innkeepers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hartranft: Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of waterworks and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to elections.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet, or other arm of sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to

have charge and control of the improvement, development, or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 15, 1915, as amended, relating to improvement.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relative to incorporated cities and school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 737—An act to amend section 42 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of drainage districts, for the drainage of agricultural lands, other than swamp and overflowed lands, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the drainage of the lands embraced within such districts," approved March 20, 1903, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to amend sections 8 and 10½ of an act entitled: "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alternation of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, relating to listing of property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to amend section 1519*a*, relating to powers and duties of the State Board of Education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 740—An act to create a water district known as the Mono-Inyo Water District prescribing its boundaries and providing for the government and control thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 394 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the place of trial of actions or proceedings to which a county, city and county, or city is a party.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs Levy and Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to

its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, by amending section 4 thereof, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to provide additional penalties for failures to pay monthly or semi-monthly as in section 2 of the said act provided and providing for the collection of the civil penalties provided by civil action by the said commissioner.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 743—An act to amend sections 15 and 16 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipt and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purposes and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, with reference to the powers and duties of the commissioner of the said bureau and his deputies, so as to enlarge his power with reference to issuing subpœnas by making it a misdemeanor offense to wilfully ignore same, to add to the enumerated places of labor to which it shall be a misdemeanor offense to refuse him admission, or to furnish him statistics or information regarding, to provide for the collection of costs from defendants in official actions brought by the commissioner for wages and penalties due claimants, to give the commissioner the right to file in his own name preferred labor claims and "stop orders" on behalf of workers, and the right to apply directly to the courts for warrants for violations of any of the labor laws delegated to him for enforcement, and to prosecute criminal actions so instituted, with or without the consent and assistance of the district attorney of the county in which such actions are brought, and providing for the transfer by the commissioner of trust money uncalled for within one year by the claimants on whose behalf it was collected to the State Treasurer to be held by him in a "labor bureau fund" and to be paid out by him to the rightful claimants, or their successors and assigns, if they appear.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Messrs. Spalding and Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums

By Mr. Reindollar (by request): Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claims to portions of streets designated as Railroad Avenue, Humboldt Avenue, B, C, D, and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 747—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Fruit Growers of California, Inc., against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No. 748—An act to amend sections 161, 682 and 687 of the Civil Code, respecting ownership of property by several persons, including community property and the community interest of husband and wife.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of judgments against counties, cities, cities and counties, and towns," approved March 23, 1901.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roland: Assembly Bill No. 750—An act to amend section 928 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to promote the development of the California canned fruit industry and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned fruit by establishing and defining certain standards for canned fruit of the varieties herein named, defining the powers and duties of the director of the Department of Agriculture in relation hereto, including the collection of fees, creating a board of appeal and defining its powers and duties in relation hereto and fixing the compensation of the members thereof, prescribing penalties for violation hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Bill No. 752—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Mr. Bernard (by request): Assembly Bill No. 753—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code of the State of California to be known as section 653*a*, providing that any person who creates artificial lakes or bodies of water for the purpose of attracting ducks or other wild fowl shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Oliva: Assembly Bill No. 754—An act to amend section 147 of an act entitled, "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to days when banks must remain closed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 755—An act defining broker, regulating the sale of a broker of evidences of debt, or any rights entitling the holder thereof to participate in profits, or division of profits, or assets, and providing a penalty for the violations of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend section 30 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to inspectors and traffic officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 757—An act to amend section 330*a* of the Political Code, relating to gambling.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Mr. Runner: Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 633*b* of the Political Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to prohibit any person or common carrier by railroad moving any fixed signal, switch or switch light for the purpose of which is commonly known as test of employees, to define fixed signals, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of reporters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 761—An act making it unlawful to repeat or scatter false rumors or reports of a slanderous or harmful nature concerning any person, or persons, and providing a penalty therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 762—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code, to be numbered 369*h* and 369*i*, respectively, prohibiting the drilling, digging or otherwise sinking any well for oil, gas or any other hydro-carbon substance within fifty feet of the center line of

any railroad track and prohibiting the operation, maintenance, and the taking of oil, gas or any other hydro-carbon substance from any well so located.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industry.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 763—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No 764—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code of the State of California, to be numbered 871*a*, to limit prosecution for public offense.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to prohibit the destruction of food products, and providing penalties for the violation of the provision hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Bill No 766—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges of the county of Santa Barbara.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 767—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to public schools of the State and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 768—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to regulate the practice of public accounting in the State of California; to establish a State Board of Accountancy and to prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for the admission to practice as and the licensing of certified public accountants and to prohibit the unlawful use of any words, letters, abbreviations, symbols or other means of identification by unauthorized persons indicating that they are certified public accountants under this act; to provide penalties for the violation of its provisions; and to repeal an act approved March 23, 1901, entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualified applicants, with the designation of certified public accountant, and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 770—An act to amend section 928 of the Penal Code to empower grand juries to employ efficiency experts in certain instances and to cause the printing and publication of the reports of such grand juries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 771—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act regulating headlights on all locomotives, and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act," approved June 4, 1913.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 772—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the equipment of steam locomotives with automatic bell-ringing devices," approved June 1, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 773—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act prescribing a certain kind of water glass for use on steam locomotives, providing a penalty for the neglect to use such glass," approved May 25, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 774—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to require railroad companies operating within any part of this State to provide and equip certain engine cabs with handrails and footboards for the safety and protection of railroad employees; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 775—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to require railroad companies when operating engines accompanied by tenders of insufficient clearance between the overhang of the roof of the cab and the top of the tender to provide a safe clearance by cutting out an opening in the overhanging roof of the cab, so as to enable the engineman safely to go from the cab of the engine to the top of the tender, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 776—An act appropriating money for salaries and maintenance of the California Industrial Farm for Women.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money for the construction of buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to define the crime of negligent homicide when committed by the operation of a vehicle, and to prescribe penalties for said crime.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 780—An act to provide for the appointment of rural supervisors of schools in certain cases.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 781—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 782—An act to provide for the prevention of forest fires in the Big Dalton and Little Dalton watersheds between San Dimas and San Gabriel Canyons in the San Gabriel Mountains and to make an appropriation therefor.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 783—An act to amend section 4131 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the county recorder.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 785—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and on streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to assessments.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Wemple (by request): Assembly Bill No. 786—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code providing for the sale of personal property and of stock in trade in bulk and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 787—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any opium, morphine, cocaine, heroin or other narcotic is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling,

serving or giving away such narcotics; and providing for the abatement of such nuisances.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mrs. Woodbridge, Messrs. Dillinger, Runner, Wemple, Williamson, Weller, West, Murray, Easley, Reindollar, Louttit, Coombs, Byrne, Spence, and Miss Broughton: Assembly Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Reno Transcontinental Highway Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 790—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 526, relating to the sale of tickets to theaters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 791—An act to prohibit and punish the fraudulent obtaining of transportation and advances from employers or prospective employers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 792—An act providing for the collection of money advanced in payment of taxes on real property by co-owners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to provide for the cancellation of current or delinquent taxes upon property standing in the name of the State or any of its subdivisions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 794—An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, by the State Board of Health, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No 796—An act defining and regulating the sale of manufactured articles from cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills composed in whole or part of cotton duck, canvas drills or twills, when such articles are intended for camping or pleasure purposes, for human habitation, for sheltering livestock, for show, exhibition or entertainment purposes, or to protect merchandise, commodities, farm products or minerals against the elements, or if used as protection or safety devices against loss of life or loss from the elements on land, rivers or bays of the State of California, requiring the same to be properly marked as to weight, construction, color, size and use of fillers or other preparations, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 797—An act permitting the insertion of provisions in contracts for public work for the arbitration of disputes arising under such contracts or in the performance of the work thereunder between the contracting parties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 798—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out and acquire a right of way or rights of way for a highway or highways extending from a point at or near the town of Cordelia in Solano County, to a point at or near the north boundary of the city of Vallejo and thence extending said highway or highways from the south boundary of the city of Vallejo to the Straits of Carquinez, declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 799—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Thomas Byrne against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 800—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 801—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. C. Harter against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No 802—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Dan Murphy and R. J. Dillon against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 803—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Bankers Life Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 804—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. Teichert and Company against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 805—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of L. F. Sinsheimer against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Los Angeles Railway Company, a corporation, against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 807—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 808—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. K. Iandram against the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the officers of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved May 15, 1915, as amended."
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 810—An act relating to milk products, to prevent fraud therein and the adulteration thereof, regulating the manufacture and sale thereof, and providing penalties for violations thereof
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 811—An act to amend section 63 of the "California Vehicle Act," relating to the age limit for chauffeurs and operators of motor vehicles.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 812—An act to amend sections 6, 7, 9, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons, and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California; providing penalties for the violation hereof,"

approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 3062 of the Political Code, relating to city health officials.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 814—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, relating to county health authorities

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine

Also: Assembly Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 6*a* of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons, and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation thereof." approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to dental hygienists.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

By Messrs. Scudder and Melville: Assembly Bill No. 816—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Messrs. Williamson and Fry: Assembly Bill No. 818—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3057*a*, making an officer who levies an attachment on personal property liable for work done thereon or in connection therewith

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 819—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1206*a*, giving to those who file preferred labor claims under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor a lien upon the property attached, providing for methods of enforcing such liens, providing for a lien by the officer who levies the writ for his keeper's and storage fees during a ten-day period after release of the attachment or execution, and for methods of enforcing same, and requiring the said officer to mail notice to all those who have filed preferred claims whenever any attachment or execution is released, advising them of such release, and of the fact that their liens on the property in the possession of the said officer terminates unless they bring attachment actions to protect same within ten days.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested

claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the claim filed with him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 822—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 824—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting to probate and the certification and recordation of wills.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 829—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale or mortgage of the property of a person under guardianship.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property belonging to estates of deceased persons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 833—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS (RESUMED).

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Little: Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code, relating to the selling or leasing of school property unoccupied by any public school; to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1617½, relating to the selling or leasing of any real property upon which no public school is being maintained.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

Also: Assembly Bill No 835—An act to amend sections 1187 and 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend sections 453*l* and 453*r* of the Civil Code, relating to title insurance corporations

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to provide for the disposition of certain material of the former geological survey of California delivered to the president of the University of California pur-

suant to an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 27, 1874.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 1027 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs Levey and Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 839—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 688*a*, relating to statements, declarations or confessions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 840—An act to amend section 17 of the "Weights and Measures Act" approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to appointment of sealers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend sections 1610 and 1696 of the Political Code, relating to public schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Miss Broughton: Assembly Bill No 842—An act to amend section 2 and to add a new section to be numbered 41½ to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 843—An act to repeal sections 421, 442, 442½, 652, 653 and 734 of the Penal Code of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 2086 of the Political Code, relating to salaries in the office of the Adjutant General's office.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 845—An act to amend section 2079 of the Political Code, relating to allowances to organizations of the California National Guard.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 846—An act to establish a military code providing for the enrollment, organization, government, training,

discipline, maintenance, support, control, and administration of the militia, national guard, and naval militia of the State of California, repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 847—An act to repeal title IV, part III, chapter I, of the Political Code of the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 848—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 849—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act defining 'food commodities' and 'food warehouseman'; declaring food warehousemen to be public utilities and subject to control and regulation by the Railroad Commission as specifically provided; prohibiting the storage of food commodities except in accordance with the provisions of this act; making unlawful certain discriminating and monopolizing practice by food warehousemen and those dealing with food warehousemen, except as provided by the Railroad Commission; requiring food warehousemen to file schedules showing certain rates, charges and other matters with the Railroad Commission and to keep the same open to public inspection, and providing for the uniform operation of such rates and charges, and prohibiting the business of storing food commodities unless such schedules are filed and made public, and empowering the Railroad Commission to fix the rates, charges, rules and regulations of food warehousemen, to change the form of such schedules and forbidding, except as otherwise ordered by the Railroad Commission, changes in or departures from such schedules except on certain conditions, and forbidding acceptance of rates or charges differing from the rates or charges in such schedules by those dealing with food warehousemen, subject to exceptions by the Railroad Commission; declaring certain contracts illegal and void and forbidding recovery thereon; providing for applications and complaints and other procedure before the Railroad Commission and the courts in matters wherein authority is conferred by this act upon the commission; defining the duties of the Attorney General upon the violation of certain provisions; providing for actions to enjoin violations of certain provisions and to recover damages for such violations; making the violation of certain provisions a misdemeanor; and providing penalties; and declaring the purpose and effect of this act, approved May 5, 1919.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices in cases of mortgaged property and decedents or minors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Miss Broughton: Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No 853—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, relating to the course of study in elementary schools and the age of admission of children into the elementary schools and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1662*a*, relating to the registration of minors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Miss Broughton: Assembly Bill No. 854—An act to amend section 737*p* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court, in Stanislaus County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 855—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of S W. Persons, against the State of California

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims

Also: Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend section 1*b* of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No 857—An act appropriating money for the construction of a State armory at Griffith Park, Los Angeles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

Also: Assembly Bill No 858—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending sections 1 and 8 thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Also: Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending sections 1 and 8 thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 860—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 861—An act to amend sections 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, 1884, 1885, 1885*a*, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1888*a*, and 1889 of the Political Code, to repeal sections 1745, 1746, 1746*a*, 1747, 1748 and 1749 of the Political Code, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds by junior college districts," approved May 27, 1921, providing a uniform procedure for the voting and issuance of school district, high school district and junior college district bonds and for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 862—An act to amend section 607*d* of the Civil Code, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 863—An act to amend section 1208 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon animals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 864—An act to amend section 607*c* of the Civil Code, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 865—An act to amend section 379 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to defendants.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Broughton: Assembly Bill No 866—An act to amend section 2322*c* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 867—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 868—An act appropriating money to meet a like appropriation of the federal government to be used in carrying out the provisions and purposes of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance by the State of California of the provisions of an act passed by the Congress of the United States known as the 'Shepard-Towner Act,' and entitled 'An act for the promotion of the welfare and hygiene of maternity and infancy and for other purposes,' approved November 23, 1921," approved May 1, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hartranft: Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the tenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Messrs. Hornblower, Burns, Fry, Hawes, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Williamson, Jacobson, Schmidt: Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to authorize the establishment of municipal courts; and to prescribe their organization, government, jurisdiction and procedure; and providing for the election and appointment, qualification and salaries of judges, and officers of the court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No. 871—An act to authorize the city of Riverside to sell certain lands dedicated for park purposes and to devote the proceeds thereof to the improvement of parks now existing in said city.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 872—An act to amend sections 69 and 72 of the Civil Code of California, relating to marriage licenses and requirements by persons solemnizing marriage.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Dayton: Assembly Bill No. 873—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control the possession, sale, and use of pistols and revolvers, to provide penalties, and for other purposes."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 874—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter By-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and Charles H. Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 875—An act to amend section 2778 of the Civil Code, relating to rules of interpretation of contracts of indemnity.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 876—An act to prohibit fortune telling and other practices whereby money or property is obtained on the pretense of the exercise of occult powers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

By Mr Johnson: Assembly Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 19.c29 of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved March 8, 1909, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, renovated butter, and prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 879—An act making an appropriation for the survey of a proposed highway from the State highway at Earlimart, Tulare County, to connect with the State highway from Lost Hills, Kern County, to Cholame, San Luis Obispo County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 880—An act to amend section 3658*a* of the Political Code, relative to the preparation and use of maps for the purpose of assessment and taxation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to regulate the sale of packages, cartons, cans, boxes, commodities and containers of all kinds, with the name and address of the original manufacturer thereof, providing for the enforcement of and providing for penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 882—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 330*b*, relating to gaming apparatus.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers retired in accordance with the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, defining the operation of said act; providing for the return, to persons subject to the burdens of said act and not returned, of all moneys contributed by them to the public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of this act; defining the powers and prescribing the duties of public officers and others in connection with this act, and making an appropriation to carry the provisions of this act into effect.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 884—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States Forest Reserve fund, and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasuries of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of expenditure by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907 as amended, relating to expenditure of the United States Forest Reserve fund

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation

By Mr. Dayton: Assembly Bill No. 885—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain per-

sons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Messrs. Nielsen, Little, Mueller, Miller, J. A., Schmidt, Cleveland, Weller, McPherson, Louttit, Scudder, Walters, Murray, Spence, Jacobson, Williamson, Byrne, Cloudman, Dodge, Melville, Mixter, Campbell, McDowell, Pierce: Assembly Bill No. 886—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site for a State National Guard camp.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 887—An act to amend section 375*a* of the Penal Code, relating to records of sales of explosives.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 and to add a new section to be numbered 9 relating to constitutionality of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved May 29, 1913, as amended, relating to the ventilation and sanitation of camps.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 890—An act to amend sections 2 and 7 of an act known as the "State Housing Act" approved June 15, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 891—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1183*a*, relating to liens for labor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act relating to immigrants and immigration, creating a Commission of Immigration and Housing, providing for the employment by said commission of a secretary, agents and other employees, authorizing the said commission to fix their compensation, prescribing the duties of said commission, providing for the investigation by said commission of all things affecting immigrants, and for the care, protection and welfare of immigrants, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions thereof," approved June 12, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 18, relating to the disposition of records.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Miller, Eleanor: Assembly Bill No. 893—An act to amend section 2293 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of the State Librarian.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Libraries.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 894—An act to regulate the planting of trees along the public highways of California and a plan for the planting, care, maintenance and replacement of trees along all public roads.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto, approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Jones: Assembly Bill No 896—An act amending section 9 of an act entitled "California Cold Storage Act"

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 897—An act amending section 6, paragraph VI of an act entitled "Pure Food Act"

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California Egg Industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulation and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Messrs. Davis, Burns, Morrison, Brock, Noyes, Dayton: Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Davis: Assembly Bill No 900—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, and 16 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds; and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Johnson: Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in and relative to the organization of Lucerne Irrigation District.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Messrs. Hornblower and Burns: Assembly Bill No. 903—An act making an appropriation for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee Celebration.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Hornblower, Burns, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 904—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 905—An act relating to the placing of signs on State and other public highways by the California Highway Commission.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 906—An act to regulate the payment of rent, to prohibit evasion thereof, and to provide penalties for the violation of the penalties hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 907—An act to prohibit any hospital from refusing to receive and treat any patient for emergency treatment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Messrs. Schmidt and Fry: Assembly Bill No. 908—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the taking and catching of game fishes and to define game fish and to provide revenue therefrom, for fish preservation and restoration," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to fees for game fish licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 909—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 910—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of superior courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 911—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 647*a*, relating to loitering and molestation of females, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 912—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Insurance Commissioner and salary of the Deputy Insurance Commissioner

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 913—An act to amend section 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to stay of proceedings on appeal in cases not specified, and exceptions thereto

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 914—An act to amend section 1034 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to costs on appeal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 915—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitoes, flies and other insects; and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein," approved May 29, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 916—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of justices of the District Courts of Appeal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 917—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of Chief Justice and associate justices of the Supreme Court

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 919—An act relative to and regulating the business of insurance

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 920—An act relative to and regulating the business of insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No 921—An act relative to regulating the business of insurance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Hawes, Mitchell, Burns, Schmidt, Williamson, Levey, Morrison, Jacobson, Oliva, Rosenshine, Miller, Fry, Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2526*a*, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Messrs. Hornblower, Burns, Fry, Hawes, Mitchell, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Williamson and Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 923—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, relating to who may solemnize marriage.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 162*a*, relating to municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 925—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 162, relating to the appointment of judges of municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 926—An act providing for the constitution, regulation, government and procedure of municipal courts, and for the jurisdiction thereof; providing for the establishment of municipal courts in cities and cities and counties governed under charters framed and adopted under the authority of the constitution of the State of California, prescribing the manner in which, the time at which and the term for which the judges, clerks and other attaches of municipal courts shall be elected or appointed and for the number and qualifications of said judges, clerks and other attaches; fixing the compensation of such municipal courts and prescribing the payment thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No. 927—An act to repeal section 636*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 928—An act to repeal section 626*d* (one) of the Penal Code relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 929—An act to amend section 631*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines and forfeitures collected for violations of certain sections of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 632½, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the use of salmon or steelhead roe as bait and to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of Sacramento perch and to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 933—An act to repeal section 628*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 632½, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 935—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to repeal section 626½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to repeal section 626*p* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to repeal section 636½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5, and 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921; as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—To approving amendments to the charter of the city of Watsonville, county of Santa Cruz, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of the said city of Watsonville at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the nineteenth day of January, 1925;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city, at a special election held therein, on the ninth day of December, 1924

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above concurrent resolutions ordered to engrossment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 10, 14, 15, and 19 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance

of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 231—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of insane and prisoners for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 230—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in *the appropriation for emergency fund for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal* years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

MOTION TO PRINT SPEECH.

Mr. Coombs moved that the speech delivered by Mr. Bernard on January 8, 1925, relative to the child labor amendment be inserted in the corrected Journal of January 14, 1925.

Motion carried.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,
SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Senate Bill No. 230, making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for emergency fund for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years is, in my opinion, an urgency measure and this bill is an emergency bill, and I therefore recommend its passage for $125,000.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. McPherson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 230, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED THIRTY.

Senate Bill No. 230—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for emergency fund for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. McPherson:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 230 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the Constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each House is hereby

dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. McPherson moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Eksward moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and ten minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward.

The roll of absentees was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—75.

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED THIRTY.

Senate Bill No. 230—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for emergency fund for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 1, section 1, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the words "seventy-five" and insert in lieu thereof, the words, "one hundred and twenty-five."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED THIRTY.

Senate Bill No. 230—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for emergency fund for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 230 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE.
SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Senate Bill No. 231, making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of insane and prisoners for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years is, in my opinion, an urgency measure and this bill is an emergency bill, and I therefore recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. McPherson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 231, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-ONE.

Senate Bill No. 231—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of insane and prisoners for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. McPherson:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 231 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each House is hereby

dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the second and third times, and placed upon its passage.

Mr. McPherson moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-ONE.

Senate Bill No. 231—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of insane and prisoners for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be adopted?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-ONE.

Senate Bill No. 231—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for transportation of insane and prisoners for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 231 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—A legislative inquiry into the conditions

existing in the State land settlement colony at Delhi and requesting the appointment of a joint committee of ten members, five from the Assembly and five from the Senate, to make necessary investigations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended

MURRAY, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Adams asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9, at this time, without reference to file, and that same be considered engrossed.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER NINE.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 9—Relative to a legislative inquiry into the conditions existing in the State Land Settlement Colony at Delhi and requesting the appointment of a joint committee of ten members, five from the Assembly and five from the Senate, to make necessary investigations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of assembly concurrent resolution, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title, after the words "committee of" strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title, after the word "members", strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 5 of the title, after the word "and", strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the words "committee of", strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the words "consisting of", strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the words "Assembly and", strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "resolved", strike out the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following "that the sum of six hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby made available for the purpose of defraying expenses of said committee and said investigation, said sum to be paid equally from the contingent funds of the senate and the assembly, and the state controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the chairman of the said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by the chairman of said committee, and the state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same."

Amendments adopted.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, as amended.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva,

Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—72.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 9

Relative to a legislative inquiry into the conditions existing in the State Land Settlement Colony at Delhi and requesting the appointment of a joint committee of six members, three from the Assembly and three from the Senate, to make necessary investigations.

WHEREAS, It appears that considerable refinancing of the State Land Settlement at Delhi will be asked at this forty-sixth session of the Legislature and that it is advisable that this Legislature have full first-hand information as to the conditions at Delhi; therefore

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That a committee of six members, consisting of three members of the Assembly and three members of the Senate, be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly and the President of the Senate, respectively, to visit Delhi during the constitutional recess and to fully inquire into the situation at Delhi and to report back its findings to this Legislature soon after its reconvening February 24, 1925; and,

Resolved, That the sum of $600 be, and the same is hereby made available for the purpose of defraying expenses of said committee and said investigation, said sum to be paid equally from the contingent funds of the Senate and the Assembly, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the chairman of the said committee for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by the chairman of said committee, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Badham asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9, at this time.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER NINE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to interpretation of the Motor Vehicle Act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During the reading of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Whereas", strike out the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

The Legislature, during its session of 1923, passed an act known as the vehicle act, and

WHEREAS, Said act provided as follows:

"Nothing in this act shall be construed as preventing the use on a motor vehicle of any headlight, lamp, device or equipment heretofore approved by the division until December 31, 1924, unless such approval is revoked in accordance with the provisions hereof. After December 31, 1924, it shall be unlawful to use on any highway in this State any headlight lamp, device or equipment which shall not have been approved by the division as in this act provided."

And

WHEREAS, The State motor vehicle department has so construed said act as to compel the installation of certain lighting devices on cars, manufactured prior to 1919, which are now lighted from their magnetos, which said installation will cause the expenditure of a large sum of money upon cars of small value used principally in the daytime by farmers and laborers in commercial pursuits, and

WHEREAS, It is proposed by certain members of the Legislature to introduce for the consideration of this Legislature certain amendments to the vehicle act relating to the lighting provisions thereof, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That it be the sense of this Legislature that the provisions of said section herein quoted be extended by the motor vehicle department to September 1, 1925, in so far as it applies to cars manufactured prior to 1919 where the same are lighted from their magnetos; and be it further

Resolved, That it be the sense of this Legislature that no requirements as to lighting facilities other than equipment heretofore approved on the division be required

as to cars manufactured prior to 1919 as a prerequisite for registration of said cars for the year 1925

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the superintendent of the motor vehicle department of the State of California

Amendment adopted.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution as amended.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 9.

Relative to interpretation of the Motor Vehicle Act.

WHEREAS, The Legislature, during the session of 1923, passed an act known as the Vehicle Act, and

WHEREAS, Said act provided as follows:

"Nothing in this act shall be construed as preventing the use on a motor vehicle of any headlight, lamp, device or equipment heretofore approved by the division until December 31, 1924, unless such approval is revoked in accordance with the provisions hereof. After December 31, 1924, it shall be unlawful to use on any highway in this State any headlight lamp, device or equipment which shall not have been approved by the division as in this act provided."

And

WHEREAS, The State Motor Vehicle Department has so construed said act as to compel the installation of certain lighting devices on cars, manufactured prior to 1919, which are now lighted from their magnetos, which said installation will cause the expenditure of a large sum of money upon cars of small value used principally in the daytime by farmers and laborers in commercial pursuits; and

WHEREAS, It is proposed by certain members of the Legislature to introduce for the consideration of this Legislature certain amendments to the vehicle act relating to the lighting provisions thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That it be the sense of this Legislature that the provisions of said section herein quoted be extended by the Motor Vehicle Department to September 1, 1925, in so far as it applies to cars manufactured prior to 1919 where the same are lighted from their magnetos; and be it further

Resolved, That it be the sense of this Legislature that no requirements as to lighting facilities other than equipment heretofore approved on the division be required as to cars manufactured prior to 1919 as a prerequisite for registration of said cars for the year 1925.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the superintendent of the Motor Vehicle Department of the State of California.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Murray:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Contingent Fund of the Assembly in the sum of $2,932.54 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

Bancroft-Whitney Co., 83 sets Deering's Codes and General Laws, 1923, six volumes	$2,033 50
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., January 1 to January 31	25 00
Division of Architecture, Making Blue Print of Assembly Chamber	12 45
State Purchasing Department, Supplies for January	771 04

The Wholesale Typewriter Co., Inc., Rent of Typewriters, Jan. 1 to Feb. 1	$56 00
Purnell Stationery Company, one numbering machine	20 00
Hall, Luhrs & Co, Domino matches	5 25
Dunn-Brett, three mirrors	6 00
H. S. Crocker Co., Inc., supplies	3 30

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

MOTION TO APPOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Mr. Wright, T. M., moved that a committee of three be appointed to confer with the Superintendent of the Capitol Building relative to providing a suitable rest and cloak room for the women members of the Assembly.

Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above motion the Speaker appointed Mr. Wright, T. M., Mrs. Woodbridge and Mr. Bernard as such Special Committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the Contingent Expense Fund in favor of Arthur A Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of seventy-five ($75.00) dollars, said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expense of the Chief Clerk's office.

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

By Mr. Carter:

WHEREAS, Various members of the Assembly will desire to have shipped to their various places of residence their bill files and other printed matter for use during the constitutional recess, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk, Arthur A. Ohnimus, be authorized to procure such boxes, packing and other material as is necessary for the purpose of shipping the same, properly packed, to said members; and the State Controller is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Contingent Expense Fund of the Assembly in favor of Arthur A Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, in an amount not to exceed $350 dollars and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city, at a special election held therein, on the ninth day of December, 1924.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8 read, and referred to Committee on Revision and Printing.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 6—Relative to requesting the State Athletic Commission of California to give preference to any post of the American Legion or any other duly recognized organization of veterans of any war of the United States in the matter of granting boxing or wrestling permits—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Beginning with line 1 on the printed resolution, strike out everything down to and including line 14.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with the word "That" on line 16, strike out everything down to and including line 20 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That, other things being equal, the State Athletic Commission be and the same is hereby requested to give preference to posts of the American Legion, or any other duly organized veterans' organization, in granting permanent boxing permits."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—Browne—1.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision and Printing to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Relative to reports of the Department Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ADAMS, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mrs. Dorris asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHT.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8, relative to reports of the Department Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Loutitt, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield,

Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 8

Relative to reports of the Department Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That there shall be printed as a public document 500 copies of the fifty-eighth session of the Department Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic for the year 1925, and of each succeeding department encampment, together with illustrations, copies of general orders of the department, and of the official rolls, 250 copies for the use of the Senate and 250 copies for the use of the Assembly. Annual cost not to exceed $600, payable from legislative *printing appropriation*.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Burns: Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery, or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No 942—An act to amend section 72 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 943—An act to amend sections 51 and 52 of the Civil Code, relating to public accommodations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend sections 60 and 69 of the Civil Code, relating to marriage licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 945—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Civil Service.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 946—An act to amend sections 7 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for

the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons, and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 947—An act to amend section 2039 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors over roads and highways of the county.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Messrs. Anderson, D. P., and Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the fourteenth class, and fixing their mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 949—An act appropriating money to be used for the construction and equipment of buildings for the southern branch of the University of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations of actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicary.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 952—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, avenues, highways, lanes, alleys, courts and places in the unincorporated territories of counties, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenience for such purposes, for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expenses of such improvements, for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent assessments for the expense of such improvement and for the effect and enforcement of such bonds, approved May 11, 1923, extending the scope of said act to improvements partly within the partly without municipalities, and relating to the creation of assessment districts partly within and partly without municipalities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 953—An act to provide for the acquisition by counties of land for public park or playground purposes by condemnation, purchase or otherwise and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of acquiring such land.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Foster (by request): Assembly Bill No. 954—An act requiring corporations to separate State taxes from service charges in rendering their bills to consumers, and making exceptions thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Burns: Assembly Bill No. 955—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered section 2178, limiting the liability of a carrier of property carried in trunks, valises, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to appropriate money to be paid as premiums to exhibitors of live stock at district live stock shows to be held in the First Agricultural District.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the supreme court.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Bill No. 960—An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a division of cannery inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health, and to provide an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to amend section 476*a* of the Penal Code, relating to fictitious checks.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 962—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of

bakery products and fixing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof, approved June 3, 1921

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 963—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children: providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissoner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said Commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 964—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the child labor law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 7 thereof, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at any time minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 965—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to nomination of candidates otherwise than by primary election.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 966—An act to provide blowers and vents in tunnels and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 967—An act to amend sections 1 and 108 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide

for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 968—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act conveying certain lands situated in the city and county of San Francisco to the said city and county of San Francisco, to be used as an aquatic park," approved May 2, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 969—An act amending an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 970—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, by amending section 1 thereof, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 971—An act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of regional or county planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No 972—An act to amend the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1919, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No. 973—An act to amend section 1665 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 974—An act to amend section 112 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No 975—An act to amend sections 4214, 4215, 4216, 4217, 4218, 4219, 4220, and 4221 of the Political Code, all relating to the duties of the county engineer.

Bill read first time, and referred to the Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 976—An act to amend section 4013 of the Political Code, relating to officers of a county.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No 977—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualifications of judges.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 978—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of murder.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 979—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the judges of the superior court in all counties and cities and counties, having a population of two hundred thousand inhabitants and over, to appoint a secretary," approved March 26, 1895.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 204*e* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the secretary of superior judges as jury commissioner.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 927*q*, relating to judgment in small claims courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. Williamson and Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts, approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 983—An act to amend section 1665 of the Political Code, relating to subjects in which instruction shall be provided in elementary schools of the State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 984—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1665*b*, providing what words and terms shall be taught and the definitions thereof and that pupils or students in the elementary schools above the sixth grade, in the secondary schools, junior high schools, senior high schools, junior colleges, all evening schools, and universities, printed or typewritten books, pamphlets, or manuals shall be used for study by the pupils or students, and copies of said typewritten pamphlets, books or manuals shall be filed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No 985—An act to define and establish the standard of syrups manufactured from fruits and fruit juices vegetables and vegetable juices and set forth on the label the purity thereof, the blends, mixtures, and concoctions made therefrom, and the component ingredients of the blends, mixtures, concoctions or compounds offered for sale, sold and used for food, drink, condiment, medicine or flavoring.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 986—An act to define "investment companies, investment brokers, securities brokers, salesmen and agents and sinking fund and to provide that all corporations excepting certain enumerated corporations, shall create a sinking fund for the purpose of redeeming the outstanding stocks, bonds and other securities at the time of the expiration of the corporate franchise or charter.

Bill read first time, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Murphy (by request): Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code entitled sections 216*b* and 216*c*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor medicine, cakes, pies, confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol, and prescribing the penalty.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Mr. Oliva: Assembly Bill No. 988—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 989—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also: Assembly Bill No 990—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 991—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 69*b*, relating to marriage licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 992—An act appropriating money for the support of the State Board of Health for the study of plague infection among rodents during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Messrs. Burns, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Miller, Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about South Basin and South Basin Canal and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation; granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the county superintendent of schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Hawes (by request): Assembly Bill No. 995—An act relating to horse racing; creating a State Racing Commission for the regulating, licensing and supervision of such races, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Messrs. Weller and Little: Assembly Bill No. 996—An act to create a public park district, to be known as "The Angeles Park District;" to provide for the acquisition, control and management of public parks, playgrounds and parkways within and without said district, and the acquisition or property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing, and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the governing and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to amend section 637*a*, of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 998—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide for penalties, for offenses of public utilities, their officers, agents, and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the "railroad commission fund" and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 999—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act appropriating money to pay the State's portion of the cost of improvement of King's Lane, adjacent to the grounds of the Whittier State School.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the State Highway Commission for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to appropriate money to pay the State's portion of the cost of improvement of the State highway adjacent to the grounds of the Whittier State School.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Bill No. 1003—An act to amend sections 1327, 1328, 1333, 1491, 1658 and 1664 of the Code of Civil Procedure, all relating to procedure in probate matters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Levey: Assembly Bill No. 1004—An act to amend section 3692 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the State Board of Equalization.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1005—An act to amend section 3696 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the State Board of Equalization.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code, relating to bonded indebtedness

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1007—An act to amend section 3728 of the Political Code, relative to the duty of the auditor in relation to revenue.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1008—An act to amend section 3732 of the Political Code, relating to the duty of the auditor in relation to revenue.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1009—An act to amend section 3737 of the Political Code, relating to the auditor's statement to the supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1010—An act to amend section 3670 of the Political Code, relating to assessments on property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Messrs. Walters, Weller, McPherson, Louttit, Nielsen, Spence, Murray, Williamson, Cleveland, Jacobson, Scudder, Little, Schmidt, Miller, J. A., Mueller: Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto; creating a veterans' welfare finance committee; defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans' Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof; providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures, appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, Statutes 1921, page 815, as amended in chapter 405, Statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1013—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Veterans' Welfare Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 580, Statutes 1921, page 969, as amended by chapter 404, Statutes 1923, page 902, approved June 16, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1014—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Veterans' Welfare Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved

May 30, 1921, chapter 580, Statutes 1921, page 969, as amended by chapter 404, Statutes 1923, page 902, approved June 16, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, Statutes 1921, page 815, as amended by chapter 405, Statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1016—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1017—An act prohibiting discriminations between men and women employed by public authority and performing equivalent service

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1018—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code prescribing who are minors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend section 241 of the Civil Code, relating to appointment of guardians by will or deed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1020—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court for the county of San Diego

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1021—An act to amend section 132 of the Civil Code, relating to the granting of final judgments of divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1022—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale or mortgage by guardian of the property of a minor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 1024—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualifications and compensation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to amend section 311 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may call stockholders meetings of corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered IV to title XIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals from municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to bail after indictment, so as to provide for the justification and approval of the same by a judge of the municipal court.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1028—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1461*a*, relating to proceedings in justice's and police courts, so as to make the procedure in said courts apply to municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to add a new title to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1030—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may solemnize marriages.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to change of place of trial of actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1032—An act to amend section 161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to employment of judicial officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1033—An act to amend section 147 of the Code of Civil Procedure, prescribing what courts shall have seals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1425*a*, providing that municipal courts shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all misdemeanors

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1035—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1617, relating to county jails, to provide for the imprisonment of convicts in the municipal court in city jail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to amend sections 1466, 1468, and 1469 of the Penal Code and to add a new section, 1468*a*, relating to appeals from municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1037—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4300*l*, relating to fees of clerks of municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend sections 33 and 34 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to courts and courts of record.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1039—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to seals of municipal courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1040—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered section 1281*a* providing that judges of the municipal courts may admit to and justify bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 808 of the Penal Code, prescribing who are magistrates.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Mueller: Assembly Bill No. 1042—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a state bureau of criminal identification and investigation, providing for its organization and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a State Bureau of Criminal Identification, and providing for the appointment of a director of said bureau, defining his duties and qualifications and powers; providing for the appointment of a clerk of said bureau and fixing his qualifications; fixing compensation of said director and clerk, providing for the manner of paying the same and providing for the expense of conducting the office,' approved March 20, 1905," approved May 31, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to promote and increase the distribution and marketing of California grapes; to provide for an investigation of the methods to improve the quality of and demand for such products; and making an appropriation to carry out such investigation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Schmidt (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1044—An act to amend section 657 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the granting of motions for new trials in civil cases.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Miller, J. A., (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend section 692 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of sale of property under trustee.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1046—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 692 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to trust deeds.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1048—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 1049—An act repealing section 6 of "An act repealing sections 1, 2 and 3 of an act entitled 'An act to establish a branch State Normal School,' " approved March 14, 1881.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1050—An act to amend an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915 as amended, by amending section 3 thereof.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 1051—An act transferring to Los Angeles County that portion of Whittier Boulevard from the city limits of Los Angeles and Indiana Street to Atlantic Boulevard, Los Angeles County.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1053—An act to provide for the formation and dissolution of pound districts
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. McDowell Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 1055—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also Assembly Bill No 1056—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Civil Code, authorizing the amendment of articles of incorporation of corporations sole, and providing the manner thereof.
Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Ward's Ferry, thence to Groveland, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagley, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for a survey.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the redemption of property which has been heretofore sold to irrigation districts for delinquent assessments," approved March 10, 1891, relating to delinquent assessments and rates thereon.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 1059—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to county officers of counties of the thirty-eighth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to provide for the issuance and the sale of State bonds to be known as "State building bonds," to provide a fund for the erection and equipment of State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes, creating a commission to determine the amount to be expended for furnishing and equipping said buildings, and accepting a suitable site, creating a sinking and interest fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $1,000 for the expense of printing and lithographing said bonds and providing for the submission of this act to the vote of the people.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings, when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act appropriating money for capital improvements and repairs for the College of Agriculture of the University of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1063—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 3480 of the Political Code, relating to the issuance of bonds of reclamation districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to amend section 3480½ of the Political Code, relating to and providing for a method of refunding the installments of the principal of any reclamation district bonds now or hereafter issued as and when the said installments, or any thereof, or any part thereof, shall mature.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 1066—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of counties of the fiftieth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1067—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 597*g*, relating to cruelty to animals and defining and prohibiting coursing and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—Proposed amendment to article VI of the constitution, relative to the term of office of superior judges.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 19—Proposed amendment to article XX of the constitution, relative to term of office for certain county officials.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—Proposed amendment to article II of the constitution, relative to the right of suffrage.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—Proposed amendment to article VI of the constitution, relative to the salaries of judges of courts of record.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 22—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to initiative.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 23—Proposed amendment to article XX of the constitution, relative to change in the date of the fiscal year of the state.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Rosenshine: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—Proposed amendment to article XX of the constitution, relative to proportional representation.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and ten minutes p. m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a. m., Saturday, January 24, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Saturday, January 24, 1925.

At nine o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runnel, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Dr. D. P. Anderson, Assemblyman from the Thirteenth district.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. Howard K. Johnson, Chairman Board of Supervisors of Sacramento County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. West and Nielsen, Judge M. C. Glenn of Sacramento was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. West and Nielsen, Mr. Charles O. Busick, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Williamson, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Dillinger:

WHEREAS, Today is the seventy-seventh anniversary of the discovery of gold in California by James W. Marshall, and

WHEREAS, As a result of that discovery of gold, in the tail race of the mill at Coloma, in El Dorado County, on January 24, 1848, there came to California those hardy immigrants who, upon their arrival discovered that California held not only gold, but the wealth and beauty of all the world, and

WHEREAS, During the three-quarters of a century that has passed, this great commonwealth has grown and prospered, and in that space of time has reached a place of honor in the aggregation of states which compose this nation; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Assembly when it shall adjourn this twenty-fourth day of January, 1925, do so in commemoration of the seventy-seventh anniversary of the discovery of gold and the resultant influx of rugged pioneers who founded this great State.

January 24, 1925.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

MOTION TO PRINT SPEECH.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the speech delivered by Mr. Dillinger, relative to the discovery of gold in California, be printed in the Journal.

Motion carried.

SPEECH BY MR. DILLINGER.

The following speech was delivered by Mr. Dillinger, relative to the discovery of gold in California:

Today we part, to return to our respective places of abode, there to counsel with our constituencies respecting the wisdom of our acts and to reflect upon the task that lies before us upon our return, that our labors may find fruition in wise laws, for the legend above our Speaker's head, "Legislatorum est justus, Leges condere," says that it is the duty of the Legislature to make wise laws

This day, also, is the anniversary of another day, that seventy-seven years ago marked the beginning of a new epoch in the history of the world. On a morning such as this, a rugged pioneer toiled in a canyon near the head waters of the American, beneath his feet the swirling waters of that turbulent stream rushed down to the sea, above his head the stately pines reared their crowns to the azure skies and the twittering birds and crooning zephyrs completed that scene of virgin beauty. From this scene, that morning sped the magic word that gold was found in California. The relentless hand that engrosses on the fair new page of time the record of the deeds of men, that writes and having wrote moves on, turned another spotless page on which to spread the stirring annals of an empire born to the world that day.

The magnetic lure of adventure and gold called men from the plow, the forge, the bench, the office, the store. Leaving a farewell kiss on lips that were dear to them, they broke the clasp of clinging arms to follow that call into the land of the setting sun, braving the dangers of the trackless sea or equally trackless plain. None but the highest courage would dare it; none but an unbreakable will could achieve it.

By such men as these, upon a strength of purpose such as this, and upon their high ideals of simple honesty and justice, was founded and built our priceless heritage, California So now, let us, in the light of those high ideals, this day be consecrated to the task that lies before us, that we may prove worthy of that heritage and wisely administer that trust

I offer this resolution, Mr. Speaker, that when we adjourn we do so in commemoration, not alone of the mere accidental discovery of gold at Coloma on January 24, 1848, but in commemoration as well of the unquenchable spirit and the lofty ideals of those rugged pioneers who, with James A. Marshall, bequeathed to us our wonderful California

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Coombs:

Resolved, That standing rule No. 10, subdivision 22, relating to the Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures be amended by striking out the word

"five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine" so that said committee shall consist of nine instead of five members and that the Speaker be authorized to fill the vacancies on said committee created by such change.

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Rules.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution, introduced by Mr. Carter

WHEREAS, Various members of the Assembly will desire to have shipped to their various places of residence their bill files and other printed matter for use during the constitutional recess, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk, Arthur A Ohnimus, be authorized to procure such boxes, packing and other material as is necessary for the purpose of shipping the same, properly packed, to said members; and the State Controller is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Contingent Expense Fund of the Assembly in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, in an amount not to exceed three hundred fifty dollars and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

MURRAY, Chairman.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution introduced by Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent expense fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of seventy-five ($75.00) dollars, said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expense of the Chief Clerk's office.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

MURRAY, Chairman.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., and Wright, T. M.—58.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Contingent Fund of the Assembly in the sum of $2,932 54 in favor of Arthur

A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

Bancroft-Whitney Co., 83 sets Deering's Codes and General Laws, 1923, 6 volumes	$2,033 50
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., January 1 to January 31	25 00
Division of Architecture, making blue print of Assembly Chamber	12 45
State Purchasing Department, supplies for January	771 04
The Wholesale Typewriter Co., Inc., rent of typewriters, January 1 to February 1	56 00
Purnell Stationery Company, one numbering machine	20 00
Hall, Luhrs & Co., domino matches	5 25
Dunn-Brett, three mirrors	6 00
H. S. Crocker Co., Inc., supplies	3 30

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.
NOYES.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Just, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

ON ATTACHES

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, January 23, 1925.

WHEREAS, During the constitutional recess the services of the officers, attaches and employees of the Assembly will not be required with the exceptions hereinafter noted; and

WHEREAS, the Journal and History must be corrected and indexed, the semi-final calendar of legislative business be arranged and published, and copy made for the legislative handbook, and other exacting details pertaining to this session of the Legislature taken care of, and

WHEREAS, It will be necessary to retain a certain amount of help to assist in the performance of this work, therefore be it

Resolved, That the name of each of the officers, attaches and employees heretofore employed by this forty-sixth session of the Assembly for the positions and at the per diem provided by law, be, and they are hereby stricken from the roll to begin and include Sunday, January 25, 1925, save and except the following:

Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk	$10 00
Madge Cross, Chief Stenographer	6 00

Be it further resolved, That the following named persons heretofore appointed for the positions and at the per diem provided by law be, and they are hereby stricken from the roll to begin and including Sunday, February 8, 1925

C. W. Booth, Assistant Clerk	$9 00
Chas. Wilkinson, Sergeant-at-Arms	8 00
William Milton, Bookkeeper for Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine,

Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Eksward moved that the Journals of Monday, January 5, 1925; Tuesday, January 6, 1925; Wednesday, January 7, 1925; Thursday, January 8, 1925; Friday, January 9, 1925; Monday, January 12, 1925; Tuesday, January 13, 1925; Wednesday, January 14, 1925; Thursday, January 15, 1925; Friday, January 16, 1925; Monday, January 19, 1925; Tuesday, January 20, 1925; Wednesday, January 21, 1925; Thursday, January 22, 1925; Friday, January 23, 1925, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully concurs in Assembly amendment to Senate Bill No. 230—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for emergency fund for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to a southern branch of the University of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER TWELVE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to a southern branch of the University of California.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Harranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 12

Relative to a southern branch of the University of Southern California

WHEREAS, The students in attendance at the southern branch of the University of California have increased from 1800 in 1920, when President Barrows made his earnest plea for help, to 5042, the present enrollment; and

WHEREAS, The like crowded condition prevails in every other collegiate institution in southern California, an instance of which may be given in the case of Pomona,

which has accommodations for 750 students, but had applications from 2000 desiring admission at the opening last September, and

WHEREAS, The southern branch is at present quartered in the old normal school buildings, on a fifteen-acre tract in the city of Los Angeles, which, by reason of its small size, and the high valuation of surrounding contiguous territory is eliminated from practical consideration for further development and

WHEREAS, At the instigation of a site committee composed of representatives of farm bureaus, chambers of commerce, women's clubs, Rotary and Kiwanis clubs from every section of southern California, some thirteen different site offers have been prepared for presentation to the regents of the University of California, these sites containing from 200 to 1300 acres each, and

WHEREAS, Recent investigations have revealed the probability that, in case an adequate site is selected, where all undergraduate college degrees may be conferred upon one campus, beautifully laid out from architectural and scientific standpoints, many wealthy citizens of California are waiting to contribute toward buildings and equipment, and

WHEREAS, There is to be a meeting of the Board of Regents of the University on Tuesday, February 10, 1925, in Los Angeles, at which the matter of possible sites is to be considered, therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-sixth session do respectfully request the Board of Regents of the University to give a hearing to proponents of the respective sites.

Resolved, That the President of the Senate be requested to present these resolutions, as our petition to the Board of Regents at their meeting on Tuesday, February the tenth, in Los Angeles.

SENATE MESSAGES—(RESUMED).

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January, 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed as a case of urgency Senate Bill No. 703—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 4, 1924.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Bill read first time, without reference to committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, January 23, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Senate Bill No. 703, making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 4, 1924, is, in my opinion, an urgency measure and this bill is an emergency bill, and I therefore recommend its passage for $8,501.65.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. McPherson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 703, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED THREE.

Senate Bill No. 703—An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 4, 1924.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. McPherson:

Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 703 presents a case of urgency, as that term is used in section 15 of article IV of the constitution, and the provision of that section

requiring that the bill shall be read on three several days in each House is hereby dispensed with, and it is ordered that said bill be read the first, second and third times, and placed upon its passage

Mr. McPherson moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED THREE.

An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 4, 1924.

Bill read second time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be adopted?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED THREE.

An act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the appropriation for printing and distributing constitutional amendments submitted to the voters at the election held November 4, 1924

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 703 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Finney:

WHEREAS, The athletic authorities of the University of California have failed to enter into any contests or to participate in any athletic activities with the University of Southern California, and

WHEREAS, The athletic activities of the universities are an important part of the school life, and

WHEREAS, Good fellowship between the different parts of California would be promoted by such athletic contests and activities, wherefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, That the president and athletic authorities of the University of California are hereby requested to file a statement with the Committee on Universities of the Assembly explaining why the University of California has failed to enter into such contests and athletic activities; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is directed to send copies of these resolutions to the president of the University of California, and to the president of the athletic council.

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Universities

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be authorized and directed to receipt for any warrants for members, officers or attaches of the Assembly during the constitutional recess.

Resolution read and on motion adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 344—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for salaries of director and employees and support of the State Department of Agriculture, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of January, 1925, at nine o'clock and forty minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 486—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 10, 14, 15, and 19 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof" approved May 29, 1923—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of January, 1925, at ten o'clock and five minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill now pending for the barring from transmission through the mails of revolvers and other concealable weapons—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

LOUTTIT, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Levey asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER ELEVEN.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill now pending for the barring from transmission through the mails of revolvers and other concealable weapons.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Cleveland, Cloudman, Easley, Graves, Hornblower, Little, McDowell, and Wright, S. V.—10.

Title read and approved

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 11.

Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill now pending for the barring from transmission through the mails of revolvers, and other concealable weapons.

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States has passed a bill which provides for the barring from transmission through the mails of revolvers, pistols and other concealable weapons, and

WHEREAS, Said bill is now pending before the Senate of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The promiscuous sale of such weapons and the transmission thereof through the mails has in many cases nullified the purpose and intent of state statutes; and

WHEREAS, The possession of such weapons by others than those who have a legal right thereto, whether as peace officers or by permit, is dangerous to the peace of the community and to the life and limb of the people of the country; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Legislature of the State of California, through its Assembly and Senate, memorializes the Congress of the United States to adopt the aforesaid bill at the earliest possible date and to incorporate therein the prohibition of such transmission by express companies and other carriers as well as the mails, and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be authorized to transmit copies of this resolution by mail to all the members of Congress and the Senate of the United States

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 19—Relative to highways.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. McPherson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER NINETEEN.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19—Relative to highways.

Resolution read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Deuel, Dillinger, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosen-

shine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 19.

Relative to highways.

WHEREAS, There has been proposed in Congress a bill known as the "Colton Bill" (H. R. 6133, sixty-eighth Congress, first session) which provides that the federal government shall pay 100 per cent of the costs of building and developing certain primary interstate highways, and

WHEREAS, The State of California and the western part of the United States will profit greatly by the passage of such act; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California hereby respectfully urges and petitions the Senators and Representatives of this State in Congress, to use their best endeavors to secure the passage of the Colton Bill; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and is hereby directed to forward copies of these resolutions to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President of the Senate of the United States and the members of the Senate and House of Representatives from the State of California.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to a legislative inquiry into the conditions existing in the State Land Settlement Colony at Delhi and requesting the appointment of a joint committee of six members, three from the Assembly and three from the Senate, to make necessary investigations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to engrossment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill introduced by Honorable John E. Raker to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within the borders of said states, and for other purposes.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported joint resolution ordered to enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Relative to approving amendments to the charter of the city of Watsonville, county of Santa Cruz, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of the said city of Watsonville at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the nineteenth day of January, 1925—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report that Goldie Davis be and she is hereby appointed and employed for the position of Stenographer to date from and including the eighth day of January to and including the fourteenth day of January, 1925, at $5.00 per diem. Said per diem

to be paid out of the funds for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant from said funds in favor of the above named person, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

POINT OF ORDER.

During the debate Mr. Smith arose to the following point of order:

That the gentlemen were not discussing the question before the House.

RULING BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker ruled that the point of order was well taken.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the committee report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crotер, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—Jones, and Mueller—2

ON RULES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules, to which was referred the following resolution introduced by Mr. Coombs

Resolved, That standing rule No. 10, subdivision 22, relating to the Committee on Governmental Revenues and Expenditures, be amended by striking out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine" so that said committee shall consist of nine instead of five members and that the Speaker be authorized to fill the vacancies on said committee created by such change,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

EKSWARD, Chairman.

Mr. Eksward moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crotер, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Williamson:

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms, Charles H. Wilkinson, be and he is hereby employed for the position of Sergeant-at-Arms at the per diem provided by law, to wit, $8.00, to date from and include Sunday, February 8, 1925

Mr. Williamson moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

POINT OF ORDER.

During the debate, Mr. Coombs arose to the following point of order: That the gentlemen were not speaking to the question.

RULING OF THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker ruled that the point of order was well taken.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hartmantt, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor · Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Roseushine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—44.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Murphy, Noyes, West, and Mr. Speaker—23.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Foster:

WHEREAS, There has been much consideration of and much complaint concerning the course of study in the various State teachers colleges, and

WHEREAS, The courses taught to the prospective teachers in the State teachers colleges have great influence upon the subjects and teachings of the schools throughout the State of California, and

WHEREAS, The State of California appropriates considerable amounts of money for the support of the State teachers colleges, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Assembly of the State of California, That the Speaker be empowered to appoint a committee of three to investigate the various courses of study in and the expenditures of the State teachers colleges, and to make a report concerning the same upon the reconvening of the Legislature; such report to include any suggestions or any proposals the committee may have relative to courses of study or finances in the State teachers colleges.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 1069—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to amend section 4531 of the Civil Code, relating to filing of annual statements with Insurance Commissioner by assessment corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1071—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled "An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for

offenses under the same," approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved January 30, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 1072—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages, and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, and for punishment of violations thereof and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1073—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the issue and sale or exchange of funding bonds of irrigation districts organized under and in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled 'An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of lands embraced within such districts, and also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes'," approved March 7, 1897, as amended, relating to reports of directors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 1074—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Yolo.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Miller, J. A.: Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 846 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to alias summons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McDonough (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide whole family protection for members of fraternal benefit societies," approved April 20, 1917, relating to benefits.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 1078—An act to amend section of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local

registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the officers of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 15, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Messrs. Crittenden and Louttit: Assembly Bill No. 1079—An act to prohibit the diversion of waters from surface or subterranean streams, from one water shed to another, excepting under certain conditions, defining the term "water shed," establishing a priority right to the use of all of the water of a water shed.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 1080—An act amending sections 190 and 264 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for felonies.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1081—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1082—An act to amend section 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1084—An act to create and define the powers and duties of a State commission to represent the State in arranging and carrying out a program for the celebration of the bicentennial of the birth of George Washington.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to repeal section 18 and to reenact said section 18 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Messrs. Spalding and Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 1086—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 9*a*.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 1087—An act to amend section 1549 of the Political Code, relating to the office expenses of the Superintendent of Schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 1088—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers, or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter CXLV of California statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the duties of certain officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1089—An act to amend section 1510 of the Penal Code, relating to coroner's jury.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 1090—An act to regulate publishing notices concerning school matters.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Dayton: Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend section 36 of the Motor Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Johnson: Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act to prevent the spread of plant pests by means of containers, appliances or articles used in connection with various agricultural commodities, to confer upon the Director of the Department of Agriculture the power to designate such species and such treatment thereof as he shall deem adequate to prevent such spread, to confer upon the county horticultural commissioners the power to prescribe such treatment, to prohibit the transportation from or into any county or locality of the State of any such containers, appliances or articles unless proof shall have been furnished that the same have not been exposed to infection or infestation by such plant pests, to make a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act for the prevention, eradication and control of insect pests and diseases affecting grapes, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation thereto," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 1093—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to persons exempt from the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to Joint Rules of Senate and Assembly—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On line 25, page 10, strike out the words "twenty-eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fourteen".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Block, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller J. A., Minter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(RESUMED).

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific Ocean, unless such dwellings or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California of the county of Los Angeles in said State upon certain trusts and conditions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 373, relating to the dumping or deposit of garbage, offal, excreta or other refuse upon the beaches or shores of the Pacific Ocean.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1097—An act to amend section 1277 of the Penal Code, relating to bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No. 1098—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 1099—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of certain lands in Los Angeles County and apply the proceeds to the purchase of other lands in said county.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1101—An act to amend section 92 of the Civil Code, relating to divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to amend section 1547 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices of sale.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1103—An act to amend section 4125 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of assessors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1104—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof, to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and

to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1105—An act to amend sections 1083, 1094, 1095, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120 and 1121 of the Political Code, relating to the registration of electors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Miss Broughton: Assembly Bill No. 1106—An act to amend section 230 of the Civil Code, relating to the adoption of illegitimate child.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act relating to employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State; prohibiting false statements regarding the conditions of such employment and providing penalties for the violation.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 1108—An act to regulate the printing and distribution of propaganda for and against State and constitutional amendments, and candidates for public office.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Miss Miller and Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 1109—An act to establish the California Women's Reformatory, to provide for the reformation, confinement and care of women offending against the laws of the State, and to make an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1110—An act to amend sections 851 and 854 and to repeal section 858 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings in justices' courts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Spence: Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Little: Assembly Bill No. 1112—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to provide for the creation of a Tax Commission, defining its powers and duties, fixing its compensation and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1114—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1282, relating to fees for furnishing bail.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No 1115—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, to be numbered 23, relating to the creation of a Bureau of Real Estate Research and Statistics

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 1116—An act to amend section 101 of an act entitled "The California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to motor vehicles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 1117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 628*k*, relating to the sale, taking and catching of mussels, scallops, razor clams and other shell fish and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Miss Broughton: Assembly Bill No. 1118—An act to amend sections 60, 66, 67, 72, of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to operators' and chauffeurs' licenses.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 1119—An act declaring the county road extending from Thornton in San Mateo County to Santa Cruz, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to teachers, principals and supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled: "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected

thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1122—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relative to partial redemptions from sale to State for delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No 1123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code of the State of California, to be numbered section 738*b*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court of Sacramento County, and repealing all parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1124—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other politicial subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to trials of employees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No 1126—An act to amend section 30 of an act entitled "An act providing for the incorporation of public utility districts in unincorporated territory, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the purpose of the construction of works and the acquisition of property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest on bonds and for carrying on their operations, and providing for the powers, management and government of such districts, and imposing certain duties and functions in connection with such districts upon certain county officers," approved May 31, 1921, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1127—An act relating to the use and furnishing of premiums, prizes, stamps, coupons, tickets, certificates, cards, or other similar devices, for, or with the sale of goods, wares, merchandise; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to amend sections 362, 362*a*, 362*b*, 362*c* and 362*e* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Burns: Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are held or occur or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise," approved April 7, 1913, relating to nuisances.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 1130—An act to declare a portion of the public highway extending from Colfax, in the county of Placer, to Grass Valley, in the county of Nevada, to be a State highway, providing for the acquiring of rights of way and the construction of a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No. 1131—An act to establish Gold Discovery Day.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hornblower (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1132—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Lyons and Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 1133—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States: Prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead Act; imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searches.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 1134—An act to prohibit the dumping or discharge of oil or oil waste upon any bathing beach bordering upon the Pacific Ocean in the State of California, or into any stream or watercourse emptying at, upon or near any such bathing beach, or into any stream, watercourse or drainage channel which may in time of flood empty at, upon or near any such bathing beach

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 1135—An act making an appropriation for the maintenance of prison road camps.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 1136—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of boards of school trustees and State Boards of Education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Hornblower and Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 1137—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654, relating to illegal searches and seizures.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 1138—An act to amend section 83 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to width of vehicles.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Messrs. Little and Mueller: Assembly Bill No. 1139—An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the willful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 1140—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of set-back lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such set-back lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1141—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 1166, relating to recording notice of additional advance under mortgage of real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No 1142—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1893, relating to publication of school notices.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No. 1143—An act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation, organization, and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 1144—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Bill No. 1145—An act to amend section 241 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the formation and term of office of grand juries; and relating to the taking effect of this act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cleveland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a fish game preservation fund and to unite the 'fish commission fund,' and the 'game preservation fund,' into a common fund to be known as 'fish and game preservation fund,' " approved March 15, 1909, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 4, creating a new fund, to be known as the "game bounty fund."

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1147—An act to encourage the destruction of predatory wild birds; to provide bounties for the killing thereof; making an appropriation for the payment of such bounties; providing a penalty for making false affidavit, and for the repeal of all acts inconsistent therewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1148—An act to encourage the destruction of predatory wild animals; to provide bounties for the killing thereof; making an appropriation for the payment of such bounties; providing a penalty for making false affidavit under the provisions of this act; and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 1149—An act to amend section 537 of the Penal Code, relating to the defrauding of hotel keepers, inn keepers, livery stable owners and proprietors of sanitariums and hospitals.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act to amend section 461 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of the crime of burglary.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act making an appropriation for the completion of the west wing of San Quentin Prison.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to employ counsel to prosecute violations of the law.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No 1153—An act directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, extending from the northerly boundary of

the city of Vallejo to Sears Point on the Black Point cutoff, and making an appropriation for the same.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1154—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1155—An act to amend sections 2090 and 2096 of the Civil Code, relating to the gratuitous carriage of persons.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1424, relating to the rights of complaining witnesses in criminal proceedings.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1157—An act to amend section 373 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardians ad litem.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Saylor: Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1771*a*, relating to the use of the estate of a wife over which a guardian has been appointed by reason of incompetency.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3457*a*, relating to claims against reclamation districts for which warrants may be issued.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 1161—An act to amend section 1761 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1162—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No 1163—An act to amend section 1551 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act to amend section 1750*c* of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1165—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to public schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education

Also (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Bill No. 1168—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of officers and employees, Chico State Teachers College, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compiling, printing, and distributing constitutional amendments for the seventy-sixth fiscal year

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to amend section 29 of an act entitled: "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled: "An act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to provide for the organization and government of municipal corporations consisting of two or more municipalities, or of two or more municipalities and unincorporated territory.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr Spence: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—Proposed amendment to article VI of the constitution, relative to an allowance to certain judicial officers after resignation.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13—Relative to the citrus white fly.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Oliva: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14—Relative to an amendment to the Volstead Act.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, January 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to a legislative inquiry into the conditions existing in the State land settlement colony at Delhi and requesting the appointment of a joint committee of six members, three from the Assembly and three from the Senate, to make necessary investigations—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Approving the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city, at a special election held therein, on the ninth day of December, 1924—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6—Relative to requesting the State Athletic Commission of California to give preference to any post of the American Legion or any other duly recognized organization of veterans of any war of the United States in the matter of granting boxing or wrestling permits—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of January, 1925, at eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to Joint Rules of Senate and Assembly;

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8—Approving the charter of the city of Compton, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city, at a special election held therein, on the ninth day of December, 1924;

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to a legislative inquiry into the conditions existing in the State land settlement colony at Delhi and requesting the appointment of a joint committee of six members, three from the Assembly and three from the Senate, to make necessary investigations;

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Relative to approving amendments to the charter of the city of Watsonville, county of Santa Cruz, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of the said city of Watsonville at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the nineteenth day of January, 1925.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of January, 1925, at eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill introduced by Honorable John E. Raker to provide compensation in lieu of taxes for the several states with respect to certain lands of the United States within

the borders of said states, and for other purposes—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of January, 1925, at eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Smith and Easley as the Special Committee to investigate the controversy between the city of Los Angeles and the county of Inyo, in accordance with the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the controversy between the city of Los Angeles and the county of Inyo involving the taking of the waters of Inyo County by the said city of Los Angeles.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Brock, Cloudman and Anderson, R. J., as the Special Committee to investigate the conditions existing in the State land settlement colony at Delhi, in accordance with the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9—Relative to a legislative inquiry into the conditions existing in the State land settlement colony at Delhi and requesting the appointment of a joint committee of ten members, five from the Assembly and five from the Senate, to make necessary investigations.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Hartranft, Crittenden and Mixter as the Special Committee to investigate the courses of study at the various State teachers' colleges, in accordance with the provisions of the following resolution by Mr. Foster:

WHEREAS, There has been much consideration of and much complaint concerning the course of study in the various State teachers' colleges, and

WHEREAS, The courses taught to the prospective teachers in the State teachers' colleges have great influence upon the subjects and teachings of the schools throughout the State of California, and

WHEREAS, The State of California appropriates considerable amounts of money for the support of the State teachers' colleges; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Assembly of the State of California, That the Speaker be empowered to appoint a committee of three to investigate the various courses of study in and the expenditures of the State teachers' colleges, and to make a report concerning the same upon the reconvening of the Legislature; such report to include any suggestions or any proposals the committee may have relative to courses of study or finances in the State teachers' colleges.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Rosenshine, Spence, Eksward and Graves as members of the committee on Governmental Revenue and Expenditures in accordance with the amendment to the Standing Rules of the Assembly.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Louttit:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of three to wait upon His Excellency, Governor Friend Wm. Richardson, and inform His Excellency that the Assembly is ready to adjourn for the constitutional recess, and awaits his further pleasure.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution the Speaker appointed Mr. Louttit, Miss Miller and Mr. Wemple as such Select Committee.

Also:

By Mr. Mixter:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon the Senate and inform that body that the Assembly is ready for the constitutional recess and ask if the Senate has any further communication to make to the Assembly.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Mr. Coombs, Mrs. Saylor and Mr. Finney as such select committee

RECESS.

At eleven o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor appeared before the bar of the Assembly and reported that they had waited upon the Governor, and that he had no further communication to make to the Assembly.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Senate appeared before the bar of the Assembly and reported that the instructions of the Assembly had been carried out and that the Senate would communicate its wishes through a committee from that body.

COMMITTEE FROM THE SENATE.

Senators Christian, Maloney and Taylor appeared before the bar of the Assembly and informed the Assembly that the Senate was ready to adjourn and asked if the Assembly had any further message to convey to the Senate.

The Speaker replied that the Assembly had concluded its labors and was ready to adjourn and had no further communication to make to the Senate

ADJOURNMENT.

At 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, January 24, 1925, in accordance with the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, the Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, announced that the time for the adjournment for the constitutional recess of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California had arrived, and thereupon declared the Assembly adjourned until twelve o'clock noon, Tuesday, February 24, 1925, in commemoration of the seventy-seventh anniversary of the discovery of gold in California.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, February 24, 1925.

At twelve o'clock meridian, pursuant to the requirements of section 2, article IV, of the constitution of the State of California, and to the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivа, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Berkeley Blake, of the Unitarian Church of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr Duval, its further reading was dispensed with.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mrs. Saylor, Miss Eleanor Miller was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Wright, T. M., Mr. Spalding was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Smith, Mr. Croter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Rosenshine, Mr. Williamson was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Levey, Mr. Fry was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. C. W. Getchell of San Andreas was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stoneburn of San Mateo were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Adams:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Madera, that we recommend that the present law providing for the collection of registration fees upon motor vehicles, and the procedure incident thereto, be amended and changed so that the registration of motor vehicles and the collection of any and all fees incident thereto be delegated to the assessor of each county, the same to be

collected by him at the time of arranging assessment rolls for personal property, and other taxes in the county, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to our representatives in the Legislature, and that they be urged to work for the passage thereof.

SUPERVISOR CARDWELL,
Chairman of Board of Supervisors of Madera County, California.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

ON MILEAGE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mileage begs leave to report that it has computed the mileage according to section 208 of the Political Code, as follows:

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from Co seat, more	Distance from Co seat, less	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile
1	J J Murphy	Weed, Siskiyou Co	295		30	265	530	$26 50
2	John W Runner	Eureka, Humboldt Co	312				624	31 20
3	Roscoe J Anderson	Redding, Shasta Co	171				342	17 10
4	N V Wemple	Litchfield, Lassen Co	260	18		278	556	27 80
5	Van Bernard	Butte City, Glenn Co	88	15		103	206	10 30
6	Charles B Melville	Fort Bragg, Mendocino Co	150	66		216	432	21 60
7	Charles H Deuel	Chico, Butte Co	86	28		114	228	11 40
8	Fred B Noyes	Yuba City, Sutter Co	50				100	5 00
9	Mrs Cora M Woodbridge	Roseville, Placer Co	37		19	18	36	1 80
10	Robt B McPherson	Vallejo, Solano Co	40	19		59	118	5 90
11	Frank L Coombs	Napa, Napa Co	61				122	6 10
12	Hubert B Scudder	Sebastopol, Sonoma Co	90	7		97	194	9 70
13	D P. Anderson	Santa Rosa, Sonoma Co	90				180	9 00
14	Roy J Nielsen	Sacramento, Sacramento Co						
15	Percy G West	Sacramento, Sacramento Co						
16	H E Dillinger	Placerville, El Dorado Co	60				120	6 00
17	Chas F Reindollar	San Rafael, Marin Co	105			105	210	10 50
18	Robert P Easley	Antioch, Contra Costa Co	62	18		80	160	8 00
19	Bradford S Crittenden	Tracy, San Joaquin Co	48	20		68	136	6 80
20	Tom H Louttit	Stockton, San Joaquin Co	48	20		68	136	6 80
21	Fred C Hawes	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
22	Thomas A Mitchell	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
23	Joseph F Burns	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
24	Walter J Schmidt	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
25	Wm B Hornblower	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
26	Ray Williamson	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
27	Leland R Jacobson	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
28	Edgar C Levey	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
29	Harry F Morrison	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
30	Robert B Fry	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
31	Albert A Rosenshine	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
32	James A Miller	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
33	Charles A Oliva	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00
34	Wm P Jost	Hayward, Alameda Co	84	14		98	196	9 80
35	H R Spence	Alameda, Alameda Co	84	5		89	178	8 90
36	Edward J Smith	Oakland, Alameda Co	84				168	8 40
37	Eugene W Roland	Oakland, Alameda Co	84				168	8 40
38	J Croter	Oakland, Alameda Co	84				168	8 40
39	M J McDonough	Oakland, Alameda Co	84				168	8 40
40	Harold C Cloudman	Berkeley, Alameda Co	84				168	8 40
41	Anna L Saylor	Berkeley, Alameda Co	84				168	8 40
42	F L Eksward	Burlingame, San Mateo Co	119				238	11 90
43	Geo C Cleveland	Watsonville, Santa Cruz Co	198	20		218	436	21 80
44	T. M Wright	San Jose, Santa Clara Co	128				256	12 80
45	C C Spalding	Sunnyvale, Santa Clara Co	128	10		138	276	13 80
46	Esto B Broughton	Modesto, Stanislaus Co	77				154	7 70
47	Maurice B Browne	Sonora, Tuolumne Co	125				250	12 50
48	F. E Dayton	Salinas, Monterey Co	208				416	20 80
49	E G Adams	Livingston, Merced Co	114		14	100	200	10 00
50	Chas A Foster	Fowler, Fresno Co	160	10		179	358	17 90
51	Herbert McDowell	Fresno, Fresno Co	169				338	16 90
52	S L Heisinger	Selma, Fresno Co	169	16		185	370	18 50
53	S V Wright	San Luis Obispo, San Luis Obispo Co	343				686	34 30
54	Frank Johnson	Hardwick, Kings Co	214	7		221	442	22 10
55	Frank W. Mixter	Exeter, Tulare Co	206	10		216	432	21 60
56	Grace S Dorris	Bakersfield, Kern Co	278				556	27 80
57	Isaac Jones	Ontario, San Bernardino Co	508		24	484	968	48 40
58	Archibald E Brock	Redlands, San Bernardino Co	508	12		520	1,040	52 00

ON MILEAGE—continued.

District	Name	Address	Distance from seat	Distance from Co seat, more	Distance from Co seat, less	Mileage one way	Total mileage	Amount at 5 cents per mile
59	Edgar O Campbell	Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara Co	460				920	$46 00
60	Walter H Duval	Saticoy, Ventura Co	490	8		498	996	49 80
61	Frank C Weller	Glendale, Los Angeles Co	447	8		455	910	45 50
62	Walter J Little	Hermosa Beach Los Angeles Co	447	22		469	938	46 90
63	Sidney T Graves	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447				894	44 70
64	Harry Lyons	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447				894	44 70
65	Thomas L Dodge	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447				894	44 70
66	William M Byrne	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447				894	44 70
67	Eleanor Miller	Pasadena, Los Angeles Co	447	13		460	920	46 00
68	Harry F Sewell	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447	20		467	934	46 70
69	Jerome V Seofield	Huntington Park, Los Angeles Co	447	6		453	906	45 30
70	Frank F Merriam	Long Beach, Los Angeles Co	447	22		469	938	46 90
71	Henry E Carter	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447	25		472	944	47 20
72	W E Badham	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447				894	44 70
73	Howard W Davis	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447				894	44 70
74	F M Roberts	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447				894	44 70
75	Mark A Pierce	Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co	447				894	44 70
76	S C Hartranft	Fullerton, Orange Co	447	27		474	948	47 40
77	Alfred C Murray	Riverside, Riverside Co	512				1,024	51 20
78	A C Finney	Brawley, Imperial Co	661	18		679	1,358	67 90
79	Byron J Walters	San Diego, San Diego Co	573				1,146	57 30
80	Edwin A Mueller	El Cajon, San Diego Co	573	16		589	1,178	58 90
		OFFICER						
	Louis F Erb	San Francisco, San Francisco Co	90				180	9 00

BERNARD, Chairman.

APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following standing committee:

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—Messrs. McDowell, Dodge, and Scudder

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Johnson:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon His Excellency, Governor Friend Wm. Richardson, and inform him that the Assembly has reconvened after the constitutional recess, and awaits any communication that he may wish to make to it.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Johnson and Runner and Miss Broughton as such select committee.

By Mr Carter:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of three to notify the Senate that the Assembly has reconvened, pursuant to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, adopted on January 16, 1925, and is ready to proceed with the business of the State, with all officers heretofore elected present, to wit:

Speaker—Hon. Frank F. Merriam
Speaker pro tempore—Hon Homer R. Spence
Chief Clerk—Arthur A Ohnimus
Minute Clerk—Louis F Erb
Chaplain—Rev Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee
Sergeant-at-Arms—Charles H Wilkinson

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Carter and Morrison and Mrs. Dorris as such select committee.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr McPherson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bills, the titles of which read as follows

An act providing for the time of completion of toll bridges over navigable waters within the State of California.

Also An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Graves:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bills, the titles of which read as follows.

An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property:

Also An act to amend section 324 of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 326 and 328 of said code: to add a new article III of chapter II of title I of part IV of division 1 of said code consisting of sections 350 to 350*x*, both inclusive, all relating to the transfer of stock in corporations, and to make the law relating to the transfer of shares of stock in corporations uniform with the laws of other states.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FROM THE SENATE.

Senators Chamberlin, Hurley, Fellom and Breed appeared before the bar of the Assembly and announced that pursuant to the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2 adopted January 16, 1925, the Senate had reconvened and was ready to proceed with the business of the State, with all officers elected heretofore, present, to wit:

President	Hon. C. C. Young
President pro tempore	Hon. A. H. Breed
Secretary	Joseph A. Beek
Sergeant-at-Arms	Joseph F. Nolan
Chaplain	Rev. Wm E Harrison
Minute Clerk	H. J. Powers

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor appeared before the bar of the Assembly, and reported that they had waited upon the Governor, and His Excellency had informed them that he had no communication to convey to the Assembly at this time.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

The committee to wait upon the Senate appeared before the bar of the Assembly and reported that the instructions of the Assembly had been carried out.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and twenty minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a m., Wednesday, February 25, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, February 25, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Schofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Mixter its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MILEAGE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mileage begs leave to submit an additional report relative to the mileage according to section 208 of the Political Code, and recommends the adoption of the resolution herewith

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed and ordered to draw his warrant upon the proper fund in favor of the following named officers and members of the Assembly for the amounts set opposite their names, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed and ordered to pay the same:

Name	Miles	Amount
J. J. Murphy	530	$26 50
John W. Runner	624	31 20
Roscoe J. Anderson	342	17 10
N. V. Wemple	556	27 80
Van Bernard	206	10 30
Charles B. Melville	432	21 60
Charles H Deuel	228	11 40
Fred B. Noyes	100	5 00
Mrs Cora M. Woodbridge	36	1 80
Robt. B. McPherson	118	5 90
Frank L. Coombs	122	6 10
Hubert B. Scudder	194	9 70
D. P. Anderson	180	9 00
Roy J. Nielsen	---	-----
Percy G West	---	-----
H. E. Dillinger	120	6 00
Chas. F. Reindollar	210	10 50
Robert P Easley	160	8 00
Bradford S. Crittenden	136	6 80
Tom H. Louttit	136	6 80
Fred C. Hawes	180	9 00
Thomas A. Mitchell	180	9 00
Joseph F. Burns	180	9 00

Name	Miles	Amount
Walter J. Schmidt	180	$9 00
Wm B. Hornblower	180	9 00
Ray Wilhamson	180	9 00
Leland R Jacobson	180	9 00
Edgar C. Levey	180	9 00
Harry F. Morrison	180	9 00
Robert B. Fry	180	9 00
Albert A. Rosenshine	180	9 00
James A Miller	180	9 00
Charles A. Oliva	180	9 00
Wm. P Jost	196	9 80
H R Spence	178	8 90
Edward J Smith	168	8 40
Eugene W. Roland	168	8 40
J. Croter	168	8 40
M. J. McDonough	168	8 40
Harold C Cloudman	168	8 40
Anna L Saylor	168	8 40
F. L. Eksward	238	11 90
Geo C. Cleveland	436	21 80
T. M. Wright	256	12 80
C. C. Spalding	276	13 80
Esto B Broughton	154	7 70
Maurice B. Browne	250	12 50
F. E. Dayton	416	20 80
E. G. Adams	200	10 00
Chas. A Foster	358	17 90
Herbert McDowell	338	16 90
S. L Heisinger	370	18 50
S. V. Wright	668	34 30
Frank Johnson	442	22 10
Frank W. Mixter	432	21 60
Grace S. Dorris	556	27 80
Isaac Jones	968	48 40
Archibald E. Brock	1040	52 00
Edgar O. Campbell	920	46 00
Walter H Duval	996	49 80
Frank C. Weller	910	45 50
Walter J. Little	938	46 90
Sidney T. Graves	894	44 70
Harry Lyons	894	44 70
Thomas L. Dodge	894	44 70
William M Byrne	894	44 70
Eleanor Miller	920	46 00
Harry F. Sewell	934	46 70
Jerome V. Scofield	906	45 30
Frank F. Merriam	938	46 90
Henry E Carter	944	47 20
W. E. Badham	894	44 70
Howard W. Davis	894	44 70
F. M. Roberts	894	44 70
Mark A Pierce	894	44 70
S. C Hartranft	948	47 40
Alfred C. Murray	1024	51 20
A. C. Finney	1358	67 90
Byron J Walters	1146	57 30
Edwin A. Mueller	1178	58 90
OFFICER.		
Louis F. Erb	180	9 00

BERNARD, Chairman.

Mr Bernard moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding,

Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Runner—1.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Graves: An act to amend section 324 of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 326 and 328 of said code; to add a new article III of chapter II of title I of part IV of division I of said code consisting of sections 350 to 350*x*, both inclusive, all relating to the transfer of stock in corporations, and of shares of stock in corporations uniform with the laws of other states.

Also: An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property.

By Mr. McPherson: An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California.

Also: An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Report read.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hesinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Graves: Assembly Bill No. 1173—An act to amend section 324 of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 326 and 328 of said code; to add a new article III of chapter II of title I of part IV division I of said code consisting of sections 350 to 350*x*, both inclusive, all relating to the transfer of stock in corporations, and to make the law relating to the transfer of shares of stock in corporations uniform with the laws of other states.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1174—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachment of real and personal property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to changing of rate of taxation for State purposes

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Miller, J. A.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Jost:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 383b, prohibiting scald-picking of poultry and game, and the sale or possession of scald-picked poultry or game.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Levey:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new article to chapter II of title I of part III of division I of the Civil Code, to be numbered article V, relating to the allowance and payment of claims of creditors in actions for divorce.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Brock:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Smith:

WHEREAS, There has been introduced in the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California a bill numbered Assembly Bill No. 440, known as "An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of herbs, roots or other nature products, etc., and providing a penalty for violation thereof," and

WHEREAS, Certain publicity unfavorable to the author of said bill has been given by the press of this State, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Assembly that the Speaker be, and he is hereby directed to appoint a committee, consisting of five members of the Assembly, to investigate fully the facts in connection with said bill and to report back to this body its findings thereon.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution the Speaker appointed Messrs. Graves (chairman), Coombs, Cleveland, Jones, and Wright, T. M, as such special committee.

By the San Francisco delegation:

February 25, 1925

WHEREAS, The name of Mr. Levey having been omitted by inadvertence from the following bills introduced by the San Francisco delegation, Assembly Bill No. 870, Assembly Bill No. 904, Assembly Bill No. 923, Assembly Bill No 924, Assembly Bill No. 925, and Assembly Bill No. 926, request is hereby made that Mr. Levey's name be inserted as one of the introducers of said bills.

EDGAR C LEVEY.
FRED C. HAWES.
WALTER J. SCHMIDT.
LELAND R. JACOBSON.
A. A ROSENSHINE.
CHARLES A. OLIVA.
JOSEPH F. BURNS.
THOMAS A. MITCHELL.
JAMES A. MILLER.
WM B HORNBLOWER.
ROBERT B. FRY
RAYMOND O WILLIAMSON.
HARRY MORRISON.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

MOTION.

Mr. Foster moved that the records show an excuse for his absence on Tuesday, February 24, 1925, as he was detained on business pertaining to the State.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At ten o'clock and forty minutes a. m, on motion of Mr Lyons, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a. m., Thursday, February 25, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, February 26, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswand, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—68.

Quorum present.

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Roberts, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Schmidt, Mr. Mitchell was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Schmidt, Mr. Fred Westrup of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Robt. G. Drady of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution, or attachment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 239—An act appropriating money for the installation and equipment of a toy factory at Folsom State prison—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act making an appropriation for the completion of the west wing of San Quentin prison—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 107 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for the escape of prisoners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 886—An act making an appropriation for the purchase

of a site for a State national guard camp—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to provide for the treatment and surgical care of deformed, crippled or injured children by the State of California, in its general hospitals and institutions, and providing funds therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 104—An act recognizing and declaring valid the Vandalia irrigation district, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings for the formation of said district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to recognize and declare valid the Littlerock Midland irrigation district, and all proceedings in relation thereto and to the organization thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in and relative to the organization of Lucerne irrigation district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Jost: An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 383b prohibiting scald-picking of poultry and game, and the sale or possession of scald-picked poultry or game.

By Mr. Levey: An act to add a new article to chapter II of title I of part III of division I of the Civil Code, to be numbered article V, relating to the allowance and payment of claims of creditors in actions for divorce.

By Mr. Brock: An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture.

By Mr Miller, J. A.: An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 1177—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 383*b*, prohibiting scald-picking of poultry and game, and the sale or possession of scald-picked poultry or game.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Levey: Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to add a new article to chapter II of title I of part III of division I of the Civil Code, to be numbered article V, relating to the allowance and payment of claims of creditors in actions for divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Miller, J. A.: Assembly Bill No. 1180—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27: Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to revenue and taxation.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

MOTION.

Mr. Dodge moved that the members of the Committee on Prisons and Reformatories be excused for Friday, February 26, 1925, in order to investigate building conditions at the San Quentin prison.

Motion carried.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received by the Speaker from the Legislature of Wisconsin.

Joint Resolution No. 1 adopted by the Legislature of Wisconsin, protesting to the Congress and the Secretary of War of the United States against the continuation

of the illegal taking of water from the Great Lakes through the Chicago Drainage Canal.

Read, and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Deuel:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote prompt drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered 19*a*, and 19*b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Spalding:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to part-time schools

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Bernard:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to approve, confirm, ratify, and validate sales and leases of real property made by school districts or high school districts, or by boards of education or boards of school trustees, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of such sales or leases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At ten o'clock and forty minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, February 27, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, February 27, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. David C. Williams of Merced, a former member of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Lyons its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Spence, Mr. Roland was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Noyes, Mr. Deuel was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Saylor, Miss Miller was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Schmidt, Mr. Mitchell was granted leave of absence for the day.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were received by the Speaker:

Resolution adopted by the Senate of Texas relative to the character of certain appropriations made by the federal Congress.

Read and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named person has filed his credentials and he is duly recognized as a representative of the newspaper set opposite his name.

Underwriters' Report.....D. W. Burbank

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions, and desires to submit the following resolution.

Resolved, That the following named persons be, and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and per diem set opposite their respective names, the appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the 24th day of February, 1925:

C. Wm. Booth, Assistant Clerk	$9 00
Edward Lynch, Assistant Clerk	7 00
Alfred S. Gomes, History Clerk	7 00
Charles Erb, File Clerk	7 00
Oscar Norrell, Assistant Minute Clerk	7 00
Theodore Lafayette, Journal Clerk	7 00
Willis M. Baum, Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk	7 00
Helen Cramer, Assistant Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk	5 00
Alfred Colegrove, Clerk of the Judiciary Committee	6 00
Gladys Magistrini, Clerk of the Ways and Means Committee	6 00
William Milton, Bookkeeper to Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Joseph Margolis, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
C. E. Whiteside, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
John H. Johnson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Mrs. Anna T. Perry, Postmistress	4 00
Adele H. Foren, Stenographer	5 00
Nellie Cockerill, Stenographer	5 00
Hannah Lawrence, Stenographer	5 00
Bessie Manning, Stenographer	5 00
Martha J. Clarke, Stenographer	5 00
Lillian Cabeldu, Stenographer	5 00
Edith Mason, Stenographer	5 00
Nan Trimble, Stenographer	5 00
Lenora Leak, Stenographer	5 00
Ethel Sosey, Stenographer	5 00
Wilhelmina Stephens, Stenographer	5 00
Florence Murphy, Stenographer	5 00
Dolores Burrell, Stenographer	5 00
Norma Brown Stenographer	5 00
Lorma Davis, Stenographer	5 00
Frank Vinson, Page	2 50
Theodore Remdollar, Page	2 50
Tyr Valdemar Johnson, Page	2 50
John Pettis, Page	2 50

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the twenty-fifth day of February, 1925:

Dan Whalen, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00
Marie Davis, Committee Clerk	4 00
Susan Wallace, Stenographer	5 00

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the twenty-sixth day of February, 1925

Robert Orr, Assistant Clerk	$7 00
Lucille E. Grady, Stenographer	5 00

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the second day of March, 1925:

Jack Lindsey, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00
Ed E. Wright, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant from said funds in favor of the above named persons for said per diem, and the said Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Minter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend section 2967 of the Civil Code, relating to foreclosures of mortgages,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 277—An act to repeal section 3310 of the Political Code, relating to auctioneers;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1131—An act to establish Gold Discovery Day;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 158—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. W. Levers against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass, as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to amend section 1973½ of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to clerks of justice courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1925, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, expenses, and compensation of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class:
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to repeal section 4099 of the Political Code, relating to joint statements of auditor and treasurer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 686—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 1929 of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved March 8, 1909, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the fourteenth class, and fixing their mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties:
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 376—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 737r, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in Riverside County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 563—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a reclamation district to be called and known as 'Reclamation District No. 1500,' providing for the management and control thereof and dissolving all levee districts, swamp land districts, and reclamation districts, lying wholly within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500; providing for the liquidation and winding up of said dissolved districts, and excluding from any levee district, swamp land district and reclamation district any land lying within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500," approved April 30, 1913, as amended, relating to the election, appointment, powers, and duties of the trustees of said district,

and relating to the management and control thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton channel—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 237—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 15, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON JUDICIARY.

SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 82—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Marin county;

Also: Assembly Bill No 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Merced;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 77—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Madera.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*cc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 172—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*c*, relating to salaries of superior judges in counties of the forty-sixth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 737*b*, of the Political Code, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in Imperial county;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 370—An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of superior court judges of the county of Ventura.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 220—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*cc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1020—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court for the county of San Diego;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 846 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to alias summons;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 284—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI inclusive of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, all relating to partnerships, and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other States;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 506—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco State Teachers College;

Also Assembly Bill No. 174—An act appropriating money to provide for the grading, paving, curbing, guttering and drainage of those portions of Normal Street, Normal-Campus intersection, Campus street Campus-Meade intersection, and Meade avenue, in San Diego, California, fronting on property of the San Diego State Teachers College,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1168—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of officers and employees, Chico State Teachers College, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years

Also Assembly Bill No. 551—An act making an appropriation for permanent improvements on the summer session property of Fresno State Teachers College at Huntington Lake, Fresno county,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

DEUEL, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Bernard. An act to add a new section to be numbered *2a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

By Mr. Spalding. An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language, to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to part-time schools.

By Mr. Deuel. An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered *19a* and *19b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Mutray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

The following report of special committee was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your special committee appointed to investigate certain charges of alleged misconduct recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved by the Assembly, That the special committee appointed on the 25th day of February, 1925, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Assembly and introduced by Edward J. Smith, Assemblyman for the Thirty-sixth Assembly District of the State of California, to investigate certain charges of alleged misconduct be, and it is hereby directed, authorized and empowered to investigate said charges and in said investigation to subpoena witnesses personally and duces tecum, to administer oaths and to take testimony, and to do all and every of the things deemed by it to be necessary in said investigation, and in this to employ a stenographer to take down and transcribe all proceedings in said matter, and to incur such

further expenses as may be necessary, all to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Assembly, not to exceed, however, the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 1181—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who cannot adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to part-time schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No 1182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No. 1183—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage, approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered 19*a* and 19*b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28—Proposed amendment to article XX of the constitution, relative to removal of officers.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 138—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629, and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Add to the title after the word "accident", the words "or on account of fire."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Beginning with the word "when" in line 3, strike out all words and sentences to and including the word "danger" in line 11 and insert therein "when a county jail or building contiguous to it is on fire, and there is reason to apprehend that the prisoners may be injured or endangered, the sheriff or jailer must remove them to a safe and convenient place, and there confine them as long as it may be necessary to avoid the danger.

When it is made to appear to a judge of the superior court by affidavit of the sheriff or district attorney and oral testimony that a prisoner confined in the county jail requires medical treatment, which treatment can not be furnished or supplied at said county jail, the court, in its discretion, may order the removal of such person or persons from said county jail to any hospital in said county designated by said court and it shall be the duty of the sheriff to maintain the necessary guards for the safe keeping of such prisoner, the expense of which shall be a charge against the county."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to provide for the treatment and surgical care of deformed, crippled or injured children by the State of California, in its general hospitals and institutions, and providing funds therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act recognizing and declaring valid the Vandalia Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings for the formation of said district.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 485—An act to recognize and declare valid the Littlerock Midland Irrigation District, and all proceedings in relation thereto and to the organization thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in and relative to the organization of Lucerne Irrigation District.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to approve, confirm, ratify, and validate sales and leases of real property made by school districts or high school districts, or by boards of education or boards of school trustees, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of such sales or leases.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred resolution by the special committee appointed to investigate certain charges of alleged misconduct

Resolved by the Assembly, That the special committee appointed on the 25th day of February, 1925, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Assembly and introduced by Edward J. Smith, Assemblyman for the Thirty-sixth Assembly District of the State of California, to investigate certain charges of alleged misconduct, be, and it is hereby directed, authorized and empowered to investigate said charges, and in said investigation to subpoena witnesses personally and duces tecum; to administer oaths and to take testimony; and to do all and every of the things deemed by it to be necessary in said investigation, and in this to employ a stenographer to take down and transcribe all proceedings in said matter, and to incur such further expenses as may be necessary; all to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Assembly, not to exceed, however, the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

MURRAY, Chairman.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Ekswatd, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. McDowell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings on organization and formation of Crescent Irrigation District.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2210*h*, relating to pensions.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., March 2, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 2, 1925.

At ten o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Olivа, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Wemple, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dodge, Dr. and Mrs James Decker Munson of Michigan were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Dodge, Mr Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr Sewell, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 358—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 357—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 839—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 688*a*, relating to statements, declarations or confessions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 356—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Political Code, relating to holidays—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 190—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1063, and relating to the trial of actions for declaratory relief—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 383—An act to amend section 822 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with misdemeanors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 384—An act to amend section 821 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with felonies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 544—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered

737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No 431—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to superior courts,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management, control, and transfer of real property;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relative to memorializing the Congress of the United States to propose to the several legislatures of the states of the Union an amendment to the constitution of the United States to permit the election of President and Vice President of the United States by direct vote of the electors of the United States—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

LOUTTIT, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

BROCK, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 593—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on County Government.

BROCK, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 41—An act to amend section 2192 of the Political Code, relating to commitment of incompetents other than insane persons to State hospitals,

Also Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal

of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BROCK, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Relative to records of service in the army;
Also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the appropriation of funds for carrying out certain recommendations of the chief of staff of the United States army made in furtherance of the National Defense Act of 1920,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

LOUTTIT, Chairman

The above reported joint resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act recognizing and declaring valid the Vandalia Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings for the formation of said district;

Also Assembly Bill No 133—An act to approve, confirm, ratify, and validate sales and leases of real property made by school districts or high school districts, or by boards of education or boards of school trustees, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of such sales or leases;

Also Assembly Bill No. 138—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924 providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof

Also Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to provide for the treatment and surgical care of deformed, crippled or injured children by the State of California, in its general hospitals and institutions, and providing funds therefor,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to recognize and declare valid the Littlerock Midland Irrigation District, and all proceedings in relation thereto and to the organization thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in and relative to the organization of Lucerne Irrigation District;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows

By Mr Wright, T. M: An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2210*b*, relating to pensions.

By Mr. McDowell: An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings on organization and formation of Crescent Irrigation District.

McDOWELL, Chairman

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.
The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. McDowell: Assembly Bill No. 1184—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings on organization and formation of Crescent Irrigation District.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 2210*h*, relating to pensions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Dodge:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add seven new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 928, 928*a*, 928*b*, 928*c*, 928*d*, 928*e*, and 928*f*, providing for the establishment of and procedure in small claims courts in cities where municipal courts are established.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mrs. Woodbridge:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*r*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Byrne:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to require every person driving any vehicles on a public highway, on approaching certain railway grade crossings, to stop before passing thereover, and to require railway companies to erect and maintain danger signs at such crossings, and providing penalties therefor.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Easley:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure

therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Bernard:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to appropriate money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Murray:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Contingent Fund of the Assembly in the sum of $229.13 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

Moise-Klukner Co., Badges	$28 65
Pacific States Telephone Company, Phone Service	11 60
Western Union Telegraph Co.	7 47
H. S. Crocker Co., Inc., Supplies	25 05
Bancroft-Whitney Company, 83 copies Roberts' Rules of Order	124 50
Carithers Sign Co., Lettering Assembly Doors	31 86
	$229 13

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend section 2967 of the Civil Code, relating to foreclosures of mortgages.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 277—An act to repeal section 3310 of the Political Code, relating to auctioneers

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1131—An act to establish Gold Discovery Day.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to amend section 1981 of an act entitled "An Act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of

such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls and other institutions; establishing probation officers and probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to clerks of justice courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths, and third classes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1925, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, expense and compensation of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 421—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 541—An act to repeal section 4099 of the Political Code, relating to joint statements of auditor and treasurer.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 686—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3 of the printed bill, after the figures "4266", insert the following "In counties of the thirty-seventh class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit

1. The county clerk, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum and such fees and commissions as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law, one deputy at one hundred fifty dollars per month; one deputy at one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; which offices are hereby created, the salaries of said deputies shall be paid in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk is paid, the clerk may also be allowed by the board of supervisors a sum not to exceed one thousand dollars per annum for additional clerical help, when in the opinion of the board of supervisors, such assistance is necessary; *provided, further*, in each year in which a new and complete or supplemental registration of voters is required by law the county clerk shall appoint as many deputy registration clerks as may be necessary for the convenient registration of voters of the county, which deputy registration clerks shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of ten cents per name for each and every voter registered by them, said compensation to be paid out of the general fund of the county on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of the county a duly verified claim therefor approved by the county clerk

2 The sheriff, three thousand dollars per annum and such mileage as is allowed by law for the services of all papers issued by courts outside this county; and all mileage for service of papers in civil cases in this county; and actual expenses incurred in criminal cases, he shall have one deputy at one hundred seventy-five dollars per month and one deputy at one hundred fifty dollars per month, which offices are hereby created, said deputies to be appointed by the sheriff, and to be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and out of the same fund as the salary of the sheriff is paid The sheriff may also be allowed by the board of supervisors a sum not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars per annum for additional help, when, in the opinion of the board, such additional help is necessary. The provisions of this section shall not apply to the present incumbent or his deputies but shall become effective immediately upon the expiration of the term of office of the present incumbent, except that part relating to the fifteen hundred dollars to be allowed by the board of supervisors, which shall go into effect immediately

3. The recorder, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy recorder at one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, two deputy recorders at one hundred dollars per month each, which offices are hereby created, said deputies to be appointed by the recorder and to be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the recorder is paid The recorder may also be allowed by the board of supervisors a sum not to exceed two thousand dollars per annum for additional clerical help, when, in the opinion of the board of supervisors, such assistance is necessary.

4. The auditor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy auditor at one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, said deputy to be appointed by the auditor and to be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the auditor is paid. The auditor may also be allowed by the board of supervisors a sum not to exceed five hundred dollars per annum for additional clerical help, when, in the opinion of the board of supervisors, such assistance is necessary.

5. The treasurer, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy treasurer at one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created; the salary of said deputy to be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the treasurer is paid.

6. The tax collector, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy at one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, which office is hereby created, the salary of said deputy to be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time in the same manner and out of the same fund as the tax collector is paid. The tax collector may also be allowed by the board of supervisors a sum not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars per annum for additional clerical help, when, in the opinion of the board of supervisors, such assistance is necessary.

7. The assessor, two thousand five hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy assessor at one hundred fifty dollars per month, one deputy at one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, which offices are hereby created; the salaries of said deputies to be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the assessor is paid. The assessor may also be allowed by the board of supervisors a sum of not to exceed five thousand dollars per annum additional help, when in the opinion of the board of supervisors, such assistance is necessary. *Provided, further*, that the assessor shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own use four per centum only on personal property tax collected by him as authorized by section three thousand eight hundred twenty of the Political Code of the State of California.

8. The district attorney, three thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one stenographer at one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, said salary to be paid in monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the district attorney is paid.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy to be appointed by him at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created, said salary to be paid in monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the superintendent of schools is paid.

12. The surveyor, ten dollars per day when engaged in county work. He shall also receive his actual expenses when at work in the field.

13. The justices of the peace shall receive the following salaries to be paid each month as the salaries of the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them. In townships having a population of five thousand or more, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, in townships less than five thousand and more than three thousand, one hundred dollars per month, in townships having a population of less than three thousand, six hundred dollars per annum.

14. The constables shall receive the following salaries to be paid each month as the salaries of county officials are paid. In townships having a population of more than five thousand, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, in townships of less than five thousand and more than three thousand one hundred dollars per month, in townships having a population of less than three thousand four hundred eighty dollars per annum. In addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed, each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees and mileage as are allowed by law for service of all papers issued by any court outside of this county and all fees and mileage for service of papers in civil cases in this county.

15. Each member of the board of supervisors, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, in full payment for services as member of the board of supervisors, as member of the board of equalization and as road commissioner, and twenty-five cents per mile while traveling from his residence to the county seat not more than once a month and each member shall receive his actual traveling expenses as road commissioner not to exceed six hundred dollars per annum. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents.

16. The official reporter of the superior court shall receive such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

17. The salary of the county librarian shall be two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments, at the same time, in

the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

18. Grand jurors and jurors in the superior court shall receive the following fees: For each day's attendance three dollars, and for each mile actually traveled in attending court as a juror, one way, fifteen cents

19. There is hereby created for counties of this class, a traffic officer, who shall receive a salary of not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars per month, said officer to provide and maintain his equipment and all costs of operating thereof. The traffic officer shall be allowed not to exceed three deputies. Each of such deputies shall receive a salary not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars per month, and shall provide and maintain his equipment and all costs of operating the same. Such traffic officer and his deputies shall be appointed by the board of supervisors and shall hold office for the period provided by law; *provided, however*, that the board of supervisors shall have authority at any time to remove such officer, or any of said deputies."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 19*r*29 of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved March 8, 1909, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "annum" add the following:

"In counties of the twenty-ninth class the probation officer shall perform, in addition to his duties as probation officer, the duties of investigator for the board of supervisors, on applications for county and state aid, without additional compensation, except his necessary expenses and mileage, not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of three hundred dollars per annum."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the fourteenth class, and fixing their mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two office deputies at one thousand five hundred dollars per" and on line thirteen, strike out the words "annum each" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one office deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum and one office deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, between the words "one" and "deputy" insert the word "chief".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 37 to 42, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "said detective shall have all the powers of a peace officer as set forth in sections 834 and 836 of the Penal Code, and shall perform such duties as may be required of him by the district attorney or by the ordinances of

the board of supervisors of the county, and whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of six dollars per day when employed but not to exceed one hundred and eighty dollars per month".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 563—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a reclamation district to be called and known as 'Reclamation District Number 1500'; providing for the management and control thereof and dissolving all levee districts, swamp land districts, and reclamation districts, lying wholly within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500, providing for the liquidation and winding up of said dissolved districts, and excluding from any levee district, swamp land district and reclamation district any land lying within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500," approved April 30, 1913, as amended, relating to the election, appointment, powers, and duties of the trustees of said district, and relating to the management and control thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, insert after the word "amend" the words "section two of."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the printed bill, insert after the words "Section 1" the following:

Section two of an act entitled "An act creating a reclamation district to be called and known as 'reclamation district number one thousand five hundred; providing for the management and control thereof and dissolving all levee districts, swamp land districts, and reclamation districts, lying wholly within the boundaries of said reclamation district number one thousand five hundred; providing for the liquidation and winding up of said dissolved districts, and excluding from any levee district, swamp land district and reclamation district any land lying within the boundaries of said reclamation district number one thousand five hundred," approved April 30, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec. 2. The management and control of said reclamation district number one thousand five hundred and the election of trustees thereof are hereby made subject to the provisions of article one of chapter one of title eight of part three of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to swamp and overflowed lands and reclamation districts, or any amendments or additions thereto, except as otherwise provided in this act, and the management and control of said reclamation district number one thousand five hundred shall be vested in five trustees who shall hold office until their successors are elected or appointed and qualified

An election of five trustees shall be held in said district on the third Tuesday in October, 1925, and on the third Tuesday in October every two years thereafter, and the term of office shall be two years and until their successors are elected or appointed and qualified. If an election is not held at any time herein specified, it may be held at such other time as may be authorized or provided for by said chapter one of title eight of the Political Code of California In case of any vacancy in the office of trustee of said district, the board of supervisors of Sutter county shall appoint a qualified person as trustee who shall hold said office for the portion of the unexpired term and until his successor is elected and qualified. The office and principal place of business of said district shall be in the city of Sacramento, and in such place as the board of trustees thereof may from time to time fix. The board of supervisors of the county of Sutter shall have jurisdiction over all matters concerning said district, to the same extent as if the said district was formed under the provisions of said Political Code of the State of California, except as otherwise provided in this act. All funds of said district shall be deposited in the county treasury of said county of Sutter, and shall be disbursed by the treasurer of said county in payment of the warrants of said district. Said district shall have the power to make by-laws in conformity with the provisions by law, and shall have all rights and powers which are now, or may hereafter be

conferred by the provisions of the Political Code, or by other laws of the State of California upon reclamation or swamp land districts, and shall also have the right and power of purchasing real and personal property and rights of way within the boundaries of said district, or outside thereof, as may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes of said district or to acquire the same by condemnation proceedings in the manner provided by law, and shall also have the right and power to join with other reclamation districts, levee districts, or swamp land districts, or other persons in the construction and maintenance of levees and reclamation works, and to contract for the same, and also to do all other acts and things that may be incident to or necessary to the reclamation of the lands of said district, as the board of trustees thereof may determine.

All of the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, unless inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are made a part of this act, and shall be deemed to be incorporated herein. The said reclamation district hereby created, shall have the power, in addition to the power hereby conferred, to do all other acts or things that any reclamation district or swamp land district within the State of California has power to do under any existing law, or any law hereafter enacted.

The said district may at any time petition in writing, by its board of trustees, the reclamation board to change the line of location or construction of any levee in this act, or in the act of which this is amendatory, described, or any other levee, or to build any additional or supplemental levee or levees, and the reclamation board may, by an order allow such petition in whole or in part, and allow such change, or the building of any additional or supplemental levee.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 846 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to alias summons.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 284—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI, inclusive, of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships, and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in Controller's office.

Also: Senate Bill No. 771—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to defectively acknowledged instruments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 300 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 771 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to reports of the Department Encampment of the Spanish-American War Veterans.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 read, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to provide for the treatment and surgical care of deformed, crippled or injured children by the State of California in its general hospitals and institutions and providing funds therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 242 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act recognizing and declaring valid The Vandalia Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings for the formation of said district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 104 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Millet, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to recognize and declare valid the Littlerock Midland Irrigation District, and all proceedings in relation thereto and to the organization thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 485 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in and relative to the organization of Lucerne Irrigation District.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 902 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved:
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to approve, confirm, ratify, and validate sales and leases of real property made by school districts or high school districts, or by boards of education or boards of school trustees, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of such sales or leases.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 133 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident or on account of fire—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 149 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION.

Mr. Dillinger moved that the special committee appointed to investigate certain charges of alleged misconduct, be excused from the Assembly until such time as the work of the committee is completed.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 3, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 3, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson,

Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Heisinger, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUEST ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Frank J. Clayton of Washington, D. C., was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Heisinger, Mr. McDowell was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Sewell, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Also Assembly Bill No 375—An act to amend section 1971/5 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 183—An act to amend "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department, and to assess and collect taxes, from time to time, for such purposes, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, by the addition thereto of a new section to be numbered 24½, providing for the annexation of unincorporated territory to a fire district;

Also: Assembly Bill No 975—An act to amend sections 4214, 4215, 4216, 4217, 4218, 4219, 4220 and 4221 of the Political Code, all relating to the duties of the county engineer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 976—An act to amend section 4013 of the Political Code, relating to officers of a county;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 373—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for

work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties, and upon property and rights of way owned by counties, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, by amending the title thereof and by adding two sections thereto to be numbered sections 5 and 6, relating to powers and duties of boards of supervisors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to committee on Municipal Corporations.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 352—An act authorizing and empowering the State Board of Forestry to acquire by purchase, gift or donation, in the name of the State of California, forest or brush covered lands under certain conditions; fixing the maximum price per acre to be paid for such lands as may be purchased; authorizing and directing the State Board of Forestry to administer and maintain and reforest such lands, or retain said lands for the conservation of water or watershed cover; appropriating the sum of $150,000 for the purpose of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to amend section 311 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may call stockholders meetings of corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 19—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 1027 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1024—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States—has had the

same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 107—An act granting to the city of South San Francisco the salt marsh tide and submerged lands of the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 330—An act providing for the sale of tide and submerged lands of the State of California filled in through dredging operations;

Also Assembly Bill No 331—An act providing for the survey and subdivision of lands belonging to the State of California to be sold or leased and the recording of maps of surveys and subdivisions,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 102—An act to appropriate $50,000 to the State Department of Agriculture for the eradication of Albagi camelorum (otherwise known as camel's thorn) in the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1043—An act to promote and increase the distribution and marketing of California grapes, to provide for an investigation of the methods to improve the quality of and demand for such products; and making an appropriation to carry out such investigation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act to prevent the spread of plant pests by means of containers, appliances or articles used in connection with various agricultural commodities, to confer upon the Director of the Department of Agriculture the power to designate such species and prescribe such treatment therefor as he shall deem adequate to prevent such spread, to confer upon the county horticultural commissioners the power to prescribe such treatment, to prohibit the transportation from or into any county or locality of the State of any such containers, appliances or articles unless proof shall have been furnished that the same have not been exposed to infection or infestation by such plant pests, to make a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act for the prevention, eradication and control of insect pests and diseases affecting grapes, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation thereto," approved June 3, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to amend section 1981 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the

age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers,

Also Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to clerks of justice courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof,

Also Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1925, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend section 2967 of the Civil Code, relating to foreclosures of mortgages;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 277—An act to repeal section 3310 of the Political Code, relating to auctioneers,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 284—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI inclusive of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other States;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, expenses, and compensation of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to repeal section 4099 of the Political Code, relating to joint statements of auditor and treasurer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 686—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 846 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to alias summons;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1131—An act to establish Gold Discovery Day;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 1612c, relating to the education of children under control of the juvenile court;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913 as amended, relating to penalty for the purchase or sale of fraudulent credentials—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 510—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, said amendments adding subdivisions first *a*, fifth *a*, fifth *b*, and fifth *c* setting forth additional causes for revocation of licenses or certificates issued hereunder—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 511—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 37—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629, and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of

article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits, and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 129—An act to amend section 950 of the Political Code, relating to bonds of officers;

Also: Senate Bill No. 145—An act to amend section 1431 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to change of place of trial in justice's courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to disqualification of judges.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 37 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 129 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 145 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 192 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Levey:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code, to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292, and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Williamson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2574, relating to the duties of certain employees of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners and their dismissal and eligibility.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Mixter:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in Tulare County, and declaring the same to be a State highway, and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Tulare County to convey said road to the State of California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1003—An act to amend sections 1327, 1328, 1333, 1491, 1658 and 1664 of

the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Murray:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the Standing Rules of this Assembly, the Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, Honorable Robert B McPherson, visited the various institutions of the State for the purpose of learning the financial needs of such institutions, and

WHEREAS, Said Honorable Robert B. McPherson made such investigation and contracted expenses to the amount of $116 80 as itemized below:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent expenses of the Assembly in favor of the said Honorable Robert B. McPherson for the said amount of $116 80, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same

Hotel and meals	$56 00
Transportation	56 80
Telephone and Telegraph	4 00
Total	$116 80

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the Contingent Expense Fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expense of the Chief Clerk's office.

The Speaker referred the above resolution to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 358—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 357—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 17, after the words "panel in" insert the following "actual attendance before."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 15 and 16, strike out the words "confirmation of sales, leases or mortgages of any property of the estate" and insert in lieu thereof the following "leases or mortgages and confirmation of sales of any property of the estate".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 356—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Political Code, relating to holidays.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 7, 8, 9, and 10, capitalize the words memorial, independence, labor, admission, armistice.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 11, after the words "therefor" add the following All public offices of the State and all State institutions, including the State University, and all public schools in the State shall be closed on the ninth day of September of each year, known as "Admission day".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1063, and relating to the trial of actions for declaratory relief.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 2 and 3, strike out the figures 1063 and insert in lieu thereof the following: 1062*a*.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend section 822 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with misdemeanors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3 of title, after the word "misdemeanors" add the words: "or felonies".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 821 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with felonies.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 431—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to superior courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management, control, and transfer of real property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 41—An act to amend section 2192 of the Political Code, relating to commitment of incompetents other than insane persons to State hospitals.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced that Mr. Killam, Superintendent of State Buildings and Grounds, had made arrangements through the courtesy of Johnson-Roper Radio Co., 1226 J street, Sacramento, to have a radio set installed in the Assembly Chamber on Wednesday, March 4, 1925, at nine o'clock a.m., for the purpose of listening to the inaugural ceremonies at Washington, D. C.

MOTION.

Mr. Spalding moved that a committee of three be appointed to invite the members of the Senate to the Assembly Chamber on March 4, 1925, at 9 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of listening to the inaugural ceremonies held in Washington, D. C., as transmitted over the radio

Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above motion the Speaker appointed Messrs Spalding, Deuel and Levey as such committee.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend section 2967 of the Civil Code, relating to foreclosures of mortgages

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 265 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 277—An act to repeal section 3310 of the Political Code, relating to auctioneers

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 277 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 832 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P. Bernard, Campbell, Carter, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Brown—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Louttit moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the "period" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as to such defendant".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Louttit as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 144, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LOUTTIT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1131—An act to establish Gold Discovery Day.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1131 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Donel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Anderson, D P.—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 101 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Croter, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Fry—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to January 1, 1925, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 147 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Crofer, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, expenses, and compensation of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 322 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 421 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to repeal section 4099 of the Political Code, relating to joint statements of auditor and treasurer.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 541 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey,

Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 686—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 686 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1076—An act to amend section 846 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to alias summons.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1076 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., and Mr Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1111 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell,

Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relative to memorializing the Congress of the United States to propose to the several legislatures of the states of the union an amendment to the constitution of the United States to permit the election of President and Vice President of the United Sates by direct vote of the electors of the United States;

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Relating to records of service in the army;

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the appropriation of funds for carrying out certain recommendations of the chief of staff of the United States Army made in furtherance of the national defense act of 1920,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO USE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Mr. Weller asked for and was granted the use of the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of holding a public hearing by the Assembly Judiciary Committee and the Senate Finance Committee on Wednesday evening, March 4, 1925.

COMMITTEE FROM THE SENATE.

Senators Sample, Fellom, and Christian appeared before the bar of the House and thanked the Assembly for the invitation extended to the members of the Senate to be present at the Assembly Chambers on Wednesday morning, March 4, 1925, at nine o'clock, for the purpose of listening to the inaugural ceremonies to be held at Washington, D. C., as transmitted over the radio; whereupon the committee announced that the Senate had already made similar arrangements and invited the overflow from the Assembly to the Senate Chamber.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a m., Wednesday, March 4, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 4, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter,

Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Dodge its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Alexander McNeur of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Mr. Robert Clark, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Mr. W. H. Wickersham, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Rev. H. C First and Miss Georgie T. First of Rock Island, Illinois, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Campbell, Mr. Edgar W. Stow, a former member of the Assembly, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Mr. P. E. Keeler of Long Beach, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Mr. Bruce Mason of Long Beach, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Mr. Jack Freedlander of Los Angeles, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Mr. Kemper B. Campbell of Los Angeles, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Mr. Kimball Fletcher of Los Angeles, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Mr. Nate Coombs of Napa, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

MOTION.

Mr. West moved that a report of the program rendered in the Assembly, in connection with the inauguration of President Coolidge and Vice President Dawes at Washington, D. C., including the radio program, the President's inaugural address and the prayer offered by the Chaplain of the Assembly, the Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, be printed in the Journal.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright, T. M., to prepare such report for the Journal.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON INAUGURAL CEREMONIES.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.:

The sturdy pioneers, who spent weary months in the land and water journey to California seventy-five years ago, would be amazed and incredulous if told that the people of the State which they here founded would some day be able to listen to the ceremonies connected with the inauguration of a President of the United States in the national capitol. Yet on this day the members of the Assembly, and their friends and the public, gathered in the Assembly chamber at Sacramento were able to follow the inaugural ceremonies, hear the music of the band, the applause of the multitude before the east front of the national capitol, the voice of the Chief Justice of the United States, William Howard Taft, as the oath of office was administered to the President, and the voice of President Calvin Coolidge as he delivered his inaugural address to the people assembled before him in Washington.

And what occurred in Sacramento on this occasion was but an incident in the day when an entire nation was enabled to listen to the inauguration of its President. This was made possible by a recent development of science known as the radio, by which voices may be carried through the air for thousands of miles.

And by an equally marvelous development of science, the afternoon papers of this day carry reproductions of photographs taken of the inaugural ceremonies in Washington, the lapse of only an hour or two occurring between the work of the photographer in Washington, and the appearance upon the streets in California of the afternoon newspaper with reproductions of scenes in connection with the inaugural ceremonies.

Future generations may look upon this as but the crude beginnings of a development of science which they are then enjoying, but to the citizens of California today the events here recorded are considered marvelous.

The Chaplain of the Assembly, Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, upon the convening of the Assembly, offered the following prayer:

Almighty Father, we invoke Thy divine blessing this day upon Calvin Coolidge, who has just been inaugurated as President of these our beloved United States. Mayest Thou strengthen him through Thy infinite mercy to continue the work of our illustrious Washington and Lincoln. May he, and all who are placed in positions of authority, govern wisely for the betterment of our nation. Be with the President and his counsellors, with all the members of this Assembly and with everyone who strives to further the ideals of our beloved America. Be with us now and forevermore. Amen.

WASHINGTON'S PRAYER.

Before taking the oath as President.

Almighty God: We make our earnest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection, that Thou wilt incline the hearts of the citizens to cultivate a spirit of subordination and obedience to government; and entertain a brotherly affection and love for one another and for their fellow citizens of the United States at large. And finally, that Thou wilt most graciously be pleased to dispose us all to do justice, to love mercy and to demean ourselves with that charity, humility and pacific temper of mind which were the characteristics of the divine author of our blessed religion, and without a humble imitation of whose example in these things, we can never hope to be a happy nation. Grant our supplication, we beseech Thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

LINCOLN'S SECOND INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

March 4, 1865.

(Closing paragraph, spoken exactly sixty years ago to the day.)

With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in, to bind up the nation's wounds, to care for him who shall have borne the battle and for his widow and orphans, to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and a lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations.

The inaugural address of President Coolidge is as follows:

INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

MY COUNTRYMEN No one can contemplate current conditions without finding much that is satisfying and still more that is encouraging. Our own country is leading the world in the general readjustment to the results of the great conflict. Many of its burdens will bear heavily upon us for years, and the secondary and indirect effects we must expect to experience for some time But we are beginning to comprehend more definitely what course should be pursued, what remedies ought to be applied, what actions should be taken for our deliverance, and are clearly manifesting a determined will faithfully and conscientiously to adopt these methods of relief. Already we have sufficiently rearranged our domestic affairs so that confidence has returned, business has revived, and we appear to be entering an era of prosperity which is gradually reaching into every part of the nation. Realizing that we can not live unto ourselves alone, we have contributed of our resources and our counsel to the relief of the suffering and the settlement of the disputes among the European nations Because of what America is and what America has done, a firmer courage, a higher hope, inspires the heart of all humanity.

These results have not occurred by mere chance They have been secured by a constant and enlightened effort marked by many sacrifices and extending over many generations. We can not continue these brilliant successes in the future, unless we continue to learn from the past It is necessary to keep the former experiences of our country both at home and abroad continually before us, if we are to have any science of government. If we wish to erect new structures, we must have a definite knowledge of the old foundations We must realize that human nature is about the most constant thing in the universe and that the essentials of human relationship do not change We must frequently take our bearings from these fixed stars of our political firmament if we expect to hold a true course. If we examine carefully what we have done, we can determine the more accurately what we can do

We stand at the opening of the one hundred and fiftieth year since our national consciousness first asserted itself by unmistakable action with an array of force. The old sentiment of detached and dependent colonies disappeared in the new sentiment of a united and independent nation Men began to discard the narrow confines of a local charter for the broader opportunities of a national constitution. Under the eternal urge of freedom we became an independent nation. A little less than fifty years later that freedom and independence were reasserted in the face of all the world, and guarded, supported and secured by the Monroe doctrine. The narrow fringe of states along the Atlantic seaboard advanced its frontiers across the hills and plains of an intervening continent until it passed down the golden slope to the Pacific We made freedom a birthright. We extended our domain over distant islands in order to safeguard our own interests and accepted the consequent obligation to bestow justice and liberty upon less favored peoples In the defense of our own ideals and in the general cause of liberty we entered the Great War. When victory had been fully secured, we withdrew to our own shores unrecompensed save in the consciousness of duty done.

Throughout all these experiences we have enlarged our freedom, we have strengthened our independence. We have been, and propose to be, more and more American. We believe that we can best serve our own country and most successfully discharge our obligations to humanity by continuing to be openly and candidly, intensely and scrupulously, American If we have any heritage, it has been that If we have any destiny, we have found it in that direction.

But if we wish to continue to be distinctly American, we must continue to make that term comprehensive enough to embrace the legitimate desires of a civilized and enlightened people determined in all their relations to pursue a conscientious and religious life. We can not permit ourselves to be narrowed and dwarfed by slogans and phrases It is not the adjective but the substantive, which is of real importance It is not the name of the action, but the result of the action, which is the chief concern It will be well not to be too much disturbed by the thought of either isolation or entanglements of pacifists and militarists. The physical configuration of the earth has separated us from all of the Old World, but the common brotherhood of man, the highest law of all our being, has united us by inseparable bonds with all humanity Our country represents nothing but peaceful intentions toward all the earth, but it ought not to fail to maintain such a military force as comports with the dignity and security of a great people It ought to be a balanced force, intensely modern, capable of defense by sea and land, beneath the surface and in the air But it should be so conducted that all the world may see in it, not a menace, but an instrument of security and peace

This nation believes thoroughly in an honorable peace under which the rights of *its citizens are to be everywhere protected. It has never found that the necessary* enjoyment of such a peace could be maintained only by a great and threatening array of arms. In common with other nations, it is now more determined than ever to promote peace through friendliness and good will, through mutual understandings and mutual forbearance. We have never practiced the policy of competitive armaments We have recently committed ourselves by covenants with the

other great nations to a limitation of our sea power. As one result of this, our navy ranks larger, in comparison, than it ever did before. Removing the burden of expense and jealousy, which must always accrue from a keen rivalry, is one of the most effective methods of diminishing that unreasonable hysteria and misunderstanding which are the most potent means of fomenting war. This policy represents a new departure in the world. It is a thought, an ideal, which has led to an entirely new line of action. It will not be easy to maintain. Some never moved from their old position, some are constantly slipping back to the old ways of thought and the old action of seizing a musket and relying on force. America has taken the lead in this new direction, and that lead America must continue to hold. If we expect others to rely on our fairness and justice we must show that we rely on their fairness and justice.

If we are to judge by past experience, there is much to be hoped for in international relations from frequent conferences and consultations. We have before us the beneficial results of the Washington conference and the various consultations recently held upon European affairs, some of which were in response to our suggestions and in some of which we were active participants. Even the failures can not but be accounted useful and an immeasurable advance over threatened or actual warfare. I am strongly in favor of a continuation of this policy, whenever conditions are such that there is even a promise that practical and favorable results might be secured.

In conformity with the principle that a display of reason rather than a threat of force should be the determining factor in the intercourse among nations, we have long advocated the peaceful settlement of disputes by methods of arbitration and have negotiated many treaties to secure that result. The same considerations should lead to our adherence to the Permanent Court of International Justice. Where great principles are involved, where great movements are under way which promise much for the welfare of humanity by reason of the very fact that many other nations have given such movements their actual support, we ought not to withhold our own sanction because of any small and inessential difference, but only upon the ground of the most important and compelling fundamental reasons. We can not barter away our independence or our sovereignty, but we ought to engage in no refinements of logic, no sophistries, and no subterfuges, to argue away the undoubted duty of this country by reason of the might of its numbers, the power of its resources, and its position of leadership in the world, actively and comprehensively to signify its approval and to bear its full share of the responsibility of a candid and disinterested attempt at the establishment of a tribunal for the administration of even-handed justice between nation and nation. The weight of our enormous influence must be cast upon the side of a reign not of force but of law and trial, not by battle but by reason.

We have never any wish to interfere in the political conditions of any other countries. Especially are we determined not to become implicated in the political controversies of the Old World. With a great deal of hesitation, we have responded to appeals for help to maintain order, protect life and property, and establish responsible government in some of the small countries of the Western Hemisphere. Our private citizens have advanced large sums of money to assist in the necessary financing and relief of the Old World. We have not failed nor shall we fail to respond, whenever necessary to mitigate human suffering and assist in the rehabilitation of distressed nations. These, too, are requirements which must be met by reason of our vast powers and the place we hold in the world.

Some of the best thought of mankind has long been seeking for a formula for permanent peace. Undoubtedly the clarification of the principles of international law would be helpful, and the efforts of scholars to prepare such a work for adoption by the various nations should have our sympathy and support. Much may be hoped for from the earnest studies of those who advocate the outlawing of aggressive war. But all these plans and preparations, these treaties and covenants, will not of themselves be adequate. One of the greatest dangers to peace lies in the economic pressure to which people find themselves subjected. One of the most practical things to be done in the world is to seek arrangements under which such pressure may be removed, so that opportunity may be renewed and hope may be revived. There must be some assurance that effort and endeavor will be followed by success and prosperity. In the making and financing of such adjustments there is not only an opportunity, but a real duty, for America to respond with her counsel and her resources. Conditions must be provided under which people can make a living and work out of their difficulties. But there is another element more important than all, without which there can not be the slightest hope of a permanent peace. That element lies in the heart of humanity. Unless the desire for peace be cherished there, unless this fundamental and only natural source of brotherly love be cultivated to its highest degree, all artificial efforts will be in vain. Peace will come when there is realization that only under a reign of law, based on righteousness and supported by the religious conviction of the brotherhood of man, can there be any hope of a complete and satisfying life. Parchment will fail, the sword will fail, it is only the spiritual nature of man that can be triumphant.

It seems altogether probable that we can contribute most to these important objects by maintaining our position of political detachment and independence. We are not identified with any Old World interests. This position should be made more and more clear in our relations with all foreign countries. We are at peace with all of them. Our program is never to oppress, but always to assist. But while we do justice to others, we must require that justice be done to us. With us a treaty of peace means peace, and a treaty of amity means amity.

We have made great contributions to the settlement of contentious differences in both Europe and Asia. But there is a very definite point beyond which we can not go. We can only help those who help themselves. Mindful of these limitations, the one great duty that stands out requires us to use our enormous powers to "trim" the balance of the world.

While we can look with a great deal of pleasure upon what we have done abroad, we must remember that our continued success in that direction depends upon what we do at home. Since its very outset, it has been found necessary to conduct our government by means of political parties. That system would not have survived from generation to generation if it had not been fundamentally sound and provided the best instrumentalities for the most complete expression of the popular will. It is not necessary to claim that it has always worked perfectly. It is enough to know that nothing better has been devised. No one would deny that there should be full and free expression and an opportunity for independence of action within the party. There is no salvation in a narrow and bigoted partisanship. But if there is to be responsible party government, the party label must be something more than a mere device for securing office. Unless those who are elected under the same party designation are willing to assume sufficient responsibility and exhibit sufficient loyalty and coherence, so that they can cooperate with each other in the support of the broad general principles of the party platform, the election is merely a mockery, no decision is made at the polls, and there is no representation of the popular will. Common honesty and good faith with the people who support a party at the polls require that party, when it enters office, to assume the control of that portion of the government to which it has been elected. Any other course is bad faith and a violation of the party pledges.

When the country has bestowed its confidence upon a party by making it a majority in the Congress, it has a right to expect such unity of action as will make the party majority an effective instrument of government. This administration has come into power with a very clear and definite mandate from the people. The expression of the popular will in favor of maintaining our constitutional guarantees was overwhelming and decisive. There was a manifestation of such faith in the integrity of the courts that we can consider that issue rejected for some time to come. Likewise, the policy of public ownership of railroads and certain electric utilities met with unmistakable defeat. The people declared that they wanted their rights to have not a political but a judicial determination, and their independence and freedom continued and supported by having the ownership and control of their property, not in the government, but in their own hands. As they always do when they have a fair chance, the people demonstrated that they are sound and are determined to have a sound government.

When we turn from what was rejected to inquire what was accepted, the policy that stands out with the greatest clearness is that of economy in public expenditure with reduction and reform of taxation. The principle involved in this effort is that of conservation. The resources of this country are almost beyond computation. No mind can comprehend them. But the cost of our combined governments is likewise almost beyond definition. Not only those who are now making their tax returns, but those who meet the enhanced cost of existence in their monthly bills, know by hard experience what this great burden is and what it does. No matter what others may want, these people want a drastic economy. They are opposed to waste. They know that extravagance lengthens the hours and diminishes the rewards of their labor. I favor the policy of economy, not because I wish to save money, but because I wish to save people. The men and women of this country who toil are the ones who bear the cost of the government. Every dollar that we carelessly waste means that their life will be so much the more meager. Every dollar that we prudently save means that their life will be so much the more abundant. Economy is idealism in its most practical form.

If extravagance were not reflected in taxation, and through taxation both directly and indirectly injuriously affecting the people, it would not be of so much consequence. The wisest and soundest method of solving our tax problem is through economy. Fortunately, of all the great nations this country is best in a position to adopt that simple remedy. We do not any longer need war-time revenues. The collection of any taxes which are not absolutely required, which do not beyond reasonable doubt contribute to the public welfare, is only a species of legalized larceny. Under this republic the rewards of industry belong to those who earn them. The only constitutional tax is the tax which ministers to public necessity. The property of the country belongs to the people of the country. Their title is absolute. They do not support any privileged class; they

do not need to maintain great military forces; they ought not to be burdened with a great array of public employees. They are not required to make any contribution to government expenditures except that which they voluntarily assess upon themselves through the action of their own representatives. Whenever taxes become burdensome a remedy can be applied by the people; but if they do not act for themselves, no one can be very successful in acting for them.

The time is arriving when we can have further tax reduction, when, unless we wish to hamper the people in their right to earn a living, we must have tax reform. The method of raising revenue ought not to impede the transaction of business, it ought to encourage it. I am opposed to extremely high rates, because they produce little or no revenue, because they are bad for the country, and, finally, because they are wrong. We can not finance the country, we can not improve social conditions, through any system of injustice, even if we attempt to inflict it upon the rich. Those who suffer the most harm will be the poor. This country believes in prosperity. It is absurd to suppose that it is envious of those who are already prosperous. The wise and correct course to follow in taxation and all other economic legislation is not to destroy those who have already secured success but to create conditions under which every one will have a better chance to be successful. The verdict of the country has been given on this question. That verdict stands. We shall do well to heed it.

These questions involve moral issues. We need not concern ourselves much about the rights of property if we will faithfully observe the rights of persons. Under our institutions their rights are supreme. It is not property but the right to hold property, both great and small, which our constitution guarantees. All owners of property are charged with a service. These rights and duties have been revealed, through the conscience of society, to have a divine sanction. The very stability of our society rests upon production and conservation. For individuals or for governments to waste and squander their resources is to deny these rights and disregard these obligations. The result of economic dissipation to a nation is always moral decay.

These policies of better international understandings, greater economy, and lower taxes have contributed largely to peaceful and prosperous industrial relations. Under the helpful influences of restrictive immigration and a protective tariff, employment is plentiful, the rate of pay is high, and wage earners are in a state of contentment seldom before seen. Our transportation systems have been gradually recovering and have been able to meet all the requirements of the service. Agriculture has been very slow in reviving, but the price of cereals at last indicates that the day of its deliverance is at hand.

We are not without our problems, but our most important problem is not to secure new advantages but to maintain those which we already possess. Our system of government made up of three separate and independent departments, our divided sovereignty composed of nation and state, the matchless wisdom that is enshrined in our constitution, all these need constant effort and tireless vigilance for their protection and support.

In a republic the first rule for the guidance of the citizen is obedience to law. Under a despotism the law may be imposed upon the subject. He has no voice in its making, no influence in its administration, it does not represent him. Under a free government the citizen makes his own laws, chooses his own administrators, which do represent him. Those who want their rights respected under the constitution and the law ought to set the example themselves of observing the constitution and the law. While there may be those of high intelligence who violate the law at times, the barbarian and the defective always violate it. Those who disregard the rules of society are not exhibiting a superior intelligence, are not promoting freedom and independence, are not following the path of civilization, but are displaying the traits of ignorance, of servitude, of savagery, and treading the way that leads back to the jungle.

The essence of a republic is representative government. Our Congress represents the people and the states. In all legislative affairs it is the natural collaborator with the President. In spite of all the criticism which often falls to its lot, I do not hesitate to say that there is no more independent and effective legislative body in the world. It is, and should be, jealous of its prerogative. I welcome its cooperation, and expect to share with it not only the responsibility, but the credit, for our common effort to secure beneficial legislation.

These are some of the principles which America represents. We have not by any means put them fully into practice, but we have strongly signified our belief in them. The encouraging feature of our country is not that it has reached its destination, but that it has overwhelmingly expressed its determination to proceed in the right direction. It is true that we could, with profit, be less sectional and more national in our thought. It would be well if we could replace much that is only a false and ignorant prejudice with a true and enlightened pride of race. But the last election showed that appeals to class and nationality had little effect. We were all found loyal to a common citizenship. The fundamental precept of liberty is toleration. We can not permit any inquisition either within or without the law or apply any religious test to the holding of office. The mind of America must be forever free.

It is in such contemplations, my fellow countrymen, which are not exhaustive but only representative, that I find ample warrant for satisfaction and encouragement. We should not let the much that is to do obscure the much which has been done. The past and present show faith and hope and courage fully justified. Here stands our country, an example of tranquility at home, a patron of tranquility abroad. Here stands its government, aware of its might, but obedient to its conscience. Here it will continue to stand, seeking peace and prosperity, solicitous for the welfare of the wage earner, promoting enterprise, developing waterways and natural resources, attentive to the intuitive counsel of womanhood, encouraging education, desiring the advancement of religion, supporting the cause of justice and honor among the nations. America seeks no earthly empire built on blood and force. No ambition, no temptation, lures her to thought of foreign dominions. The legions which she sends forth are armed, not with the sword, but with the cross. The higher state to which she seeks the allegiance of all mankind is not of human, but of divine origin. She cherishes no purpose save to merit the favor of Almighty God.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 814—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, relating to county health authorities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the State Highway Commission for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1051—An act transferring to Los Angeles County that portion of Whittier boulevard from the city limits of Los Angeles and Indiana street to Atlantia boulevard Los Angeles County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 321—An act amending sections 378 and 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, 379*b*, 379*c*, and 391, all relating to the joinder of parties to actions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of

persons under guardianship—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 376—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737r, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in Riverside County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 591—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act relating to estrays, providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs, and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, relating to estrays—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 854—An act to amend section 737p of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in Stanislaus County;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308a, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code relating to community property.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 833—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship:

Also Assembly Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1238 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exercise of the right of eminent domain;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889;

Also Assembly Bill No 1170—An act to amend section 29 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903;

Also Assembly Bill No 713—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the legislative body of any city, county, school district or other public corporation to employ the services of trained experts, and pay the cost thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the county of Los Angeles, in said State upon certain trusts and conditions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action;

Also Assembly Bill No 195—An act to amend section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to new trials;

Also Assembly Bill No. 822—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 824—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian:
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 23—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 536b, relating to false statements of grades of lumber and building materials—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the registration, branding and labeling of the same, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of the act, providing penalties for violation of the same, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Agriculture

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 796—An act defining and regulating the sale of manufactured articles from cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills composed in whole or part of cotton duck, canvas drills or twills when such articles are intended for camping or pleasure purposes, for human habitation, for sheltering live stock, for show, exhibition or entertainment purposes, or to protect merchandise, commodities, farm products or minerals against the elements, or if used as protection or safety devices against loss of life or loss from the elements on land, rivers or bays of the State of California, requiring the same to be properly marked as to weight, construction, color, size and use of fillers or other preparations, and providing penalties for violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 947—An act to amend section 2039 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors over roads and of the county—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll bridges over navigable waters within the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1183—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered 19*a* and 19*b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 163—An act directing the State Engineer to render a report to the Legislature of the State of California consisting of a plan of design, an estimate of cost, and recommendations of a plan of finance, for the erection of a proposed dam to be located at Army Point, Solano County, and extending to Bulls Head Point, Contra Costa County, and making an appropriation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 171—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law and regulating employment, hours, kinds, and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to disposition of funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 396—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prohibit employers or certain agents or representatives of employers from demanding or receiving any money or other consideration from an employee as a condition of employment or of continuing to perform services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to forbid managers, superintendents, foremen and other persons having authority from their respective employers to hire, employ, or direct the services of other persons in such employments, to demand or receive any fee, gift or other remuneration in consideration of any such hiring, employ-

ment or permission to continue to perform work or services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved April 12, 1915," approved May 5, 1917—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such claim is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the claim filed by him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

BROWNE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 41—An act to amend section 2192 of the Political Code, relating to commitment of incompetents other than insane persons to State hospitals.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 357—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 358—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management, control, and transfer of real property.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 821 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with felonies.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 431—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to superior courts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals, the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 563—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act creating a reclamation district to be called and known as 'Reclamation District No. 1500'; providing for the management and control thereof and dissolving all levee districts, swamp land districts, and reclamation districts, lying wholly within the boundaries of said reclamation district No. 1500; providing for the liquidation and winding up of said dissolved districts, and excluding from any levee district

swamp land district and reclamation district any land lying within the boundaries of said reclamation district No 1500," approved April 30, 1913, as amended, relating to the election, appointment, powers, and duties of the trustees of said district, and relating to the management and control thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 19*x*29 of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved March 8, 1909, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No 948—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the fourteenth class, and fixing their mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows

By Mr. Levey. An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292, and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards.

By Mr. Williamson: An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2554, relating to the duties of certain employees of the board of State Harbor Commissioners and their dismissal and eligibility.

By Mr. Mixter An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in Tulare County, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Tulare County to convey said road to the State of California.

By Mr. Mixter An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act to require every person driving any vehicles on a public highway, on approaching certain railway grade crossings, to stop before passing thereover, and to require railway companies to erect and maintain danger signs at such crossings: and providing penalties therefor.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*rr*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County.

By Mr. Easley: An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts.

By Mr. Dodge: An act to add seven new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 928, 928*a*, 928*b*, 928*c*, 928*d*, 928*e*, and 928*f*, providing for the establishment of and procedure in small claims courts in cities where municipal courts are established.

By Mr. Bernard: An act appropriating money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Levey: Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, and 1290 of the

Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292, and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Williamson: Assembly Bill No. 1187—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2554, relating to the duties of certain employees of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners and their dismissal and eligibility.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Mixter: Assembly Bill No. 1188—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in Tulare County, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Tulare County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Byrne: Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act to require every person driving any vehicles on a public highway, on approaching certain railway grade crossings, to stop before passing thereover, and to require railway companies to erect and maintain danger signs at such crossings; and providing penalties therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 1191—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*rr*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 1193—An act to add seven new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 928, 928*a*, 928*b*, 928*c*, 928*d*, 928*e*, and 928*f*, providing for the establishment of and procedure in small claims courts in cities where municipal courts are established.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bernard: Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act appropriating money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent expenses of the Assembly in favor of the said Honorable Robert B McPherson for the said amount of $116 80, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

Hotel and meals	$56 00
Transportation	56 80
Telephone and Telegraph	4 00
Total	$116 80

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.
NOYES.
SPENCE.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jonnson, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Contingent Fund of the Assembly in the sum of $229 13 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

Moise-Klinkner Co., Badges	$28 65
Pacific States Telephone Company, Phone Service	11 60
Western Union Telegraph Co	7 47
H. S. Crocker Co., Inc., Supplies	25 05
Bancroft-Whitney Company, 83 copies Robert's Rules of Order	124 50
Carithers Sign Co., Lettering Assembly Doors	31 86
	$229 13

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A
NOYES.
SPENCE.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor,

Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution,

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the Contingent Expense Fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75.00), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expense of the Chief Clerk's office.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.
NOYES.
SPENCE.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—None.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Melville:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific highway, to be a State highway

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Fry:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 25 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers, and agents, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to provide penalties for the violation thereof, to create the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended, relating to the issuance of stock

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Messrs. McDowell and Foster:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER We ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Spalding:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384*b*, relating to the protection of the California poppy.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mrs. Saylor:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Rosenshine:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring and maintain an action or actions, in the name of the people of the State of California, to determine the nature of the title by which husbands and wives own and hold community property in this State acquired at any time since the codes of California took effect on January 1, 1873, community property acquired since chapters 583 and 589 of the Laws of 1917 of the State of California took effect on July 27, 1917, and community property acquired since chapter 18 of the Laws of 1923 of the State of California took effect on August 17, 1923, and the respective rights and interests of husbands and wives in community property acquired during said respective periods, prescribing the character and venue of such actions and the matters to be alleged in the complaints therein, and providing for new trials and appeals in such actions.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mrs. Saylor:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Lyons:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Mueller:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts', and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts', approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts 18 and 19.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Schmidt:

WHEREAS, Many influential members of the Grand Army of the Republic located east of the Rocky Mountains have frequently and on various occasions expressed their desire to once more enjoy the hospitality of the citizens of the State of California, and

WHEREAS, The State of California would deem it a privilege and an honor to again entertain the men who, under the leadership of the immortal Lincoln, preserved this Union during the dark days from 1861 to 1865, therefore be it

Resolved, By the Assembly of the State of California that we extend to the national organization of the Grand Army of the Republic our most hearty invitation to once more be the guests in the State of California and to hold their National Encampment in the State at an early date, 1927 preferred, thereby honoring us by their presence and allowing our citizens to entertain them and to prove to them that the service they rendered to this country will never be forgotten. Be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to Louis F. Arensberg, Memorial Hall, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Commander-in-Chief, G. A. R.; to G. W. Grannis, Department Commander of California and Nevada, G. A. R., Turlock, California, and to the Department Encampment of California and Nevada, to assemble at Sacramento, May 18 to 24, 1925.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Schmidt adopted.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m., of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29—Proposed amendment to article VI of the constitution, relative to judicial vacancies.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 14—Relative to the planting of trees in memory of Clara Barton.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Education.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 765—An act to open and dedicate as a public street a certain strip of submerged land one hundred fifty (150) feet wide known as First avenue

south and as Arthur avenue, extending from Third street, formerly Kentucky street, to Newhall street, in the city and county of San Francisco, and to grant said strip of land for that purpose to the city and county of San Francisco, and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

Also Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend sections 8, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith, and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and creating a board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the method and procedure for exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923.

Also Senate Bill No. 75—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, and providing for the furnishing of food to pupils and employees of the school district at not less than actual cost;

Also Senate Bill No. 310—An act to add a new section to the Political Code of the State of California to be numbered 1607*a*, and to provide for the custody and disbursement of funds arising from school activities not conducted at public expense;

Also Senate Bill No. 297—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901.

Also Senate Bill No. 163—An act to amend section 345 of the Civil Code, relating to extension of time of delinquent stock sale and notice thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 765 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 52 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 75 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 310 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 297 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 163 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Relative to approving the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 58—An act to amend section 1728 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, The California School for Girls, and other institutions establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 19x14 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, The California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Also: Senate Bill No. 109—An act to amend section 1955 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers of counties of the fifth class.

Also: Senate Bill No. 169—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 58 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 73 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 109 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 169 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out everything below the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section four thousand two hundred fifty-two of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4252. In counties of the twenty-third class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit:

1. The county clerk, four thousand dollars ($4,000) per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county clerk one deputy, who shall be appointed by the county clerk, and who shall be paid a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars ($2,100) per annum, two deputies who shall be appointed by the county clerk and who shall each be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per annum. The salaries of said deputies shall be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the time and in

the manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid, *provided*, that the county clerk be, and he is hereby allowed the sum of ten cents (10c) for the registration of each voter, which registration is taken and made outside of the office of the county clerk *provided, further*, that in any year that a general election, primary election, special state election, or special county election within the county is held, such number of assistants as is necessary to properly prepare for and conduct said elections shall be allowed, to be paid out of the general fund of the county on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors, duly verified claims therefor, approved by the county clerk, said compensation not to exceed two hundred dollars ($200) for each election held. The office of the county clerk shall be kept open on each and every day except Sunday, and legal holidays from nine o'clock a.m. to twelve o'clock m., and from one o'clock p.m. to five o'clock p.m.

2. The sheriff, four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500) per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff the following deputies, who shall be appointed by the sheriff and shall be paid salaries as follows, to wit. One under sheriff at a salary of three thousand dollars ($3,000) per annum, three deputy sheriffs at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars ($2,100) per annum each, and one deputy sheriff at one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125) per month, who shall be head jailer at the county jail in said county, *provided*, that if the sheriff shall not be allowed the privilege of boarding the prisoners as heretofore provided, in this county, then the deputy who shall be head jailer shall receive the salary of one hundred twenty-five ($125) dollars per month, said sheriff and his deputies shall be allowed their actual traveling expenses in the performance of their duties, but no other fees or mileage of any nature or kind shall be allowed in civil or criminal matters; except the sheriff shall have for his use the per diems allowed by law for the transportation of prisoners and insane persons to state institutions, all fees of every nature and kind collected by the sheriff shall be turned into the county treasurer The salaries of the deputies herembefore provided for shall be paid in monthly installments by said county, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid

3. The county recorder, three thousand dollars ($3,000) per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the recorder not to exceed five copyists who shall be appointed by the recorder of said county, two copyists who shall each receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) each per annum, and three copyists who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars ($1,200) each per annum; which salaries shall be paid by the county in monthly installments in the form and in the manner and out of the same fund as the salary of other county officers are paid .

4. The auditor, one thousand eight hundred dollars ($1,800) per annum, and there is hereby allowed to the auditor one deputy auditor who shall be appointed by the auditor and who shall be paid a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars ($2,400) per annum, which salary shall be paid by the county in monthly installments in the form and in the manner and out of the same fund as the salary of other county officers are paid.

5. The tax collector, three thousand dollars ($3,000) per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the tax collector a deputy to be appointed by the tax collector, who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125) per month, which salary shall be paid by said county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid, *provided*, that the tax collector shall be allowed six hundred dollars ($600) per annum for necessary clerical assistance when needed

6. The assessor, four thousand dollars ($4,000) per annum, and said assessor may appoint one chief deputy, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars ($2,400) per annum, and two deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per annum, which salaries shall be paid by the county in equal monthly installments; also he may appoint other field deputies whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed four thousand dollars ($4,000) in any one year, payable to them in installments, at such time and in such amounts as may be designated by the assessor, *provided* that the assessor shall file with the county auditor a verified statement showing in detail the amounts and the persons to whom said compensation is paid. All of the salaries of the above deputies shall be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officials are paid

The office of the county assessor shall be kept open on each and every day, except Sundays and legal holidays, from nine o'clock a.m. to twelve o'clock m., and from one o'clock p.m. to five o'clock p.m

7. The county treasurer, three thousand dollars ($3,000) per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the treasurer a deputy, to be appointed by the treasurer, who shall receive a salary of two thousand dollars ($2,000) per annum, which salary shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of other county officials are paid.

8. The district attorney, four thousand dollars ($4,000) per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and hereby is allowed to the district attorney one deputy to be appointed by the district attorney, who shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars ($3,000) per annum, and one stenographer, which office is hereby created, to be appointed by the district attorney at a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars ($125) per month; which salaries of said deputy and said stenographer shall be paid in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officials are paid.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

10. Public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, three thousand three hundred dollars ($3,300) per annum. His office shall be kept open on all business days from nine a.m. to twelve m. and from one o'clock p.m. to five o'clock p.m. He shall be allowed his actual expenses, when visiting the schools of this county and such per diem as is now or may hereafter be allowed by law, for services as a member of the county board of education; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the superintendent of schools a deputy to be appointed by the superintendent of schools, who shall receive from the county a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars ($2,100) per annum, and there is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools, one clerk to be appointed by the superintendent of schools, who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars ($1,200) per annum, which salaries shall be paid by the county in equal monthly installments, and which said salaries shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as is the salary of the superintendent of schools.

12. The county surveyor, two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) per annum; *provided*, that if the county surveyor shall be appointed superintendent of the permanent highways in the county constructed under bond issue, under any statute of this state providing for the appointment of such superintendent, then and in that event said county surveyor shall receive a salary of four thousand dollars ($4,000) per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the county surveyor the following deputies, who shall be appointed by the county surveyor, and who shall be paid salaries as follows One chief deputy county surveyor at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars ($150) per month; one deputy county surveyor at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125) per month, and one deputy at one hundred dollars ($100) per month, all of which offices are hereby created; also said county surveyor may appoint another deputy or deputies, the compensation to said deputies or deputy in the aggregate not to exceed two thousand dollars ($2,000) in any one year, payable to such deputy or deputies in such installments, at such time and in such amount as may be designated by the county surveyor, *provided, however*, that the county surveyor shall file with the county auditor a verified statement showing in detail the amounts and the persons to whom said compensation is paid The salaries of said deputies and each of them shall be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

13. The county librarian, two thousand one hundred dollars ($2,100) per annum.

14. In counties of this class, each member of the county board of education shall receive five dollars for each day the board of education is in session, not to exceed a total of three hundred fifty dollars per annum. In addition each member shall receive the same mileage as is allowed the members of the board of supervisors of said county. Compensation of the members of the county board of education shall be payable out of the same funds and in the same manner as is the salary of the county superintendent of schools.

15. The justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as salaries of other county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered in both civil and criminal cases In townships where the population is ten thousand or more, one hundred seventy-five dollars ($175) per month, in townships where the population is four thousand and less than ten thousand, one hundred fifty dollars ($150) per month, and said justices of the peace shall be furnished with offices and necessary supplies by the board of supervisors of said county, in townships where the population is two thousand and less than four thousand, eighty dollars ($80) per month in townships where the population is one thousand and less than two thousand, forty dollars ($40) per month; in townships where the population is less than one thousand, twenty dollars ($20) per month; *provided*, that the justice of the peace shall, before receiving his monthly salary, file with the auditor a statement of all fines received, together with the treasurer's receipt for same; *provided, further*, that no justice of the peace shall hold the office of city recorder.

16. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as salaries of county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases; in townships where the population is ten thousand or more, one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125) per month; in townships where the population is four thousand and less than ten thousand, eighty dollars ($80) per

month, in townships where the population is two thousand and less than four thousand, seventy dollars ($70) per month, in townships where the population is one thousand and less than two thousand, fifty dollars ($50) per month, in townships where the population is less than one thousand, twenty-five dollars ($25) per month. In addition to the monthly salary herein allowed each constable may retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services rendered by him in civil actions, each constable shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred by him in arresting, pursuing or conveying prisoners to court or to prison, and actual expenses incurred in serving any process in any criminal case pending in said county, which said expenses shall be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors out of the county treasury.

17. For the purposes of subdivisions fifteen and sixteen of this section, the population of the several judicial townships shall be ascertained by the board of supervisors of said county at their regular meeting in the month of December following the election of justices of the peace and constables in said county, by multiplying by three the number of registered voters in said township as shown by the register prepared by the county clerk of said county for the general election next preceding the date of such determination. It is hereby found as a fact, that the salaries provided for in subdivisions fifteen and sixteen do not work an increase in the compensation and the same shall apply immediately to incumbents.

18. Each member of the board of supervisors, one thousand two hundred dollars ($1,200) per annum, and their necessary expenses when attending to the business of the county, other than the meetings of the board at the county seat, and twenty cents (20c) per mile in traveling from his residence to the county seat; *provided*, that not more than one mileage for any one regular session of the board shall be allowed, and not more than one mileage for any special session of the board shall be allowed.

19. The county traffic officer, two thousand seven hundred dollars ($2,700) per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county traffic officer five deputies, which offices are hereby created. Said deputies shall be appointed by said county traffic officer and shall each receive a salary of two thousand five hundred twenty dollars, which shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county traffic officer is paid. Said traffic officer and his said deputies shall provide their own motorcycles or other vehicles and gasoline and oil for the purpose of propelling the same, and shall pay all of the expense of the upkeep of said machines. All the provisions of this paragraph are to apply to the office of county traffic officer and his deputies whenever said office of county traffic officer is created by law.

20. The salaries of all county and township officers and their deputies shall be payable in monthly installments on the first day of each month.

21. For acting as a grand juror in the superior court, for each day's attendance per day, three dollars. For every mile actually traveled in attending court as a grand juror in going only, twenty-five cents (25c) per mile.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 19*x*15 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the second line of the title, after the word "court" strike out the word "act" and insert in lieu thereof the word "law".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 2 of the printed bill, strike out the word "act" and insert in lieu thereof the word "law".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the words "three thousand" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand eight hundred".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 183—An act to amend "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department, and to assess and collect taxes, from time to time, for such purposes, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, by the addition thereto of a new section to be numbered 24½, providing for the annexation of unincorporated territory to a fire district.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend section 4214, 4215, 4216, 4217, 4218, 4219, 4220 and 4221 of the Political Code, all relating to the duties of the county engineer.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 976—An act to amend section 4013 of the Political Code, relating to officers of a county.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Assembly Bill No. 352 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 352 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 19—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 1 after the period following the figure "1" and all of lines 2 to 18 inclusive and insert in lieu thereof the following

The following sums of money are hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, and shall be used for the support of the State of California for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years. In all cases in which statutory provisions or appropriations have been made for items of salary or of support included in this act the amounts herein appropriated shall govern, and such other appropriations shall not be deemed in addition hereto. Appropriations for purposes not otherwise provided for herein which have been heretofore made by any provision of the constitution or of any existing statute shall not be effected by this act but shall continue to be governed by the constitutional or statutory provisions applicable thereto

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, after line 26, insert the following

For contingent expenses of senate, fourteen thousand dollars ($14,000).

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, insert the following

For contingent expenses of assembly, sixteen thousand dollars ($16,000).

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, strike out lines 12 to 14, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

For salaries legislative counsel bureau, twenty thousand two hundred thirty-six dollars ($20,236).

For support legislative counsel bureau two thousand six hundred thirty dollars ($2,630).

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, strike out lines 16 to 51, inclusive, and strike out all of pages 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, and lines 1 to 7, inclusive, of page 8 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

JUDICIAL.

For salaries of supreme court, two hundred forty-seven thousand eight hundred eighty dollars ($247,880).

For support of supreme court, twenty-three thousand six hundred dollars ($23,600).

For salaries of first district court of appeal, one hundred thirty-eight thousand two hundred dollars ($138,200).

For support of first district court of appeal, nine thousand four hundred dollars ($9,400).

For salaries of second district court of appeal, one hundred thirty-six thousand seven hundred sixty dollars ($136,760).

For support second district court of appeal, eight thousand thirty dollars ($8,030).

For salaries of third district court of appeal, seventy-three thousand seven hundred twenty-five dollars ($73,725).

For support of third district court of appeal, five thousand six hundred dollars ($5,600).

For State's portion of salaries of judges of superior courts, seven hundred thirty-one thousand four hundred thirty-six and fifty one-hundredths dollars ($731,436.50).

EXECUTIVE.

For salaries of governor, his secretaries and employees, forty-four thousand two hundred dollars ($44,200).

For postage, etc., traveling and contingent expenses, governor's office (exempt from section six hundred seventy-two of the Political Code), eighteen thousand four hundred dollars ($18,400).

For special contingent expenses (secret service) governor's office (exempt from provisions of section four hundred thirty-three and six hundred seventy-two of the Political Code), ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

For printing, etc., governor's office, one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500).

For support of governor's residence (exempt from sections four hundred thirty-three and six hundred seventy-two of Political Code), seventeen thousand five hundred dollars ($17,500)

For salary of lieutenant governor, eight thousand dollars ($8,000).

ADMINISTRATIVE

For salaries of the department of finance, exclusive of the divisions of printing, motor vehicles and libraries thereof, five hundred sixty thousand ninety-six dollars ($560,096).

For support of the department of finance, exclusive of the division of printing, motor vehicles and libraries thereof, one hundred twenty-one thousand two hundred twenty-eight dollars ($121,228).

For salaries of civil service commission, sixty thousand eight hundred twenty dollars ($60,820).

For support of civil service commission, seventeen thousand seven hundred dollars ($17,700)

For salaries of secretary of state, one hundred eight thousand nine hundred dollars ($108,900).

For support of secretary of state, sixty-three thousand seven hundred fifty dollars ($63,750).

For salaries of state treasurer, fifty-five thousand three hundred sixty dollars ($55,360).

For support of state treasurer, seven thousand nine hundred sixty dollars ($7,960).

For salaries of state controller, two hundred seven thousand five hundred sixty dollars ($207,560).

For support of state controller, sixty-seven thousand four hundred fifty dollars ($67,450).

For salaries of attorney general, one hundred seventy-three thousand two hundred eighty dollars ($173,280).

For support of attorney general, twenty-six thousand one hundred dollars ($26,100).

For salaries of state board of equalization, eighty-six thousand five hundred sixty dollars ($86,560).

For support of state board of equalization, fourteen thousand eight hundred sixty dollars ($14,860).

REGULATIVE

For salaries of state board of health, exclusive of bureaus of nurses' registration and tuberculosis thereof, three hundred sixteen thousand eighty-five dollars ($316,085).

For support of state board of health, exclusive of bureaus of nurses' registration and tuberculosis thereof, one hundred thirty-two thousand eight hundred eighty-five dollars ($132,885)

For salaries of bureau of tuberculosis, state board of health, twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000).

For support of bureau of tuberculosis, state board of health, twenty-one thousand dollars ($21,000).

For subsidies, bureau of tuberculosis, state board of health, four hundred thousand dollars ($400,000)

For salaries of bureau of labor statistics, two hundred sixty-eight thousand one hundred sixty dollars ($268,160).

For support of bureau of labor statistics, seventy-three thousand eight hundred forty dollars ($73,840).

For salaries of industrial welfare commission, fifty-nine thousand seven hundred twenty-five dollars ($59,725).

For support of industrial welfare commission, eighteen thousand eight hundred dollars ($18,800).

For salaries railroad commission, six hundred sixty-one thousand four hundred forty dollars ($661,440).

For support railroad commission, two hundred thirty-six thousand five hundred sixty dollars ($236,560)

For salaries industrial accident commission, four hundred fifty-one thousand six hundred twenty dollars ($451,620).

For support industrial accident commission, one hundred fifteen thousand nine hundred dollars ($115,900).

For salaries harbor commission for port of Eureka, six thousand eight hundred dollars ($6,800).

For support harbor commission for port of Eureka, one thousand dollars ($1,000).

For salaries immigration and housing commission, ninety thousand nine hundred dollars ($90,900).

For support immigration and housing commission, fifty thousand five hundred seventy-nine dollars ($50,579).

CURATIVE.

For salaries department of institutions, forty-six thousand three hundred dollars ($46,300).

For support department of institutions, sixty-nine thousand one hundred dollars ($69,100)

For salaries Agnews State Hospital, four hundred sixty-one thousand sixty dollars ($461,060).

For support Agnews State Hospital, six hundred three thousand two hundred five dollars ($603,205).

For permanent improvements, Agnews State Hospital, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishing of buildings, improvement of water, fire and electrical systems, improvement of roads, ninety-eight thousand five hundred fifty dollars ($98,550)

For salaries, Mendocino State Hospital, three hundred sixty-seven thousand seven hundred dollars ($367,700)

For support Mendocino State Hospital, three hundred seventy-six thousand five hundred eighty-six dollars ($376,586).

For permanent improvements Mendocino State Hospital, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishing of buildings, boiler house, concrete pipe line at farm, three hundred sixty thousand two hundred dollars ($360,200).

For salaries Napa State Hospital, six hundred sixty-four thousand eight hundred eighty dollars ($664,880).

For support Napa State Hospital, six hundred fifty-eight thousand seven hundred dollars ($658,700).

For permanent improvements Napa State Hospital, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishing of buildings, oil pipe line, survey and construction of water supply, fifty-four thousand dollars ($54,000)

For salaries Norwalk State Hospital, three hundred sixty thousand five hundred sixty-five dollars ($360,565).

For support Norwalk State Hospital, three hundred seventy-three thousand seven hundred fifty-eight dollars ($373,758)

For permanent improvements Norwalk State Hospital, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishing buildings, lighting system, sewage disposal, smokestack and poultry plant, four hundred sixty-eight thousand nine hundred seventy-five dollars ($468,975).

For salaries Pacific Colony, seventy-one thousand dollars ($71,000).

For support Pacific Colony, seventy-nine thousand dollars ($79,000).

For permanent improvements Pacific Colony, consisting of construction, improvements, equipment and furnishing of buildings, subway, roads and bridges, steam and lighting systems, four hundred ten thousand one hundred sixty-seven dollars ($410,167).

For salaries Sonoma State Home, four hundred seventy-eight thousand forty dollars ($478,040).

For support Sonoma State Home, five hundred ninety-nine thousand two hundred forty dollars ($599,240).

For permanent improvements Sonoma State Home, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishing of buildings and garages, complete electric and sewage disposal plants, bake oven, one hundred ten thousand five hundred dollars ($110,500).

For salaries Southern California State Hospital, six hundred fifty-five thousand five hundred twenty dollars ($655,520).

For support Southern California State Hospital, five hundred ninety-four thousand five hundred thirty dollars ($594,530).

For permanent improvements Southern California State Hospital, consisting of construction, improvements, equipment and furnishings of buildings, sewage disposal, fire protection, two hundred thirty-five thousand five hundred dollars ($235,500).

For salaries Stockton State Hospital, six hundred ninety-nine thousand six hundred forty dollars ($699,640)

For support Stockton State Hospital, seven hundred twenty-eight thousand nine hundred dollars ($728,900).

For permanent improvements Stockton State Hospital, consisting of construction, improvement, repairs, equipment and furnishings of buildings, power and water systems, repairs to roads, streets and fire escapes, two hundred nineteen thousand fifty dollars ($219,050).

For transportation of prisoners and insane, three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000).

CORRECTIVE.

For salaries California School for Girls, one hundred twenty-two thousand seven hundred thirty-six dollars ($122,736).

For support California School for Girls, one hundred fourteen thousand eight hundred thirty-nine dollars ($114,839).

For permanent improvements California School for Girls, consisting of repairs and improvements to ice plant and roads, fifteen thousand four hundred dollars ($15,400).

For salaries Preston School of Industry, two hundred eighty-three thousand three hundred twenty dollars ($283,320).

For support Preston School of Industry, four hundred twenty-seven thousand dollars ($427,000).

For permanent improvements Preston School of Industry, consisting of construction, improvements, equipment and furnishings of buildings and garages, shop machinery and equipment, live stock, twenty-seven thousand dollars ($27,000).

For salaries Whittier State School, two hundred eighteen thousand three hundred forty dollars ($218,340)

For support Whittier State School, two hundred nineteen thousand two hundred twenty dollars ($219,220).

For permanent improvements Whittier State School, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishings of buildings and garages, bake shop, storage for oil and paints, laundry and mechanical shop equipment and general repairs, fifty-one thousand twenty-five dollars ($51,025).

PENAL.

For salaries San Quentin Prison, three hundred forty thousand eight hundred dollars ($340,800)

For support San Quentin Prison, one million twenty-two thousand four hundred fifty dollars ($1,022,450)

For permanent improvements, San Quentin Prison, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishings of buildings and cells, industrial equipment and repairs, four hundred seven thousand dollars ($407,000).

For salaries Folsom Prison, two hundred seventy-nine thousand two hundred thirty-two dollars ($279,232)

For support Folsom Prison five hundred forty-two thousand nine hundred fifteen dollars ($542,915).

For permanent improvements, Folsom Prison, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishings of buildings, postoffice, steam boiler, wall derrick and equipment and general repairs, thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($32,500)

For salaries of parole department of board of prison directors, twenty-nine thousand two hundred eighty dollars ($29,280).

For support of parole department of board of prison directors, twelve thousand eight hundred fifty dollars ($12,850).

For salaries state bureau of criminal identification and investigation, fifty-five thousand eight hundred dollars ($55,800).

For support state bureau of criminal identification and investigation, eight thousand dollars ($8,000)

For transportation on account of arrest of criminals without the state, fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

For rewards offered by the governor, two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500).

BENEVOLENT.

For salaries *state board of charities and corrections, thirty-nine thousand* six hundred dollars ($39,600)

For support state board of charities and corrections, twenty-one thousand three hundred seventy dollars ($21,370).

For salaries Veterans' Home of California, two hundred sixty-one thousand seven hundred twenty-four dollars ($261,724).

For support Veterans Home of California, one hundred five thousand three hundred forty-two dollars ($105,342), and in addition thereto such sum or sums as are allowed by existing statutes

For salaries Industrial Home for the Adult Blind, fifty-eight thousand three hundred twenty dollars ($58,320).

For support Industrial Home for the Adult Blind, sixty-six thousand eight hundred eighty dollars ($66,880).

For permanent improvements Industrial Home for the Adult Blind, consisting of repairs, and improvements to buildings, steam plant, roads and equipment and furnishings for assembly hall, four thousand one hundred fifty dollars ($4,150).

For salaries Woman's Relief Corps Home, eighteen thousand nine hundred dollars ($18,900)

For support Woman's Relief Corps Home five thousand one hundred dollars ($5,100), *and in addition thereto such sum or sums as are allowed by existing* statutes.

CONSERVATION.

For support state board of forestry, one hundred nine thousand four hundred forty dollars ($109,440), and in addition thereto such sum or sums as are allowed by existing statutes.

For salaries Redwood park commission, twenty thousand six hundred eighty-four dollars ($20,684)

For support Redwood park commission, six thousand six hundred sixteen dollars ($6,616)

DEVELOPMENTAL.

For salaries state agricultural society, eighty-four thousand four hundred sixty dollars ($84,460).

For support state agricultural society, two hundred thirty-eight thousand sixty dollars ($238,060)

For permanent improvements state agricultural society, consisting of construction and improvements to buildings, purchase of land, fifty-one thousand five hundred dollars ($51,500).

For salaries *sixth district agricultural association, fifty-three thousand seven* hundred sixty dollars ($53,760)

For support sixth district agricultural association sixteen thousand dollars ($16,000).

For salaries state department of agriculture, exclusive of the following self-supporting bureaus or departments thereof, meat inspection, cattle protection, stallion registration, apple inspection, shipping point inspection and fish exchange, nine hundred thirty-nine thousand seven hundred forty-two dollars ($939,742).

For support state department of agriculture, exclusive of the following self-supporting bureaus or departments thereof, meat inspection, cattle protection, stallion registration, apple inspection shipping point inspection and fish exchange, four hundred forty-one thousand six hundred eighty-nine dollars ($441,689).

For salaries surveyor general, forty-nine thousand nine hundred dollars ($49,900).

For support surveyor general, six thousand eight hundred forty-five dollars ($6,845).

For salaries California highway commissioners and State highway engineer, forty-one thousand six hundred dollars ($41,600).

For salaries department of public works, general office, forty-one thousand eighty dollars ($41,080).

For support department of public works, general office, two thousand eight hundred thirty dollars ($2,830)

For salaries division of water rights department of public works, one hundred twenty-eight thousand dollars ($128,000).

For support division of water rights, department of public works, forty-one thousand one hundred seventy-five dollars ($41,175).

For investigation of streams, lakes, etc division of water rights, department of public works, fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

For salaries division of engineering and irrigation, department of public works, thirty-four thousand seven hundred sixty dollars ($34,760).

For support division of engineering and irrigation, department of public works, nine thousand six hundred dollars ($9,600).

For emergency flood protection and rectification of river channels, in cooperation with other agencies, one hundred fifty thousand dollars ($150,000).

For salaries, division of architecture, department of public works, two hundred thirty-two thousand dollars ($232,000)

For support division of architecture, department of public works, twenty-eight thousand one hundred dollars ($28,100).

For salaries mining division of state mining bureau, sixty-eight thousand two hundred sixty dollars ($68,260).

For support mining division of state mining bureau, thirty-three thousand one hundred eighty dollars ($33,180).

DEFENSIVE.

For salaries of the adjutant general and the California national guard, fifty-one thousand four hundred eighty dollars ($51,480).

For support of the office of the adjutant general and the California national guard, four hundred sixty-four thousand four hundred thirty dollars ($464,430).

For maintenance high school cadets, twenty thousand dollars ($20,000).

EDUCATIONAL.

For salaries state board of education, seventy-four thousand one hundred twenty dollars ($74,120).

For support state board of education, thirty-four thousand eight hundred dollars ($34,800).

For salaries credentials department, state board of education, sixty-six thousand dollars ($66,000).

For support credentials department, state board of education, fifteen thousand six hundred dollars ($15,600).

For free textbooks, superintendent of public instruction, seven hundred sixty-seven thousand four hundred three and nine one-hundredths dollars ($767,403 09).

For salaries of superintendent of public instruction, fifty-four thousand nine hundred twenty dollars ($54,920)

For support of superintendent of public instruction, forty-two thousand two hundred dollars ($42,200).

For salaries University of California, three million nine hundred thousand dollars ($3,900,000).

For support University of California, one million five hundred fifty thousand six hundred seventy-one and forty-seven one-hundredths dollars ($1,550,671 47).

For permanent improvements University of California, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment and furnishings, buildings, additional book stacks, improvements and repair Davis and Scripps Institute, purchasing and improvement of land at Berkeley, six hundred eighty thousand dollars ($680,000).

For salaries Chico State Teachers College, two hundred twenty-five thousand nine hundred sixty dollars ($225,960).

For support Chico State Teachers College, forty-seven thousand six hundred fifty dollars ($47,650).

For permanent improvements Chico State Teachers College, consisting of construction, equipment and furnishings of gymnasium, repairs Mount Shasta school, forty thousand dollars ($40,000).

For salaries Fresno State Teachers College, three hundred five thousand eight hundred ninety dollars ($305,890).

For support Fresno State Teachers College, forty-six thousand dollars ($46,000).

For permanent improvements Fresno State Teachers College, consisting of construction, equipment and furnishings temporary building, improvement of streets, twenty-eight thousand dollars ($28,000).

For salaries Humboldt State Teachers College, one hundred seventeen thousand three hundred ninety dollars ($117,390).

For support Humboldt State Teachers College, twenty thousand five hundred dollars ($20,500).

For new equipment Humboldt State Teachers College, six thousand seven hundred eighty-five dollars ($6,785).

For salaries San Diego State Teachers College, three hundred five thousand six hundred sixty dollars ($305,660)

For support San Diego State Teachers College, thirty-five thousand eight hundred dollars ($35,800).

For permanent improvements, San Diego State Teachers College, consisting of improvements, repairs, equipment and furnishings, buildings and grounds, fifty-five thousand dollars ($55,000).

For salaries San Francisco State Teachers College, three hundred eighteen thousand four hundred twenty dollars ($318,420)

For support San Francisco State Teachers College, fifty-nine thousand eight hundred dollars ($59,800).

For permanent improvements San Francisco State Teachers College, consisting of equipment and furnishings buildings and boiler plant, retaining wall, two hundred fifteen thousand dollars ($215,000),

For salaries San Jose State Teachers College, four hundred eighty-three thousand two hundred forty dollars ($483,240).

For support San Jose State Teachers College, eighty-one thousand five hundred fifty dollars ($81,550)

For permanent improvements San Jose State Teachers College, consisting of construction, improvements, repairs, equipment and furnishings of buildings, one hundred twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars ($122,500).

For salaries Santa Barbara State Teachers College, two hundred nineteen thousand six hundred thirty-nine and thirty-eight one-hundredths dollars ($219,639.38).

For support Santa Barbara State Teachers College, twenty-six thousand nine hundred dollars ($26,900).

For permanent improvements Santa Barbara State Teachers College, consisting of improvements, repairs, equipment and furnishings of buildings, one hundred sixty thousand dollars ($160,000).

For salaries California School for the Deaf and the Blind, two hundred fifty-four thousand six hundred eighty-one dollars ($254,681)

For support California School for the Deaf and the Blind, one hundred fifty-one thousand six hundred fifty dollars ($151,650).

For permanent improvements California School for the Deaf and the Blind, consisting of construction, improvements, repairs, equipment and furnishings of buildings, one hundred twenty thousand dollars ($120,000).

For salaries California Polytechnic School, one hundred twenty-seven thousand four hundred dollars ($127,400)

For support California Polytechnic School, fifty-five thousand five hundred thirty dollars ($55,530)

For permanent improvements California Polytechnic School, consisting of construction of poultry houses, silo, water pump, sewage disposal, fire protection, eleven thousand five hundred fifty dollars ($11,550)

For salaries of officers and employees Hastings College of the Law, four thousand eight hundred dollars ($4,800).

For interest on indebtedness Hastings College of the Law, fourteen thousand dollars ($14,000).

For salaries division of libraries, department of finance, one hundred sixty-two thousand eighty dollars ($162,080)

For support division of libraries, department of finance, ninety-one thousand four hundred ten dollars ($91,410)

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

Page 8, line 24, of the printed bill, add the following:

For the care, upkeep and maintenance of the California building, Balboa park, ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

Page 8, line 25, of the printed bill, add the following:

SELF-SUPPORTING DEPARTMENTS

For salaries division of printing, state department of finance, seven hundred thirty-three thousand two hundred sixty-four dollars ($733,264).

For support division of printing, state department of finance, six hundred three thousand three hundred fifty-six dollars ($603,356).

For support state board of accountancy, eleven thousand four hundred dollars ($11,400).

For salaries board of architecture, northern district, two thousand forty dollars ($2,040).

For support board of architecture, northern district, three thousand two hundred fifty-eight and fifty one-hundredths dollars ($3,258.50).

For salaries board of architecture, southern district, two thousand forty dollars ($2,040)

For support board of architecture, southern district, three thousand seventy dollars ($3,070).

For salaries state banking department, two hundred ninety-one thousand twenty dollars ($291,020).

For support state banking department, one hundred twenty-one thousand five hundred dollars ($121,500).

For salaries state board of bar examiners, six thousand dollars ($6,000).

For support state board of bar examiners, nine thousand seven hundred forty-five dollars ($9,745).

For salaries building and loan commissioner, twenty-two thousand five hundred twenty dollars ($22,520).

For support building and loan commissioner, seven thousand seven hundred fifty-four dollars ($7,754).

For salaries corporation department, five hundred twenty thousand nine hundred sixty dollars ($520,960).

For support corporation department, seventy-three thousand six hundred thirty-three dollars ($73,633).

For salaries board of dental examiners thirty-three thousand three hundred sixty dollars ($33,360).

For support board of dental examiners, eight thousand three hundred thirty-eight dollars ($8,338).

For salaries detective license department of state board of prison directors, six hundred dollars ($600)

For support detective license department of state board of prison directors, five hundred fifty-five dollars ($555).

For salaries board of embalmers, eight thousand four hundred dollars ($8,400).

For support board of embalmers, five thousand five hundred twenty dollars ($5,520).

For salaries board of state harbor commissioners, San Diego, two thousand six hundred forty dollars ($2,640)

For support board of state harbor commissioners, San Diego, one hundred fifty dollars ($150).

For salaries board of state harbor commissioners, San Francisco, one million, six hundred thirty-nine thousand four hundred forty-six dollars ($1,639,446)

For support board of state harbor commissioners, San Francisco, three million, four hundred thirteen thousand two hundred forty dollars ($3,413,240).

For permanent improvements board of state harbor commissioners, San Francisco, consisting of construction, improvement, equipment of piers, streets, tracks, buildings, shops and garages, post office, dump scows, one million nine hundred eighty-three thousand dollars ($1,983,000).

For salaries state insurance commissioner, ninety-six thousand one hundred dollars ($96,100).

For support state insurance commissioner, forty-two thousand nine hundred seventy dollars ($42,970).

For salaries board of medical examiners, forty-seven thousand two hundred sixty dollars ($47,260).

For support board of medical examiners, thirty-four thousand three hundred eighty-nine and ninety-two one hundredths dollars ($34,389.92).

For salaries registration of nurses, state board of health, twenty-four thousand three hundred sixty dollars ($24,360)

For support registration of nurses, state board of health, nine thousand eight hundred twenty dollars ($9,820).

For salaries board of optometry, five thousand dollars ($5,000).

For support board of optometry, three thousand four hundred fifty dollars ($3,450).

For salaries board of pharmacy, sixty-seven thousand two hundred dollars ($67,200).

For support board of pharmacy, fifty-six thousand four hundred ninety dollars ($56,490).

For salaries real estate department, one hundred seventy-four thousand six hundred dollars ($174,600)

For support real estate department, one hundred eleven thousand two hundred eighty-five dollars ($111,285).

For salaries board of veterinary medical examiners, two hundred dollars ($200).

For support board of veterinary medical examiners, three hundred dollars ($300).

For salaries cattle protection, state department of agriculture, sixty-one thousand eight hundred dollars ($61,800).

For support cattle protection, state department of agriculture, one hundred two thousand nine hundred forty dollars ($102,940).

For salaries meat inspection, state department of agriculture, three hundred twenty-two thousand eighty dollars ($322,080).

For salaries, stallion registration, state department of agriculture, six hundred dollars ($600).

For support, stallion registration, state department of agriculture, five hundred dollars ($500).

For salaries apple inspection, state department of agriculture, forty-six thousand five hundred dollars ($46,500).

For support apple inspection, department of agriculture, twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars ($23,500)

For salaries shipping point inspection, state department of agriculture, two hundred sixty-nine thousand one hundred ten dollars ($269,110).

For support shipping point inspection state department of agriculture, one hundred eighty thousand eight hundred ninety dollars ($180,890).

For salaries fish exchange, state department of agriculture, two thousand six hundred forty dollars ($2,640).

For support fish exchange, state department of agriculture, two thousand six hundred sixty dollars ($2,660).

For salaries fish and game commission, six hundred fifty thousand dollars ($650,000).

For support fish and game commission, six hundred three thousand eight hundred ninety-nine and ninety-six one-hundredths dollars ($603,899.96)

For salaries mining bureau, department of petroleum and gas, two hundred eight thousand dollars ($208,000).

For support mining bureau, department of petroleum and gas ninety-two thousand six hundred forty dollars ($92,640).

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 10, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "property" and insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following "except the property of San Francisco Harbor."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 1027 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, after the period following the figures "1027" add the following "The prevailing party on appeal shall be entitled to his costs excepting when judgment is modified, and in that event the matter of costs is within the discretion of the appellate court. The party entitled to costs, or to whom costs are awarded, may recover all amounts actually paid out by him in connection with said appeal, and the preparation of the record for the appeal, including in cases appealed under the alternative method the reasonable cost of the clerk's and reporter's transcripts, if the appellant prevails, and the reasonable cost of a copy of the clerk's and reporter's transcripts, if the respondent prevails, also including in all cases the cost of printing the briefs not exceeding, however the sum of one hundred dollars to any party for printing briefs. The appellate court may reduce costs in case of the insertion of unnecessary matter in the record."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 107—An act granting to the city of South San Francisco the salt marsh, tide and submerged lands of the State of California, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of South San Francisco and regulating the management, use and control thereof

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 330—An act providing for the sale of tide and submerged lands of the State of California filled in through dredging operations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 331—An act providing for the survey and subdivision of lands belonging to the State of California to be sold or leased, and the recording of maps of surveys and subdivisions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act to prevent the spread of plant pests by means of containers, appliances or articles used in connection with various agricultural commodities, to confer upon the director of the Department of Agriculture the power to designate such species and prescribe such treatment therefor as he shall deem adequate to prevent such spread, to confer upon the county horticultural commissioners the power to prescribe such treatment, to prohibit the transportation from

or into any county or locality of the State of any such containers, appliances or articles unless proof shall have been furnished that the same have not been exposed to infection or infestation by such plant pests, to make a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act for the prevention, eradication and control of insect pests and disease affecting grapes, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation thereto," approved June 3, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 1 of the title between the words "of" and "plant" insert the following words: "certain species of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 5 of the title, strike out the word "prescribe".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "such" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "he" and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "said commissioner".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "pest" and insert in lieu thereof the word "pests".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "disease" and insert in lieu thereof the word "diseases".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 1612*c*, relating to the education of children under control of the juvenile court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Schmidt moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or

other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other system or modes of treating the sick or afflicted in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to penalty for the purchase or sale of fraudulent credentials.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, after the "period" following the word "California," insert the following:

"Any person shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable as designated in this act, who shall practice or attempt to practice any system or treatment of the sick or afflicted, under a false or assumed name, or any name other than that prescribed by the board of medical examiners of the State of California on its certificate issued to such person authorizing him to administer such treatment, or who shall assume any degree or title not conferred upon him in the manner and by the authority recognized in this act, with intent to represent falsely that he has received such degree or title, or who shall engage in the treatment of the sick or afflicted, without causing to be displayed in a conspicuous manner and in a conspicuous place in his office the name of each and every person who is associated with or employed by him in the practice of medicine and surgery or other treatment of the sick or afflicted, or who shall, within ten days after demand made by the secretary of the board, fail to furnish to said board the name and address of all such persons associated or employed by him or by any company or association with which he is or has been connected at any time within sixty days prior to said notice, together with a sworn statement showing under and by what license or authority said person or persons, or said employee or employees, is or are, or has or have been practicing medicine and surgery, or any other system of treatment of the sick or afflicted. It shall be the duty of any person or persons upon whom the board of medical examiners may make a demand for the name or names and address or addresses of a person or persons associated or employed by him or them to make affidavit that there are no such person or persons associated or employed by him or them, if such be the fact, *provided*, that such affidavit shall not be used as evidence against said person or employee in any proceedings under this section."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 510—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, said amendments adding subdivisions first *a*, fifth *a*, fifth *b*, and fifth *c*,

setting forth additional causes for revocation of licenses or certificates issued hereunder.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 511—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, following the word "certificate" and preceding the word "to", strike out the semicolon

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 23, 24, 25, and 26

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1003—An act to amend sections 1327, 1328, 1333, 1491, 1658 and 1664 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title, in line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words one thousand six hundred fifty-eight.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the printed bill, after the period, insert the following: "When a will has been admitted to probate, any person interested may, at any time within six months after such probate, contest the same or the validity of the will. For that purpose he must file in the court in which the will was proved a petition in writing, containing his allegations against the validity of the will or against the sufficiency of the proof, and praying that the probate may be revoked

SEC. 2 Section one thousand three hundred twenty-eight of the Code of Civil Procedure is amended to read as follows

1328. Upon filing the petition, and within six months after such probate, a citation must be issued to the executor of the will, or to the administrator with the will annexed, and to all the legatees and devisees mentioned in the will, and heirs residing in the state, so far as known to the petitioner or to their guardians, if any of them are minors, or their personal representatives, if any of them are dead, requiring them to appear before the court on some day therein specified, to show cause why the probate of the will should not be revoked.

SEC. 3 Section one thousand three hundred thirty-three of the Code of Civil Procedure is amended to read as follows

1333 If no person, within six months after the probate of a will, contest the same or the validity thereof, the probate of the will is conclusive: saving to infants and persons of unsound mind, a like period of six months after their respective disabilities are removed.

SEC 4. Section one thousand four hundred ninety-one of the Code of Civil Procedure is amended to read as follows

1491. The time expressed in the notice must be six months after its first publication, when the estate exceeds in value the sum of ten thousand dollars, and four months when it does not.

SEC. 5. Section one thousand six hundred sixty-four of the Code of Civil Procedure is amended to read as follows:

1664. In all estates now being administered, or that may hereafter be administered, any person claiming to be heir to the deceased, or entitled to distribution in whole or in any part of such estate, may, at any time after the issuing of letters testamentary or of administration upon such estate, file a petition in the matter of such estate, praying the court to ascertain and declare the rights of all persons to said estate and all interests therein, and to whom distribution thereof should be made. Upon the filing of such petition, the court shall make an order directing service of notice to all persons interested in said estate to appear and show cause, on a day to be therein named, not less than thirty days nor over two months from the date of the making of such order, in which notice shall be set forth the name of the deceased, the name of the executor or administrator of said estate, the names of all persons who may have appeared claiming any interest in said estate in the course of the administration of the same, up to the time of the making of said order, and such other persons as the court may direct, and also a description of the real estate whereof said deceased died seized or possessed, so far as known, described with certainty to a common intent, and requiring all said persons, and all persons named or not named having or claiming any interest in the estate of said deceased, at the time and place in said order specified, to appear and exhibit, as hereinafter provided, their respective claims of heirship, ownership, or interest in said estate, to said court, which notice shall be served in the same manner as a summons in a civil action, upon proof of which service, by affidavit or otherwise, to the satisfaction of the court, the court shall thereupon acquire jurisdiction to ascertain and determine the heirship, ownership, and interest of all parties in and to the property of said deceased, and such determination shall be final and conclusive in the administration of said estate, and the title and ownership of said property. The court shall enter an order or decree establishing proof of the service of such notice. All persons appearing within the time limited as aforesaid, shall file their written appearance in person or through their authorized attorney, such attorney filing at the same time written evidence of his authority to so appear, entry of which appearance shall be made in the minutes of the court and in the register of proceedings of said estate. And the court shall, after the expiration of the time limited for appearing as aforesaid, enter an order adjudging the default of all persons for not appearing as aforesaid, who shall not have appeared as aforesaid. At any time within twenty days after the date of the order or decree of the court establishing proof of the service of such notice, any such persons so appearing may file his complaint in the matter of the estate, setting forth the facts constituting his claim of heirship, ownership, or interest in said estate, with such reasonable particularity as the court may require, and serve a copy of the same upon each of the parties or attorneys who shall have entered their written appearance as aforesaid, if such parties or such attorneys reside within the county; and in case any of them do not reside within the county, then service of such copy of said complaint shall be made upon the clerk of said court for them, and the clerk shall forthwith mail the same to the address of such party or attorney as may have left with said clerk his post-office address. Such parties are allowed twenty days after the service of the complaint, as aforesaid, within which to plead thereto, and thereafter such proceedings shall be had upon such complaint as in this code provided in case of an ordinary civil action; and the issues of law and of fact arising in the proceeding shall be disposed of in like manner as issues of law and fact are herein provided to be disposed of in civil actions, with a like right to a motion for a new trial and appeal to the supreme court, and the provisions in this code contained regulating the mode of procedure for the trial of civil actions, the motion for a new trial of civil actions, statements on motion for a new trial, bills of exception, and statements on appeal, as also in regard to undertakings on appeal, and the mode of taking and perfecting appeals, and the time within which such appeals shall be taken, shall be applicable thereto; *provided, however*, that all appeals herein must be taken within sixty days from the date of the entry of the judgment at the order complained of. The party filing the petition as aforesaid, if he file a complaint, and if not, the party first filing such complaint, shall, in all subsequent proceedings, be treated as the plaintiff therein, and all other parties so appearing shall be treated as the defendants in said proceedings, and all such defendants shall set forth in their respective answers the facts constituting their claim of heirship, ownership, or interest in said estate, with such particularity as the court may require, and serve a copy thereof on the plaintiff. Evidence in support of all issues may be taken orally or by deposition, in the same manner as provided in civil actions. Notice of the taking of such depositions shall be served only upon the parties, or the attorneys of the parties, so appearing in said proceeding. The court shall enter a default of all persons failing to appear, or plead, or prosecute, or defend their rights as aforesaid, and upon the trial of the issues arising upon the pleadings in such proceedings, the court shall determine the heirship to said deceased, the ownership of his estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and persons entitled to distribution thereof, and the final determination of the court

thereupon shall be final and conclusive in the distribution of said estate, and in regard to the title to all the property of the estate of said deceased The cost of the proceedings under this section shall be apportioned in the discretion of the court In any proceedings under this section, the court may appoint an attorney for any minor mentioned in said proceedings not having a guardian. Nothing in this section contained shall be construed to exclude the right upon final distribution of any estate to contest the question of heirship, title, or interest in the estate so distributed, where the same shall not have been determined under the provisions of this section; but where such questions shall have been litigated, under the provisions of this section, the determination thereof as herein provided shall be conclusive in the distribution of said estate."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12—Relative to the appropriation of funds for carrying out certain recommendations of the chief of staff of the United States army made in furtherance of the National Defense Act of 1920.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, and Dayton—4.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 12.

Relative to the appropriation of funds for carrying out certain recommendations of the Chief of Staff of the United States Army made in furtherance of the National Defense Act of 1920.

WHEREAS, The President of the United States in a recent message to the Congress of the United States has stated that the Army and Navy of the United States should be strengthened and that a people who neglect their national defense are putting in jeopardy their national honor; and

WHEREAS, In furtherance of the National Defense Act of 1920 and in order to increase and promote the strength and effectiveness of the Army, the Chief of Staff of the Army of the United States has recommended substantially as follows:

(*a*) That the Regular Army be brought back to the strength of 150,000 enlisted men and 13,000 officers, and that it be suitably housed and enabled to conduct annual maneuvers on a moderate scale;

(*b*) That the National Guard be given the support necessary to permit its progressive development toward a strength of 250,000;

(*c*) That the skeleton organization of the organized reserves be adequately maintained;

(*d*) That all reserve officers receive an average of fifteen days' training in each three years;

(*e*) That the reserve officers' training corps units be further developed;

(*f*) That provision may be made for a gradual increase in the number accommodated annually in the citizens' military training camps therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California respectfully and earnestly urge upon the Congress the necessity of appropriating such funds and enacting such legislation as will adequately provide for the effective carrying out of the provisions of the National Defense Act of 1920 and also the recommendations of the Chief of Staff of the Army of the United States hereinbefore set forth; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be sent by the Secretary of State to the President of the United States, the presiding officers of both branches of Congress, to the Senators and Representatives in Congress from this State, and to the members of the congressional committees on appropriation and on military affairs.

Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Brock moved that Assembly Bill No. 305 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 305 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 144 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 103½ of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to clerks of justice courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 95 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Browne moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the words "of the board".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Browne as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 173, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BROWNE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 19½29 of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved March 8, 1909, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 877 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. Oliva asked for and was granted a leave of absence for the remainder of the afternoon.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 948—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the fourteenth class, and fixing their mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 948 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levy, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor,

Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 563—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act creating a reclamation district to be called and known as 'reclamation district No. 1500;' providing for the management and control thereof and dissolving all levee districts, swamp land districts, and reclamation districts, lying wholly within the boundaries of said reclamation district No. 1500; providing for the liquidation and winding up of said dissolved districts, and excluding from any levee district, swamp land district and reclamation district any land lying within the boundaries of said reclamation district No. 1500," approved April 30, 1913, as amended, relating to the election, appointment, powers, and duties of the trustees of said district, and relating to the management and control thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 563 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 303 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 431—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to superior courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 431 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Little—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 196 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management, control, and transfer of real property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 369 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1062*a*, and relating to the trial of actions for declaratory relief;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 356—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Political Code, relating to holidays;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend section 822 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with misdemeanors or felonies.

Also Assembly Bill No 663—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors:

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 358—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 358 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 357—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 357 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 356—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Political Code, relating to holidays.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 356 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and forty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Thursday, March 5, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 5, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. David C. Williams, former member of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Melville, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Levey, Mr. J. Harry Zemansky of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. Charles A. O'Brien was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Mrs. Opel Jacobson, bride of Assemblyman Leland R. Jacobson, of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Maurie Dyer, teacher of the eighth B class of the Newton Booth School of Sacramento, and the following pupils: Sidney Wills, Oliver Kallen, Mike Zaro, Edith Bryan, Bethel Sylvia, Helen Eicher, Ellen Acheson, Kathleen Kingsbury, June Nunn, George Tilson, Robert Davies, Shelton Bentley, Andrew Slavic, Edward Hockin, Niron Smith, Mary Coglin, Valerie O'Conner, Katherine Johnson, John Taylor, Gus Meckfessel, Foster Urban, Hugh Johnson, Richard Davies, Katherine Lyons, Margaret Glover, Evelyn Hamlin, Violet Dart, Mabel Acker, Claire Wood,

Angelina DeStasio, Lois Meyer, Clara Lesserer, Blanche Smith, Anna Norton, Ruth Chorn, and Pauline Carman, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Miss Lorrinne Ensign, teacher of the eighth A Class of the Newton Booth School of Sacramento and the following pupils: Bernice Clement, Doris Flint, Gertrude Forman, Eleanor Ghilarducci, Henry Hinrichsen, Annabelle Kamayer, Estelle Kauffman, Wilhelmina Kiefer, William Lefurgey, Edith Mitchell, Albert Murray, Weslow Nash, Albert Schaedler, Lydia Schorn, Forbes Slayton, Thelma Smedberg, Beth Urban, Jimmie Utsunamiya, Irene Wilde, Roy Young, Jack Kinney, Margaret Dale, and Harold Brown, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Johnston, teachers, and the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of the Carmichael School of Sacramento, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 522—An act to amend section 52 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

PIERCE, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 521—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

PIERCE, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "California Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act";
Also Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulating and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 154—An act to amend section 122 of the "California Vehicle Act" approved May 30, 1923, relating to walking or driving on highways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 158—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. W. Levers against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Cleveland:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1365 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to letters of administration, to whom granted, and the order in which they are granted

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Davis:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to prohibit the use of bid bonds in connection with the submission of bids to perform public works contracts in the State of California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Easley:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

MR. SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State Prison at Folsom without cost to the State.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Hawes:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

MR. SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State, to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons, to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof, to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 814—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, relating to county health authorities.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the State Highway Commission for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, after the colon, insert the following: "That portion of California Reform School tract as per map recorded in deed map book five hundred sixty-two, page one hundred eighty-seven and of State Reform School tract as per map recorded in deed map book seven hundred twenty-four, page two hundred sixty-six, all being records of Los Angeles county, California, including within the following description: A thirty-foot strip of land lying adjacent to and on the southwesterly side of a county road known as Whittier boulevard extending from the southeasterly line of Sorenson avenue, said line also being the northwesterly line of said California Reform School tract, in a southeasterly direction to the northerly line of King road, also known as Evergreen street, which line is also the southerly line of said State Reform School tract, the southwesterly line of said thirty-foot strip being parallel with and distant fifty-five feet southwesterly from the center line of said Whittier boulevard."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 321—An act amending sections 378 and 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, 379*b*, 379*c*, and 391, all relating to the joinder of parties to actions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 21, before the word "it" insert the following "3795".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 1 and 2 of title, strike out the words "seventy-seven" and insert in lieu thereof the following "ninety-nine".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 591—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act relating to estrays, providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs, and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, relating to estrays.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 34, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "seventy-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 37, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the following "twenty-five".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, strike out the entire paragraph down to and including line 10, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"674. An abstract of the judgment or decree of any court of record of this State, or of the United States, the enforcement of which has not been stayed on appeal, certified by the clerk of the court where such judgment or decree was

rendered, may be filed with the recorder of any county and from such filing the judgment or decree becomes a lien upon all the real property of the judgment debtor, not exempt from execution, in such county owned by him at the time, or which he may afterwards and before the lien expires, acquire. Such lien continues for five years from the date of the entry of the judgment or decree, unless the enforcement of the judgment or decree is stayed on appeal by the execution of a sufficient undertaking as provided in this code, or by the statutes of the United States, in which case the lien of the judgment or decree, and any lien by virtue of attachment that has been issued and levied in the action, unless otherwise by statutes of the United States provided, ceases, or unless the judgment or decree is previously satisfied, or the lien otherwise discharged. The abstract above mentioned shall contain the following: Title of the court and cause and number of the action; date of entry of the judgment or decree; names of the judgment debtor and of the judgment creditor; amount of the judgment or decree, and date of the entry of the judgment or decree and where entered in judgment book."

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 833—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1238 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exercise of the right of eminent domain.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Schmidt moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to amend section 29 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the legislative body of any city, county, school district or other public corporation to employ the services of trained experts, and pay the cost thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the county of Los Angeles in said State upon certain trusts and conditions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, after the word "use" insert the following: "by said county".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to new trials.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 822—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 824—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 23—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 536*b*, relating to false statements of grades of lumber and building materials.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the comma, following the word "lading," insert the word "first".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 796—An act defining and regulating the sale of manufactured articles from cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills composed in whole or part of cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills, when such articles are intended for camping or pleasure purposes, for human habitation, for sheltering live stock, for show, exhibition or entertainment purposes, or to protect merchandise, commodities, farm products or minerals against the elements, or if used as protection or safety devices against loss of life or loss from the elements on land, rivers or bays of the State of California, requiring the same to be properly marked as to weight, construction, color, size and use of fillers or other preparations, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 947—An act to amend section 2039 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors over roads and highways of the county.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "six hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the words "such gates" insert the following: "and cattle guards".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1183—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered 19*a* and 19*b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law and regulating employment, hours, kinds, and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to disposition of funds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 396—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prohibit employers or certain agents or representatives of employers from demanding or receiving any money or other consideration from an employee as a condition of employment or of continuing to perform services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to forbid managers, superintendents, foremen and other persons having authority from their respective employers to hire, employ, or direct the services of other persons in such employments, to demand or receive any fee, gift or other remuneration in consideration of any such hiring, employment or permission to continue to perform work or services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics,' approved April 12, 1915," approved May 5, 1917.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Rosenshine. An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring and maintain an action or actions, in the name of the people of the State of California, to determine the nature of the title by which husbands and wives own and hold community property in this State acquired at any time since the codes of California took effect on January 1, 1873, community property acquired since chapters 583 and 589 of the Laws of 1917 of the State of California

took effect on July 27, 1917, and community property acquired since chapter 18 of the Laws of 1923 of the State of California took effect on August 17, 1923, and the respective rights and interests of husbands and wives in community property acquired during said respective periods, prescribing the character and venue of such actions and the matters to be alleged in the complaints therein, and providing for new trials and appeals in such actions.

By Mr. Mueller: An act to amend sections 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts eighteen and nineteen.

By Mr. Melville: An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific highway, to be a State highway.

By Mr. Fry: An act to amend section 25 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers, and agents to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to provide penalties for the violation thereof, to create the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended, relating to the issuance of stock.

By Messrs. McDowell and Foster: An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College.

By Mr. Spalding: An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384b, relating to the protection of the California poppy.

By Mrs. Saylor: An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise.

By Mrs. Saylor: An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts.

By Mr. Lyons: An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobsen, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No. 1195—An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring and maintain an action or actions in the name of the people of the State of California, to determine the nature of the title by which husbands and wives own and hold community property in this State acquired at any time since the Codes of California took effect on January 1, 1873, community property acquired since chapters 583 and 589 of the Laws of 1917 of the State of California took effect on July 27, 1917, and community

property acquired since chapter 18 of the Laws of 1923 of the State of California took effect on August 17, 1923, and the respective rights and interests of husbands and wives in community property acquired during said respective periods, prescribing the character and venue of such actions and the matters to be alleged in the complaints therein, and providing for new trials and appeals in such actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Mueller: Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend sections 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts eighteen and nineteen.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Melville: Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood Highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific Highway, to be a State highway.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Fry: Assembly Bill No. 1198—An act to amend section 25 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers, and agents to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide penalties for the violation thereof; to create the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended, relating to the issuance of stock.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. McDowell and Foster: Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384*b*, relating to the protection of the California poppy.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mrs. Saylor: Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Mrs. Saylor: Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills

of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro, and Hayward.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No 1204—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 107—An act granting to the city of South San Francisco the salt marsh, tide and submerged lands of the State of California, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of South San Francisco and regulating the management, use and control thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 183—An act to amend "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department, and to assess and collect taxes, from time to time, for such purposes, and to create a Board of Fire Commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, by the addition thereto of a new section to be numbered 24½, providing for the annexation of unincorporated territory to a fire district;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 330—An act providing for the sale of tide and submerged lands of the State of California filled in through dredging operations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 331—An act providing for the survey and subdivision of lands belonging to the State of California to be sold or leased, and the recording of maps of surveys and subdivisions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 510—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, said amendments adding subdivisions first *a*, fifth *a*, fifth *b*, and fifth *c*, setting forth additional causes for revocation of licenses or certificates issued hereunder;

Also Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 1612*c*, relating to the education of children under control of the juvenile court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4214, 4215, 4216, 4217, 4218, 4219, 4220, and 4221 of the Political Code, all relating to the duties of the county engineer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 976—An act to amend section 4013 of the Political Code, relating to officers of a county;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, *Chairman*

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

To the Senate and Assembly.

At the 1923 session of the California Legislature, Assembly Joint Resolution No 3 was adopted approving the Colorado River Compact. The compact was also approved by the states of Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming, but up to this time has not been approved by the state of Arizona.

The purpose of the compact was to provide for an equitable division of the waters of the Colorado River, to secure storage for use in dry seasons, and to afford protection from disastrous floods. California is vitally interested in the purposes of this compact. During the past season Imperial Valley has suffered for want of sufficient water, while only a few years ago this valley and the Palo Verde Valley were injured by floods. The waters of the Colorado River can be conserved by dams. Not only the needs of the Imperial Valley demand action, but the future development of parts of Imperial, Riverside, San Bernardino and Los Angeles counties depend upon the conservation and storage of the waters of this great river. The city of Los Angeles is now looking to the Colorado River for future water supply.

The state of Colorado has adopted a resolution providing that the compact shall become binding when approved by the states of California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming. The state of Wyoming has adopted the same resolution. Nevada, New Mexico and Utah are awaiting action by California.

I am transmitting to you herewith a copy of the resolution adopted by the state of Colorado and the state of Wyoming, and ask your earnest and prompt consideration of a similar resolution on the part of California.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NO. ____

RELATIVE TO APPROVING THE COLORADO RIVER COMPACT.

WHEREAS, The Legislatures of the States of California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming heretofore have approved the Colorado River Compact, signed by the Commissioners for said states and the State of Arizona, and approved by Herbert Hoover as a Representative of the United States of America, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, November 24th, 1922 (Chapter 17 of the Statutes of California, 1923), and notice of the approval by the Legislature of each of said approving states has been given by the Governor to the Governors of the other signatory states, and to the President of the United States, as required by Article XI of said compact; Now therefore,

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

SECTION 1. That the provisions of the first paragraph of Article XI of the Colorado River Compact, making said compact effective when it shall have been approved by the Legislature of each of the signatory states, are hereby waived and said Compact shall become binding and obligatory upon the State of Wyoming, and upon the other signatory states which have ratified or may hereafter ratify it, whenever at least six of the signatory states shall have consented thereto and the Congress of the United States shall have given its consent and approval, provided, however, that this Act shall be of no force and effect until a similar Act or Resolution shall have been passed or adopted by the Legislatures of the States of California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico and Utah.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

ENROLLED ACT, No. 60 SENATE.

EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING.

An act relating to the Colorado River Compact

WHEREAS, The Legislatures of the States of California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming heretofore have approved the Colorado River Compact, signed by the Commissioners for said states and the State of Arizona, and approved by Herbert Hoover as a Representative of the United States of America, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, November 24th, 1922 (Chapter 3 of the Session Laws of Wyoming,

1923), and notice of the approval by the Legislature of each of said approving states has been given by the Governor to the Governors of the other signatory states, and to the President of the United States, as required by Article XI of said compact; now therefore

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

SECTION 1. That the provisions of the first paragraph of Article XI of the Colorado River Compact, making said compact effective when it shall have been approved by the Legislature of each of the signatory states, are hereby waived and said Compact shall become binding and obligatory upon the State of Wyoming, and upon the other signatory states which have ratified or may hereafter ratify it, whenever at least six of the signatory states shall have consented thereto and the Congress of the United States shall have given its consent and approval, provided, however, that this Act shall be of no force and effect until a similar Act or Resolution shall have been passed or adopted by the Legislatures of the States of California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico and Utah.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

J. C. UNDERWOOD
Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

LEWIS H. BROWN
President of the Senate.

Approved, February 25, 1925.
NELLIE TAYLOE ROSS, Governor.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following joint resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs Finney, Jones and Murray: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relative to the ratification of the Colorado River Compact.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn;

Also Senate Bill No. 301—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes;

Also: Senate Bill No. 55—An act to amend section 2969 of the Civil Code, relating to levy of writs of attachments and executions;

Also Senate Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Superintendent of Public Instruction;

Also Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relative to the county high school tax;

Also Senate Bill No. 636—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to apportionment of school funds;

Also Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fortieth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 66 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 301 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 55 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 634 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 635 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 636 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 442 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to citrus white fly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 read, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 229—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 229 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 284—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI inclusive of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Rosenshine moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "Code" strike out the words "of the State of California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "Code" strike out the word "are" and insert in lieu thereof the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, at the beginning of line 16, strike out "rupety" and insert in lieu thereof the following "ruptcy".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the word "parntership" and insert in lieu thereof the word "partnership".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 11, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "on" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 11, line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "dissolution" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following "either.".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Rosenshine as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 284, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

ROSENSHINE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 460 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—Bernard, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Dodge, Foster, Heisinger, Lyons, McDowell, Murphy, Scudder, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—13.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to amend section 19.31 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention

homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 7 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 663—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 663 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. West moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "person" and insert in lieu thereof the word "personal".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. West as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 25, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WEST, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1062*a*, and relating to the trial of actions for declaratory relief.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 190 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 383—An act to amend section 822 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with misdemeanors or felonies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 383 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 821 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with felonies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 384 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton,

Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—64.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 41—An act to amend section 2192 of the Political Code, relating to commitment of incompetents other than insane persons to State hospitals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 41 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 330—An act providing for the sale of tide and submerged lands of the State of California filled in through dredging operations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 330 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 331—An act providing for the survey and subdivision of lands belonging to the State of California to be sold or leased, and the recording of maps of surveys and subdivisions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 331 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy,

Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 307 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.
Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cloudman moved that Assembly Bill No. 366 be ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.
Motion carried
Assembly Bill No. 366 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 1612*c*, relating to the education of children under control of the juvenile court.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 614 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—Sewell—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. Miller, J. A., asked for and was granted a leave of absence for Friday, March 6, 1925, and Saturday, March 7, 1925.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. McPherson, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 19 was made a special order for Friday, March 6, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Friday, March 6, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, March 6, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names.

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Robert Burns McAulay of the Fremont Park Presbyterian Church of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Sewell its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY

Through the courtesy of Mr. Browne, Mr. Louis H. Bodle of Inyo County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Brock, Mr. Lyman M. King, a former member of the Senate, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hartranft, Mr. J. M. Backs of Santa Ana was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mrs. Robert G. Drady of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Geo. A. Kneese, County Surveyor of San Mateo County, was extended the privilege of the

floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mrs. Geo. A. Kneese, County Clerk of San Mateo County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. L. Christensen, coach of the Nevada City High School Basketball Team, and the following pupils: Howard Penrose, Percy Watters, Gene Young, Cameron Larsen, Edward Valentine, George Neagle, Fred Grover, Will Hanks, George Hegarty, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Fry was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Murray, Mr. Walters was granted leave of absence for the day.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Sewell announced that the California League of Municipalities extends to the members of the Assembly an invitation to be present at the session of the League commencing today at eleven o'clock a.m. at the City Hall, Sacramento, California.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report that it has carefully considered the applicants for the various positions and desires to submit the following resolution

Resolved, That the following named persons be, and they are hereby appointed and employed for the positions and per diem set opposite their respective names; the appointment of the following named person to date from and include the third day of March, 1925

Henry R. Nielson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms $5 00

The appointment of the following named person to date from and include the fourth day of March, 1925

Gertrude Magruder, Assistant Journal Clerk $5 00

The appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the fifth day of March, 1925

Constance Morey, Assistant Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk $5 00

Barney Ferguson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms 5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant from said fund in favor of the above named persons for said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Doris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—76.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to submit the following resolution

Resolved, That the following named person heretofore employed for the position and at the per diem set opposite his name, be stricken from the roll, to date from and include the twenty-seventh day of February, 1925

Dan Whalen, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.....$5 00

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Schofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—McDonough—1.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 157—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company, compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to employment conditions and hours of labor of females—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 742—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments, providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, by amending section four thereof, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to provide additional penalties for failures to pay monthly or semimonthly as in section two of the said act provided and providing for the collection of the civil penalties provided by civil action by the said commissioner—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 226—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirtieth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 662—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to authorize the counties of the State of California to establish retirement salary systems for their employees," approved May 20, 1919, to be numbered 2½, relating to dissolution of such systems and powers of the board of supervisors with reference thereto;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MINES AND MINING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

DILLINGER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing insurance policies;

Also Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 6026 of the Political Code, workmen's compensation insurance carriers and self insurers, classification of risks and premium rates relative thereto;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 105—An act to pay the claim of the California Cooperative Canneries, Incorporated against the State of California

Also Assembly Bill No 113—An act to appropriate $887.42 to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for setting back the curbs, constructing concrete curbs and gutters, paving and widening the area and providing drainage on those portions of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft way fronting upon property of the University of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 1188—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

WEMPLE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 4537 of the Civil Code, relating to the guarantee fund and investments of title insurance corporations,

Also: Assembly Bill No 51—An act to amend section 631*a* of the Political Code, relating to the publication of notice of withdrawal of insurance companies from this State;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCUDDER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 4, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 184—An act to validate the organization and incorporation of municipal corporations,

Also Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and inclusion thereof, within municipal corporations; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3244*a*, relating to hours of labor of employees and guards at the State prisons—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways, to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities,

Also Assembly Bill No 263—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts, for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water, for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts, and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1071—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts

in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915—has had the the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back as amended, without recommendation

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code 58 new sections, to be numbered 2322*x*1, 2322*x*2, 2322*x*3, 2322*x*4, 2322*x*5, 2322*x*6, 2322*x*7, 2322*x*8, 2322*x*9, 2322*x*10, 2322*x*11, 2322*x*12, 2322*x*13, 2322*x*14, 2322*x*15, 2322*x*16, 2322*x*17, 2322*x*18, 2322*x*19, 2322*x*20, 2322*x*21, 2322*x*22, 2322*x*23, 2322*x*24, 2322*x*25, 2322*x*26, 2322*x*27, 2322*x*28, 2322*x*29, 2322*x*30, 2322*x*31, 2322*x*32, 2322*x*33, 2322*x*34, 2322*x*35, 2322*x*36, 2322*x*37, 2322*x*38, 2322*x*39, 2322*x*40, 2322*x*41, 2322*x*42, 2322*x*43, 2322*x*44, 2322*x*45, 2322*x*46, 2322*x*47, 2322*x*48, 2322*x*49, 2322*x*50, 2322*x*51, 2322*x*52, 2322*x*53, 2322*x*54, 2322*x*55, 2322*x*56, 2322*x*57, and 2322*x*58, relating to county horticultural commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to the planting of trees in memory of Clara Barton—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to engrossment.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 58—An act to amend section 19*x*28 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the juvenile court law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 37—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629, and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits, and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 19—An act making appropriations for the suport of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to new trials.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law and regulating employment, hours, kinds, and conditions of labor of children, providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 396—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prohibit employers or certain agents or representatives of employers from demanding or receiving any money or other consideration from an employee as a condition of employment or of continuing to perform services in such employment and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to forbid managers, superintendents, foremen and other persons having authority from their respective employers to hire, employ, or direct the services of other persons in such employments, to demand or receive any fee, gift or other remuneration in consideration of any such hiring, employment or permission to continue to perform work or services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics,' approved April 12, 1915," approved May 5, 1917.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the legislative body of any city, county, school district or other public corporation to employ the services of trained experts, and pay the cost thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1238 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exercise of the right of eminent domain.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 796—An act defining and regulating the sale of manufactured articles from cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills composed in whole or part of cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills, when such articles are intended for camping or pleasure purposes, for human habitation, for sheltering live stock, for show, exhibition or entertainment purposes, or to protect merchandise, commodities, farm products or minerals against the elements, or if used as protection or safety devices against loss of life or loss from the elements on land, rivers or bays of

the State of California, requiring the same to be properly marked as to weight, construction, color, size and use of fillers or other preparations, and providing penalties for violation thereof;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 814—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, relating to county health authorities;

Also Assembly Bill No. 822—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments;

Also Assembly Bill No. 824—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian;

Also Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills;

Also Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 833—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to amend section 29 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1183—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered 19*a*, and 19*b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also Assembly Bill No 511—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act

Also Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to penalty for the purchase or sale of fraudulent credentials;

Also Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 1027 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1003—An act to amend sections 1327, 1328, 1333, 1491, and 1664 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act to prevent the spread of certain species of plant pests by means of containers, appliances or articles used in connection with various agricultural commodities, to confer upon the Director of the Department of Agriculture the power to designate such species and such treatment therefor as he

shall deem adequate to prevent such spread, to confer upon the county horticultural commissioners the power to prescribe such treatment, to prohibit the transportation from or into any county or locality of the State of any such containers, appliances or articles unless proof shall have been furnished that the same have not been exposed to infection or infestation by such plant pests, to make a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act for the prevention, eradication and control of insect pests and diseases affecting grapes, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation thereto," approved June 3, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 19a15 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 584—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots ten, eleven and twelve in block four of Diestelhorst's addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block five and lots six and seven in block six of said Diestelhorst's addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 299—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District' to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district, to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3457*a*, relating to claims against reclamation districts for which warrants may be issued—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to appropriate money to be paid as premiums to exhibitors of live stock at district live stock shows to be held in the First Agricultural District—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide that the Department of Engineering of the State of California may acquire for and in the name of the people of the State of California, by purchase, donation, dedication or by proceedings in eminent domain, additional rights of way, land, and trees on and along the course of any State highway," approved April 1, 1915;

Also Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the abandonment of portions of routes of State roads and highways by the advisory board of the State Department of Engineering, and for consent thereto in certain cases by county boards of supervisors," approved May 20, 1915;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, compensation, and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-ninth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Hawes: An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases, to prohibit the ownership, use or possession of any such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof, to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder, and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen.

By Mr. Easley (by request): An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State prison at Folsom without cost to the State.

By Mr. Davis: An act to prohibit the use of bid bonds in connection with the submission of bids to perform public works contracts in the State of California.

By Mr Cleveland: An act to amend section 1365 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to letters of administration, to whom granted, and the order in which they are granted.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Foster, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 19 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law" of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to pasteurization.

Also: Assembly Bill No 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, dairy plant licenses, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith,

Has has the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways of State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund, providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison, authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads providing for the compensation of such convict labor, regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison, authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 538—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California, to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin, to provide for the approval of veterinarians to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding, to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle, to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas, to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide

regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals, to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Senate Bill No. 539—An act requiring boards of supervisors to provide for the payment, to the owner of cattle slaughtered pursuant to law, of a sum representing the difference or part of the difference between the appraised value and salvage value of such slaughtered cattle, in cooperation with the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture, to provide for the appraisement of such slaughtered cattle in cooperation with the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture, to authorize boards of supervisors to levy a special tax on all taxable property to carry out the provisions of this act; to authorize boards of supervisors to establish a fund or funds for the purposes of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Senate Bill No. 329—An act to add a new chapter to part III, title V of the Political Code to be numbered VI, embracing sections 2330 to 2347, inclusive, relating to the State Department of Public Welfare and its powers and duties, and repealing an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Charities and Corrections, prescribing its duties and powers, and appropriating money therefor," approved March 25, 1903, as amended; and repealing an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and control by the State Board of Charities and Corrections of the placing of dependent children in homes and for the supervision of all societies or organizations engaged in such work and known as 'Children's Home-finding Societies'," approved April 24, 1911; and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, and institutions, boarding houses, and homes for the reception and care of children, by the State Board of Charities and Corrections, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1913, and repealing an act entitled "An act making it the duty of the State Board of Charities and Corrections to prescribe forms of record for the use of county hospitals and almshouses, county jails, and city prisons, and authorizing the board to furnish such records, and making the neglect or failure on the part of superintendents and jailors in charge thereof to keep such records a misdemeanor," approved June 11, 1915.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 538 read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Senate Bill No. 539 read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Senate Bill No. 329 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 317—An act to amend section 1222 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add two new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1223 and 1224, relating to contempts, defining the same, and providing for appeals.

Also: Senate Bill No. 283—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of marriage licenses;

Also Senate Bill No. 107—An act recognizing and declaring valid Tia Juana River Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings on formation and organization thereof;

Also Senate Bill No. 121—An act validating the formation, organization and proceedings of the Potter Valley Irrigation District under the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended;

Also. Senate Bill No. 94—An act to amend section 988 of the Penal Code, relating to proceedings upon arraignment in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 309—An act to amend sections 4149 and 4149*a* of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 4149*aa*, relating to county live stock inspectors;

Also: Senate Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and

to provide an appropriation therefor,' approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4a and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State; providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act."

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 317 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 283 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 107 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 121 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 94 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 309 read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Senate Bill No. 312 read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

I am sending you herewith, as supplemental to my message of yesterday, a copy of a telegram received from Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover in regard to the Colorado River Compact, and also a copy of a resolution in the form he approves.

Secretary Hoover represented the federal government in the original negotiations held at Santa Fe, New Mexico, and I hope his opinions will be given earnest attention.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

[TELEGRAM—COPY.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 3, 1925.

Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor of California, Sacramento, California.

Any reservation placed upon the renewed ratification of the compact will automatically necessitate the acceptance or acquiescence of all other five states now in process of ratification in the new form. It is my understanding that they will not accept any reservations because the upper states do not care how much storage is built in the lower basin if their water rights are protected. I am advised that they will not consent to make the security of their rights dependent upon some hypothetical action of the federal government in construction of engineering works which they can not control. I am advised that the feeling of many people in these states is that they have already sacrificed more of what they consider their rights to the lower basin than is justified and are not disposed to continue longer unless the settlement can be reached. I am convinced that unless we can secure ratification on present lines the whole compact will need to be abandoned and we will have another setback for five years in the development of the river, for no development will take place until the water rights of the northern states can be settled.

The long years of failure already behind us in the development of this river have been due to the unwillingness of the different groups to solve one problem at a time. At this time we are trying solely to settle the conflict of the upper and lower states over water rights, and nothing else. The reservation attempts to settle still further problems of the volume of storage to be provided, and although my sympathies are entirely for such a volume of storage and although I have no doubt that we shall be able to secure it, to import this idea in connection with the determination of water rights will entirely defeat the whole. The proposed reservation accomplishes nothing for California, as the storage question is one wholly for the federal government, and I have no fear of failure to secure the federal action as soon as the compact is settled. I can not too strongly recommend that California act in cooperation with the other five states without raising new issues which will

in no way intrinsically advance her own interest and which may greatly jeopardize the whole of them.

HERBERT HOOVER.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NO. ____.

RELATIVE TO APPROVING THE COLORADO RIVER COMPACT.

WHEREAS, The Legislatures of the States of California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming heretofore have approved the Colorado River Compact, signed by the Commissioners for said states and the State of Arizona, and approved by Herbert Hoover as a Representative of the United States of America, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, November 24th, 1922 (Chapter 17 of the Statutes of California, 1923,) and notice of the approval by the Legislature of each of said approving states has been given by the Governor to the Governors of the other signatory states, and to the President of the United States, as required by Article XI of said compact, now therefore,

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

SECTION 1. That the provisions of the first paragraph of Article XI of the Colorado River Compact, making said compact effective when it shall have been approved by the Legislature of each of the signatory states, are hereby waived and said compact shall become binding and obligatory upon the State of Wyoming, and upon the other signatory states which have ratified or may hereafter ratify it, whenever at least six of the signatory states shall have consented thereto and the Congress of the United States shall have given its consent and approval, provided, however, that this act shall be of no force and effect until a similar act or resolution shall have been passed or adopted by the Legislatures of the States of California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico and Utah.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

RECESS.

At ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m, the Speaker declared the Assembly at recess to allow Hon. W. H. Jordan, a former Speaker of the Assembly, to address the Assembly.

REASSEMBLED.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, renovated butter, and prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to restriction on transportation of butter from outside the State not produced in conformity with the "General Dairy Law of California".

Also: Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 16 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the licensing of persons handling dairy products and preventing artificial price fixing in connection therewith;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Hawes: Assembly Bill No. 1205—An act to amend section

1 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within the State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Easley: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State Prison at Folsom without cost to the State.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to prohibit the use of bid bonds in connection with the submission of bids to perform public works contracts in the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 1365 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to letters of administration, to whom granted, and the order in which they are granted.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30—Proposed amendment to article XII of the constitution, relative to election of the Railroad Commission.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER NINETEEN.

Assembly Bill No. 19—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Foster moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 9, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "fifty-four thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Fifty thousand two hundred and twenty dollars."

The question being on the motion to refer to Select Committee of One.

POINT OF ORDER.

During the debate, Mr. Schmidt arose to the following point of order: That Mr. Foster was not speaking to the question.

RULING OF SPEAKER.

The Speaker ruled that the point was not well taken.

The question being on the motion by Mr. Foster to refer to Select Committee of One.

Motion lost.

MOTION TO PRINT SPEECH.

Mr Cleveland moved that the speech delivered by Mr Foster, relative to his proposed amendment to Assembly Bill No. 19 be printed in the Journal

Motion lost.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 19 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cartei, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Horublower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—72.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 52 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill after the word "act" strike out the period and the quotation marks and the word "Approved" and insert in lieu thereof a comma, quotation marks and the word "approved".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "California Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

MOTION TO EXTEND HOUR OF RECESS.

Mr Eksward moved that the hour of recess be extended.

Motion carried.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following report of special committee was read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Your committee appointed to investigate the conduct of members and officers of the House in pursuance of a resolution adopted on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1925, respectfully reports as follows

The committee has exhausted every avenue of search and pursued every rumor possible, and has endeavored to ascertain the whole truth concerning the matters of the investigation. The newspapers of this State and the reporters handling the subject have materially aided the committee in its investigation, and the people of the State are indebted to these agencies for their assistance

The committee deems it advisable to submit to the House, as briefly as possible, those certain portions of the testimony most directly bearing upon the questions involved, in order that the House may be able to draw its own conclusions, rather than to depend upon recommendations of the committee

It is well to dismiss one proposition in advance, and that is the report concerning the action of Mr J. E Hood, the attorney of the State Board of Pharmacy, whose office is in Oakland Mr. Hood was unnecessarily brought into public light by a remark which seems to have been more than careless, and well nigh approaching the criminal, and in the detailed testimony hereinafter set forth this reference will more specifically appear. The only object in bringing in the name of Mr. Hood was that the person using his name might be the better enabled to exert pressure upon those interested in defeating Assembly Bill No. 440.

On the twenty-first day of January, 1925, Assemblyman Edward J. Smith introduced what is known as Assembly Bill No. 440, and which is entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of herbs, roots or other nature products used in the administering of sickness or treating diseases of a human being and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Thereafter some public notoriety was given to this bill and to its import, and the testimony of William R Brackett, a former member of this House, shows that he read an account of the bill in a newspaper He made some remark to the effect that it appeared to be a good bill calling for the employment of a lobbyist at

Sacramento in order to secure its defeat. The avowed purpose of Mr. Brackett in endeavoring to have himself engaged was not out of any public spirited feeling, but arose simply because he saw in it a fair field for the talent and remuneration of the lobbyist.

The bill directed itself against the use of herbs and roots and other products of nature either prohibitive or regulatory, and concerned mostly Chinese doctors engaged in this Oriental practice and who seems to have quite a large clientele in the State of California. He immediately repaired to the office of Fong Wan, an herb doctor in the city of Oakland. Out of the conversations between the two the charges against Assemblyman Smith seem solely to have sprung. There is a conflict as to these conversations. The following is taken verbatim from the stenographic report, and the whole of said testimony will be transcribed and made a part of the records of this body and accessible at all times to the public.

FROM TESTIMONY OF FONG WAN

A. I asked him (Brackett) what he do with that $5000.00. He said he divide it $2,500.00 for Smith and $1,000.00 for himself and $1,000.00 for Mr. Hurley and $500.00 for expenses.

FROM TESTIMONY OF WILLIAM R. BRACKETT.

Q. Did you, at any time, in conversation with Fong Wan, or the other Chinamen, mention any amount that was to go to Mr. Smith in connection with this bill? A. Absolutely not.

Q. Then when the Chinamen say you mentioned a certain amount as going to Mr. Smith, they are mistaken? A. Absolutely. They are telling an untruth.

Q. You made no mention of Mr. Smith or Mr. Hurley in connection with any amount? A. Absolutely no; at no time.

Q. Did you in any conversation with Fong Wan, or the other Chinamen mention Mr. Smith's associate in connection with the bill? A. Never at no time, no sir.

This is the only evidence against Assemblyman Edward J. Smith concerning the charges and intimations which have been made as to his motives in introducing the bill. It appears as a fact that Brackett and Smith were not acquainted and had never had any dealings. Upon the question of veracity between Fong Wan and Mr. Brackett, it is immaterial which one is speaking the truth so far as Assemblyman Smith is concerned. If Mr. Brackett was speaking the truth, Mr. Smith's name was not used, and hence was never used in connection with any of these reports. If Fong Wan's version is true, it amounts to hearsay, and would appear to have come from Bracket, speaking entirely for his own interest and using all of the pressure and argument in aid thereof, wholly unacquainted with Assemblyman Smith and without authority of any kind or character to speak for Mr. Smith.

The committee therefore acquits Assemblyman Edward J. Smith of any of the charges or insinuations made against him, and of any misconduct in the matter.

It is brought to the attention of the committee that the character of Assembly Bill 440 is such that an immediate presumption arises to the effect that such bills are not introduced in good faith, and that they are commonly styled "cinch bills". In this connection we desire to impress upon the members of the Legislature, and, we hope, upon others who may be members of future legislatures, that such bills call for the peculiar activities of the lobbyist, and are often introduced for the mere purpose that some money shall be made, and that corruption may follow. A bill of this character should have been first endorsed by some government agency having the administration of justice concerning the regulation of the sale of the drugs mentioned in the bill, and should have the support of the police force of the city wherein the member resided, or of some such authority, in order that when introduced it might import good faith. We do not offer this in condemnation of any motives in introducing this particular bill, but as a general observation concerning the future.

We find, that after this bill had been introduced, it became a matter of great concern among the Chinese, and there seems to have been a concerted action on their part to defeat it. T. Wah Hing, a Chinese merchant residing in Sacramento, came to the Sergeant-at-Arms' room in the Assembly on the sixth day of February, 1925, and asked Charles Wilkinson, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly, for a copy of Assembly Bill No. 440. Wilkinson secured several copies and gave six to T. Wah Hing, putting others in his desk. The Chinaman reappeared the following day for more copies and Mr. Wilkinson reached in his desk and gave them to him. The Chinaman announced that he wanted Wilkinson to call up Assemblyman Smith on the telephone, and to ask him to come to Sacramento, as he, the said Chinaman, wanted to consult him about Assembly Bill No. 440, and that the Chinaman was to pay the expenses of the trip amounting to thirty ($30) dollars. Wilkinson finally got into telephonic communication with Assemblyman Smith and the latter was to come up on the following Monday. Later Smith called up Wilkinson and informed him that he would not keep the appointment, that if the Chinaman desired to see him he could come down to Oakland and consult him at his office.

The Chinaman told Wilkinson that he wanted to get two stenographers to assist in preparing for the fight to be made against the bill, and Wilkinson afterwards sent down two stenographers who were engaged by the Chinaman at five ($5) dollars a day. The Chinaman advanced Wilkinson twenty ($20) dollars for the purpose of meeting immediate expenses in the way of stamps and stationery and Wilkinson gave this twenty ($20) dollars to one of the stenographers, who expended it as suggested.

In assisting the Chinaman in these matters, Wilkinson was contributing to the preparations being made to defeat the bill whether intentionally or not.

We find that Mr. Wilkinson, afterwards and on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1925 made a statement to the District Attorney of Alameda County, in an investigation had by the county authorities of that county in the matter of these charges, which said statement contained the following: Mr. Wilkinson was asked if he knew who the Chinaman was. He stated "that he did not that he did not know what his name was; that he did not know where he lived, or where his place of business was located or situated, that he had never seen him at any place other than the Capitol Building and the Hotel Senator." Upon being asked by the committee as to why he had given this statement to Mr. Warren instead of saying that he did know who the Chinaman was, he replied as an excuse that "he would do anything to keep a member of the Legislature out of trouble, that he didn't want to stir up a stink."

We find that the Chief Clerk of the House, Arthur A. Ohnimus and Assemblyman Smith had been, during a prior session of the Legislature, particular friends and associates, and that this relation continued up to the time we are about to speak of.

On the eleventh or twelfth of February 1925 Mr. Ohnimus and Mr. Wilkinson left Sacramento at three o'clock a.m., going by way of Stockton to San Francisco, in Mr. Ohnimus' car. On reaching Oakland Mr. Ohnimus made a statement that he desired to stop and see "Eddie" Smith, meaning Assemblyman Smith. Arriving at the residence Mr. Ohnimus went into the house leaving Wilkinson in the car; Ohnimus stated to the committee that Mr. Wilkinson was too sleepy to make the effort to get out, while Mr. Wilkinson's version was that he did not go in because it was raining and he did not want to get wet.

Assemblyman Smith seems to have been in bed and was awakened by his mother-in-law and finally came into the room where Mr. Ohnimus was waiting for him. According to the testimony of Mr. Ohnimus they talked of casual matters until the conversation was directed to Assembly Bill 440. The committee will give briefly, and in substance the two versions of said conversation, one as detailed by Mr. Ohnimus and the other as detailed by Mr. Smith.

FROM TESTIMONY OF MR. OHNIMUS.

A. Eddie came in * * * I said, "I understand Eddie, there is some money on that bill of yours." And then Eddie said, "Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! you are about the third or fourth fellow to speak to me on that bill." And then there was some other remark passed. I don't recall just exactly what, and then I immediately said, "My God, Eddie, you don't think for one second I am propositioning you on this bill, do you?" He said, "I do think it kind of queer you are coming in at this hour of the morning." I said, 'Eddie Smith, for God's sake, you don't think that of me, you above all the people in the world, just because I come here at this hour of the morning to see you?" So Eddie Smith just laughed. I imagine that kind of registered with him.

FROM TESTIMONY OF MR. SMITH.

A. My recollection of the conversation was as follows. Mr. Ohnimus spoke of this bill and said, "I know where there is $500 if you lay off of that bill." I laughed at him and said, "Art, if I wanted to make money on that bill I could get $5000, if I wanted to take money, but I am not taking a dime. That bill has merit. I believe in it and I am going to put it through, and you just watch me move it over * * * After I got finished explaining that I could make money if I wanted to make money, he said something about, "You don't think I am trying to approach you?" I said, "Well, Art, it don't look very good coming here at this time of the morning."

It appears, both from the testimony of Mr. Ohnimus and Mr. Wilkinson, that no mention was made during their trip from Sacramento to Oakland concerning Assembly Bill 440, nor in relation to any other legislative matter or proposed legislation. It is for the House to say whether this silence concerning the bill was maintained during the trip, and to judge of the significance to be given to this testimony.

It appears, upon the re-assembling of the Legislature on the twenty-fourth of February, 1925, Mr. Smith apologized to Mr. Ohnimus for what he had said; that Mr. Ohnimus understood this apology as an expression on the part of Mr. Smith, that he, Smith, was mistaken as to the conversation. In the evidence given before the Committee, in explanation of this, Mr. Smith says.

FROM TESTIMONY OF MR. SMITH.

Q. Would you say today that an offer was made to you to kill that bill for $500 or any other sum of money? A. Well, Mr. Wright, I am not prepared to say that

today, no. I will say this that the construction that I placed upon the language on the day in which Mr. Ohnimus was there I interpreted as such; since then I have had plenty of time to reflect and if I had considered when I came to Sacramento that that was put in the way of an offer I would not have gone to Mr. Ohnimus for the purpose of apologizing.

Q. Then from the time that Mr. Ohnimus called on you, approximately the twelfth of February, until the time when you came up here at the opening of the second session, you believed that the offer had been made to you of remuneration to kill the bill through Mr Ohnimus? A. Yes, I believed it.

Q. You believed it? A. I believed it. My belief may have been mistaken.

Q. What caused you to change that belief? A. Well, as time went on I began to consider that possibly I was hasty * * * as a matter of fact, I talked about that and repeated it, as I said, to seven or eight people, at least. After the expiration of about two or three days it gradually began to drift from my mind; I paid no more attention to it. I came to Sacramento and the first thing I did was to go to Arthur, and apologized.

Q. Is it possible that he actually did make some offer and that in your anger at the time you and he had some words and that afterwards, realizing the seriousness of this whole thing, not only he backed up, but you backed up on the proposition? A. No, I won't say that, Mr. Wright I won't say that. I will say, it is possible that the offer was made and it is true I became angry Whether I was justified in becoming angry or not is for this committee to determine or for anybody else to determine.

Q. Then you would say at this date it is possible that the offer was made? A. It is possible. But I will say this that before he left the house he had assured me that such was not his intention; that he had no idea of making any offer.

Q. Yet he said, "You are foolish not to take the $5000" in the conversation. A. Something to that effect, Mr Wright

Q. It certainly looks like he was presenting some kind of an offer, doesn't it, if during the conversation he said, "You are foolish not to take the $5000?" A. Well, I won't say that he said, "You are foolish if you don't take the $5000." He said, "You are foolish if you don't take it," but it was after I had made the statement I was able to get $5000

Q. Foolish not to take some money? A Foolish not to take it.

Q. Foolish not to take it? A Yes

Q. (By Chairman Graves): You are clear on that? A. Yes * * * Let me say this to the members of the committee I have made a very serious statement here, I am in a measure sorry that I had to do it.

Q What statement do you mean, the one you just made to me? A. Yes, about in any way bringing Arthur into the situation.

It is impossible for the committee to reconcile the differences in the two statements given by Mr Ohnimus and Mr. Smith, nor can they be reconciled There is sufficient in the testimony concerning the actions of the two elective officers of the House, the Chief Clerk and the Sergeant-at-Arms, to call attention to their unwarranted activities concerning the defeat of this measure. These activities are calculated to bring, and have brought upon the House the odium in the public mind that its members are disregardful of their own conduct and of the conduct of their officers. Such conduct is not to be indulged in in a light or frivolous manner, and the excuses that such matters were referred to by the officers of the House in jest is entirely reprehensible Every reference by an officer of the House, characterizing any bill as a "cinch bill", or introduced for cinch purposes, is reflecting upon the member of the House who introduces it, and it also reflects upon the system of government which countenances it. If any officer of the House knows, or has reason to suspect anything, concerning a bill of this character, it is his duty to impart such knowledge to the Speaker of the House; to treat it otherwise is to show utter disregard of the gravity of such a situation.

The two officers of the House involved, are deserving of the severest condemnation for their conduct, and it is immaterial whether that conduct reaches into a zone of corruption, or whether it is indulged in out of a disregard of the very highest ideals which should actuate their conduct.

This committee, as solemnly as language can possibly impart, and as severely as judgment is capable, condemns the two officers of the House in their conduct in this matter, whatever their motives may have been.

Respectfully submitted

GRAVES, Chairman.
WRIGHT.
JONES.
CLEVELAND
COOMBS.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED)

Assembly Bill No 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act."

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, following line 2 of the printed bill, insert the following

"Sec 6 *Food and liquor* shall be deemed mislabeled or misbranded within the meaning of this act in any of the following cases:

First. If it be an imitation of or offered for sale under the distinctive name of another article of food.

Second. If it be labeled or branded or colored so as to deceive or mislead, or tend to deceive or mislead the purchaser, or if it be falsely labeled in any respect, or if it purport to be a foreign product tending to mislead the purchaser, or purport to be a foreign product when not so, or if the contents of the package as originally put up shall have been removed, in whole or in part, and other contents shall have been placed in such package.

Third If in package form, and the contents are stated in terms of weight or measure, they are not plainly and correctly stated on the outside of the package.

Fourth It the package containing it or its label shall bear any statement, design or device regarding the ingredients or the substance contained therein, which statement, design or device shall be false or misleading in any particular.

Fifth When any package bears the name of the manufacturers, jobbers or sellers, or the grade or the class of the product, it must bear the name of the real manufacturers, jobbers or sellers and the true grade or class of the product, the same to be expressed in clear and distinct English words in legible type; *provided*, that an article of food shall not be deemed misbranded, if it be a well-known food product of a nature, quality and appearance, and so exposed to public inspection as not to deceive or mislead nor tend to deceive or mislead a purchaser, and not misbranded and not of the character included within the definitions one to four of this section.

Sixth If having no label, it is an imitation or adulteration, or is sold or offered for sale under a name, designation, description or representation which is false or misleading in any particular whatever."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulating and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "that".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, change the word "that" to "which".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, at the end of line 13 of the printed bill, add the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "egg" strike out the remainder of line 15 and all of lines 16 and 17 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "in which mold has developed inside the shell".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, change the word "mold" to "molds".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, following the word "Appearance" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: "before the candle."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, following the word "egg" strike out the remainder of line 1 and all of line 2 and insert the following in lieu thereof: "which contains blood."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, following line 13, of the printed bill, add a new paragraph to be lettered paragraph "j" as follows: "(j) "eggs" mean: (1) eggs in the shell; (2) *liquid, frozen or dried whole egg meats, whites of eggs or egg yolks.*"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California", to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 3 to 14, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 2. There is hereby constituted a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California", hereinafter designated as the state bar, which shall have perpetual succession and a seal and may sue and be sued, and which may, for the purpose of carrying into effect and promoting the objects of said corporation, enter into contracts and acquire, hold, encumber, dispose of and deal in and with real and personal property. The term of existence and the powers of said corporation may be changed or terminated at any time by an act of the legislature of the State of California.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill strike out lines 17 to 19, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 4. Members of the state bar shall be divided into two classes, namely, active members and inactive, or retired, members.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, line 11, after the word "to" strike out the words "vote for officers" and insert in lieu thereof "hold office or vote".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 16 to 28, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 9. There is hereby constituted a board of governors of the state bar, which shall consist of one (1) member elected from each congressional district of the State of California, and four (4) members elected from the state at large, who shall hold office for the period of one year and until their successors are elected and qualify: *provided, however*, that where a county or city and county contains more than one congressional district each member residing within such county or city and county may vote for and elect from residents of said county or city and county as many members of the board of governors as there are congressional districts within such county or city and county.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 38 to 42, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 12. Upon this act becoming effective, four members of the first board of governors shall be appointed by the chief justice of the supreme court of the State of California from among those qualified for active membership in the state bar.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 4 to 15, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 15. Nominations for governors shall be by petition signed by at least twenty members entitled to vote for such nominees. The election shall be by ballot. The ballots shall be mailed to those entitled to vote at least thirty days prior to the date of canvassing the ballots and shall be returned by mail, and the ballots shall be canvassed at the ensuing annual meeting. In other respects the election shall be as the board of governors may by rule direct. Only active members of the State bar residing in the respective districts or in a county or city and county, as in section 9 provided, shall be entitled to vote for the governor or governors therefrom. All active members of the State bar irrespective of their places of residence may vote for candidates for governors at large.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 9 to 25, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 26. The board of governors shall have power, after a hearing for any of the causes set forth in the laws of the State of California warranting disbarment or suspension, to disbar members or to discipline them by reproval, public or private, or by suspension from practice, and the board shall have power to pass upon all petitions for reinstatement. The board of governors shall keep a transcript of the evidence and proceedings in all matters involving disbarment or suspension and shall make findings of fact and a decision thereon. Upon the making of any decision resulting in disbarment or suspension from practice said board shall immediately file a certified copy of said decision, together with said transcript and findings, with the clerk of the Supreme Court. Any person so disbarred or suspended may, within sixty days after the filing of said certified copy of said decision, petition said Supreme Court to review said decision or to reverse or modify the same, and upon such review the burden shall be upon the petitioner to show wherein such decision is erroneous or unlawful. When sixty days shall have elapsed after the filing of said certified copy, if no petition for review shall have been filed, the Supreme Court shall make its order striking the name of such person from the roll of attorneys or suspending him for the period mentioned in said decision. If, upon review, the decision of said board of governors be affirmed, then said court shall forthwith make said order striking said name from the rolls or of suspension. The board shall have power to appoint one or more committees to take evidence and make findings on behalf of the board, or to take evidence on behalf of the board and forward the same to the board with a recommendation for action by the board. Nothing in this act contained shall be construed as limiting or altering the powers of the courts of this State to disbar or discipline members of the bar as this power at present exists.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out lines 10 to 16, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SEC. 46. Any member, active or inactive, failing to pay any fees after the same become due, and after two months written notice of his delinquency, must be suspended from membership in the State bar, but may be reinstated upon the payment of accrued fees and such penalties as may be imposed by the board of governors, not exceeding double the amount of delinquent dues. All fees shall be paid into the treasury of the State bar, and, when so paid, shall become part of its funds.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 158—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. W. Levers against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 2, of section 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Eight thousand nine hundred dollars and twenty-seven cents" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "Nine thousand one hundred six dollars".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Relating to records of service in the army.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9 read.

The question being on the adoption of resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9.

Relating to records of service in the army.

WHEREAS, Certain original records of service of men in the reserve officers training camps and the regular army have been destroyed by fire and by other means; and

WHEREAS, It is now impossible to establish the service of the persons whose records have been so destroyed; and

WHEREAS, It is highly important that such service records be established before the knowledge of such service shall have been lost, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the State of California, jointly, That Congress be urgently petitioned to provide a means by which the service records of persons in the military service of the United States, which have been destroyed, can be reestablished by hearings, affidavits or some other means; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is directed to forward copies of these resolutions to the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Senators and Representatives of the State of California in Congress.

Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 173 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 390 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 19 of 15 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 375 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 183—An act to amend "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department, and to assess and collect taxes, from time to time, for such purposes, and to create a Board of Fire Commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, by the addition thereto of a new section to be numbered 24½, providing for the annexation of unincorporated territory to a fire district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 183 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 1027 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 838 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson R. J., Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Homer R. Spence, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to penalty for the purchase or sale of fraudulent credentials.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 512 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 510—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June

2, 1913 as amended, said amendments adding subdivisions first *a*, fifth *a*, fifth *b*, and fifth *c*, setting forth additional causes for revocation of licenses or certificates issued hereunder.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 510 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 511—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 511 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 814—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, relating to county health authorities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 814 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to

mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 827 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noves, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 826 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 828 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and thirty-five minutes, p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. Foster asked for and was granted leave of absence for Saturday, March 7, 1925.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates;

Also Assembly Bill No. 284—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI inclusive of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other States;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 591—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act relating to estrays, providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs, and expenses incurred by reason of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended relating to estrays;

Also Assembly Bill No 947—An act to amend section 2639 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors over roads and highways of the county;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "California Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No 23—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 536*b*, relating to false statements of grades of lumber and building materials;

Also Assembly Bill No 321—An act amending sections 378 and 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, 379*b*, 379*c*, and 391, all relating to the joinder of parties to actions,

Also Assembly Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien;

Also Assembly Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1590 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Also Assembly Bill No 1001—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the State Highway Commission for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the county of Los Angeles in said State upon certain trusts and conditions

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 14—Relative to the planting of trees in memory of Clara Barton—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Concurrent Resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 373—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties, and upon property and rights of way owned by counties, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds" approved June 3, 1921, by amending the title thereof and by adding two sections thereto to be numbered sections 5 and 6, relating to powers and duties of boards of supervisors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation as amended

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1183*a*, 1183*b*, and 1183*c* and to amend sections 1184, 1184*a*, and 1184*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to securing the payment of claims of materialmen, laborers, contractors and subcontractors upon contracts awarded by boards, commissions or officers of the State or any political subdivision thereof and by private individuals—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 42—An act to amend section 737*c* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the counties of San Francisco, Los Angeles and Alameda—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to add a new section to be numbered 52*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by public utilities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 427—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission Fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 162—An act appropriating money for expenditure as directed by the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California in aiding the Department of Interior of the United States in stream gaging work in the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths, the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration, and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the officers of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 15, 1915, as amended,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering, providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for professional engineers, granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act—has

had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 515 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compiling, printing, and distributing constitutional amendments for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365c of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365d, 365e, 365f, 365g, 365h, 365i, 365j, 365k, 365l, 365m, 365n, 365o and 365p to the said code, all relating to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the confinement, care and reformation of delinquent women, to provide for its maintenance, conduct and government, to provide for commitment and admission thereto, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved May 3, 1913, relating to deposit of moneys;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 501—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons, to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems, to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds

and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the director of the department of agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as "Johnson Grass," approved March 20, 1903, together with all amendments thereto, and repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the twelfth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 106—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway, providing for the acquiring of rights of way and construction of bridges on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 969—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No 970—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Also Assembly Bill No 730—An act to amend sections 852*a* and 881 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections for and adoption of the commission form of government, and relating to the compensation of officers of municipalities,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1913, as amended relating to

assessment and collection of taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses;

Also Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 43—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the Supreme Court and district courts of appeal—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 495—An act to protect poultry from contagious and infectious diseases and to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 300—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in Controller's office—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act recognizing and declaring valid the Vandalia Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings for the formation of said district;

Also Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to recognize and declare valid the Littlerock Midland Irrigation District, and all proceedings in relation thereto and to the organization thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in and relative to the organization of Lucerne Irrigation District.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 149—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (Ribes Nigrum), a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Also. Senate Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 687 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to issuance of executions.

Also: Senate Bill No. 676—An act to prevent the fraudulent operation of slot machine or coin receptacles, or making or furnishing devices to defraud owners of same, and prescribing penalties for a violation hereof.

Also: Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1374 of the Penal Code, relating to expenses of persons committed to State hospitals.

Also: Senate Bill No. 226—An act to provide for the dedication by the State Board of Control to the use of the public for highway purposes of a strip of land 40 feet wide and approximately 1150 feet long, more particularly described hereinafter, and being a portion of the property vested in the Directors of State Insane Asylums of the State of California located in the City of Stockton (now known as the Stockton State Hospital), and adjoining a portion of North California street, a public highway in the city of Stockton, county of San Joaquin, State of California

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 149 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No. 92 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 676 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 382 read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Senate Bill No. 226 read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Burns:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes; prohibiting the use of second hand boxes for packing such pastes, prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation, compounding, packing, selling, or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored alimentary pastes, vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to regulate containers for drugs.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Dodge:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, Southern Branch property on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Mitchell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 5, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein, requiring the materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled, and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, relating to disinfection of materials.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m, Saturday, March 7, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Saturday, March 7, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—40.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

There being no quorum present, Mr. Eksward moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names.

Adams, Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Heisinger,

Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—40.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and ten minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward.

The roll of absentees was called, and a quorum was declared to be present by the following vote:

Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—48.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Berkeley B. Blake, of the Unitarian Church, of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr Jacobson, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Cleveland, Mr. Dayton was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Weller, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Mixter, Mr. Johnson was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. McPherson, Mr. Coombs was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. McPherson, Mr. Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Messrs. Mitchell, Weller, Levey, Fry, Rosenshine, Hornblower and Reindollar were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Badham, the following members of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation: Messrs. Scofield, McPherson, Brock, Morrison, Walters, Carter, Miller, J. A., Oliva, and Hartranft, were granted leave of absence for the day.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Sewell moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 54—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 635*m*, relating to the conditions upon which surety companies may transact business in this State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 57—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 596*c*, relating to the failure of insurance companies to discharge their contracts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to amend section 4531 of the Civil Code, relating to filing of annual statements with Insurance Commissioner by assessment corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to amend section 424 of the Civil Code, relating to the capital stock of fire and marine insurance corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 47—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 453*g*, relating to mutual life or mutual casualty corporations, societies or associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 453*i* of the Civil Code, specifying conditions to be complied with by foreign life, health, accident and annuity or endowment associations desiring to transact business in this State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 210—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to acknowledgments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 646—An act to amend section 689*b*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to selling personal property under execution;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the Supreme Court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 927*q*, relating to judgment in small claims courts.

Also Assembly Bill No 980—An act to amend section 204*e* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the secretary of superior judges as jury commissioner. Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to disqualification of judges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to employment conditions and hours of labor of females.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919 by amending section 4 thereof, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to provide additional penalties for failures to pay monthly or semimonthly as in

section 2 of the said act provided and providing for the collection of the civil penalties provided by civil action by the said commissioner

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4284" add the following

"In counties of the fifty-fifth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit

1. The county clerk, two thousand dollars per annum

2 The sheriff, three thousand dollars per annum.

3. The recorder, one thousand dollars per annum.

4 The auditor, one thousand dollars per annum

5. The treasurer, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that all fees and commissions now allowed by law or which may hereafter be allowed by law to said treasurer by virtue of the said office shall be paid into the county treasury.

6. The tax collector, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum

7. The assessor, three thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that all commissions and fees now allowed by law or which may hereafter be allowed by law to the said assessor on the collection of personal property taxes, road and hospital taxes, shall be paid into the county treasury.

8. The district attorney, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11 The superintendent of schools, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum which said sum of one thousand two hundred dollars shall also be in full payment of the services of such superintendent of schools upon the board of education.

12. The surveyor, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

13 In counties of this class the justices of the peace shall receive the following compensation, to wit

(*a*) In townships having a population of one thousand or over, twenty dollars per month;

(*b*) In townships having a population of less than one thousand, ten dollars per month, *provided, however*, that the justice of the peace residing at the county seat shall receive twenty dollars per month, even when presiding as justice of the peace in townships having less than a population of one thousand

The above named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace in criminal and civil cases, and when acting as coroner said justices of the peace shall be allowed and paid actual expenses, which expenses shall be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors and paid out of the county treasury. The above compensation shall be in lieu of all other fees received for services and said fees shall be accounted for to the auditor and paid into the county treasury

The salaries of justices of the peace as herein provided for shall be paid in the same manner, at the same time, and out of the same funds as county officers are paid.

For the purposes of this subdivision the population of the several judicial townships is hereby determined to be the population of said townships as shown by the federal census taken in the year A. D. nineteen hundred ten

14. In counties of this class the constables shall receive the following compensation, to wit

(*a*) In townships having a population of one thousand or over, twenty dollars per month,

(*b*) In townships having a population of less than one thousand, ten dollars per month, together with such fees as may be now or hereafter allowed for mileage for serving papers.

The salaries of the constables as herein provided for shall be paid in the same manner, at the same time, and out of the same funds as county officers are paid.

15. Each member of the board of supervisors, nine hundred dollars per annum, mileage from residence to county seat at each sitting of the board, twenty cents per mile.

16. The fees of grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior courts of counties of this class, in civil and criminal cases, shall be three dollars, in lawful money of the United States, for each day's attendance, and mileage to be computed at the rate of twenty-five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in attending court, in going only. In criminal cases such fees and mileage of said jurors in the superior court shall be paid by the treasurer of the county out of the general fund of said county upon warrants drawn by the county auditor upon the written order of the judge of the court in which said juror was in attendance, and the treasurer of said county shall pay said warrants.

The board of supervisors of said county is hereby directed to make suitable appropriations for the payment of the fees herein provided for."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "a deputy" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one deputy, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, and one deputy, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, strike out line 20 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "per month".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 24 to 27, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1, 2, and 3.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "county officers are paid".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "criminal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "business" and add the following: "of the county or state relating to crimes."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "amounts" add the word "found".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "annum" and add the following: "and *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and hereby is allowed to the district attorney, one deputy, to be appointed by him, who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, said salary to be paid by said county in equal installments at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of the district attorney is paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars" insert the following: "per annum."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "for the period beginning with the date upon which".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 16 to 25, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or as" following the word "officio" and insert in lieu thereof the word "road".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, strike out lines 50 to 52, inclusive, of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 12, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 4, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "19" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "18".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 49 to 52, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1, 2, and 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "per annum. He shall have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, to be appointed by the tax collector, and one deputy to be appointed by the tax collector for the months of April, August, September, October and November, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 17 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"The county clerk shall also be allowed one copyist at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and one copyist during each even numbered year at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, said deputies and copyists to be appointed by the county clerk."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the words "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "six hundred eighty" and insert in lieu thereof "eight hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 40 to 43, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Also a stenographer at a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum; said deputies and stenographer to be appointed by the district attorney".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, in counties of the thirtieth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 14 to 18, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 34 to 38, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 41 to 45, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "deputies" and insert in lieu thereof the word "deputy".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "paid" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon, and add the following: "*provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the auditor such additional assistants as may be required and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed one thousand two hundred dollars in any one fiscal year.

It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in the compensation for the services required by the auditor by law, or by virtue of his office, and it is intended hereby that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 5 to 9, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" add the following: "two hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "year" add the following: "It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in the compensation for the services required by the tax collector by law, or by virtue of his office, and it is intended hereby that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 34 to 38, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 12 to 17, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 41, of the printed bill, after the word "seventeen" add the word "hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 6, strike out lines 8 to 23, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 6, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "18" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "17".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 6, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "19" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "18".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to authorize the counties of the State of California to establish retirement salary systems for their employees," approved May 20, 1919, to be numbered 2½, relating to dissolution of such systems and powers of the board of supervisors with reference thereto.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Insert after second comma of line 4 of the title "as amended June 3, 1921,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In section 1, line 4, of the printed bill, insert after the word "1919," "as amended June 3, 1921,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing joint insurance policies.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title, after the word "guaranteeing" strike out the word "joint" and insert the word "combination".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 9, strike out the letters "ad" and in line 10 the words "mitted to", and insert in lieu thereof the following "or companies authorized to do business in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out everything in line 10 after the word "underwriter's", all of lines 11 to 15 inclusive, and all of line 16 to and including the word "the" after the word

"show" and insert in lieu thereof the following "policy under a name or title approved by and registered with the insurance commissioner of this state. Such company or companies proposing to issue an underwriter's policy or any policy under a name differing from that of the insuring company or companies, must first file the name or title under which said policy is to be issued with the insurance commissioner and pay a registration fee of ten dollars, providing that said name or title shall not be similar to that of, or used by, any other company or companies authorized to do business in this state. Such underwriter's policy must clearly show the names of the companies guaranteeing the same, the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 18 of the printed bill, after the word "each" insert the words "insurer therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

After the period in line 18, add the following: "Any person, corporation or association violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, workmen's compensation insurance carriers and self insurers, classification of risks and premium rates relative thereto.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend title by inserting after the comma following the word "code", the words "relating to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

After the colon following the word "follows", insert the following.

SEC. 1. Sec. 602*b* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

Classification of risks and premium rates to be filed. Powers of insurance commissioner. Insurance at less than state rate On or before September 1, 1915, the state compensation insurance fund and every corporation, mutual company, association, inter-insurance exchange or other insurance carrier licensed to transact business in this state, which insures employers or employees, "including insurance of self-insurers of all or any part of their liability to their employees", under the workmen's compensation, insurance and safety act, chapter 176, Laws of 1913, shall file with the state insurance commissioner its classification of risks and premium rates relating thereto with its system of schedule rating (or merit rating, so called) if any. The state insurance commissioner shall then hold a hearing to determine upon a uniform classification of risks and premium rates relating thereto and, in his discretion, a uniform system of schedule rating (or merit rating, so called).

On or before October 1, 1915, the state insurance commissioner shall approve or issue, as adequate for all insurance carriers authorized by law or licensed to transact compensation insurance business in this state, a uniform classification of risks and premium rates relating thereto, and may, in his discretion, approve or issue a system of schedule rating (or merit rating, so called), which shall be a uniform system of schedule rating (or merit rating, so called) for all insurance carriers Such premium rates or system of schedule rating (or merit rating, so called) shall take no account of any physical impairment of employees or the extent to which employees may have persons dependent upon them for support.

The state insurance commissioner may subsequently approve or issue a uniform system of schedule rating (or merit rating, so called) for all insurance carriers, or may modify or change any such system previously approved or issued after holding a hearing to determine its effect upon the adequacy or inadequacy of rates, and may approve or issue additional uniform rates and classifications or uniform changes in rates and classifications after holding hearings to determine upon the adequacy or inadequacy of such additions or changes.

On or after October 1, 1915, no insurance carrier may issue, renew or carry beyond anniversary date insurance for employers or employees, "including insurance of self-insurers of all or any part of their liability to their employees", under the workmen's compensation, insurance and safety act at premium rates which are less than the rates previously approved or issued by the state insurance commissioner for all insurance carriers as adequate for the risks to which they respectively apply; *provided, however,* if the state insurance commissioner shall have previously approved or issued a uniform system of schedule rating (or merit

rating, so called), insurance carriers may apply the same to any risks subject thereto, but basis rates no less than the rates previously approved or issued by the state insurance commissioner and any reductions therefrom on account of the application of such system of schedule rating (or merit rating, so called) shall be clearly set forth in the insurance contracts or indorsements attached thereto.

Nothing in this section shall affect the right of any insurance carrier to issue compensation participating policies, *provided, however*, that no refund by reason of such participating provision may be made to policy holders by any insurance carrier except from surplus accumulated from premiums on compensation insurance policies insuring employers or employees under the workmen's compensation, insurance and safety act of this state

The statistical and actuarial data compiled by the industrial accident commission and the state compensation insurance fund shall at all times be available to the state insurance commissioner for his use in judging the adequacy or inadequacy of rates and schedules filed, and it shall be the duty of the manager of the state compensation insurance fund, or other officers of the state compensation insurance fund who may be designated for such duty by the industrial accident commission, to render all possible assistance to the state insurance commissioner in carrying out the provisions of this section

The state insurance commissioner may require every insurance carrier which insures employers or employees, "including insurance of self-insurers of all or any part of their liability to their employees", under the workmen's compensation, insurance and safety act, to file with its annual statement a sworn report of its loss experience in such detail and form as may be prescribed by the state insurance commissioner

The state insurance commissioner shall have power, after hearing, to suspend or revoke the certificate of authority of any insurance carrier to write liability insurance for violating any of the provisions hereof, and any insurance broker, or agent, or employee of any insurance carrier, who violates any provision of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 453*f* of the Civil Code, relating to the guarantee fund and investments of title insurance corporations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 51—An act to amend section 631*a* of the Political Code, relating to the publication of notice of withdrawal of insurance companies from this State.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 184—An act to validate the organization and incorporation of municipal corporations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and inclusion thereof, within municipal corporations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 204—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3244*a*, relating to hours of labor of employees and guards at the State prisons

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figures "3244*a*", and strike out all of lines 5, 6, 7, and 8 of the printed bill, inserting in lieu thereof the following

"The employees and guards at the several state prisons or branches thereof shall work not to exceed fifty-four hours in any one week, and fifty-four hours of labor

shall constitute a week's work therein, and all such employees and guards shall be entitled to one day's rest in each week without any diminution in their salary or compensation, *provided*, that such limitation as to hours of labor and day of rest shall not apply while such employees or guards are actually engaged in the pursuit of an escaped prisoner or in quelling a riot."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 1071—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 12 of the printed bill, after the period, insert the following

The state board of prison directors is authorized and empowered to adopt rules and regulations of the sale of jute goods, but such rules and regulations, before they become effective, shall be approved by a majority of the state board of control The state board of prison directors shall in the month of January of each year, and from time to time thereafter, fix the price for the sale of jute bags, and give notice of the same, for at least ten days in at least four newspapers of general circulation, printed and published as follows, to wit One in the city and county of San Francisco, one in the San Joaquin valley, one in the Salinas valley, one in the Sacramento valley.

Section 2. The board of prison directors shall prescribe the form in which orders for jute bags shall be filed and may require that such order shall be accompanied by an affidavit setting forth the name, residence, postoffice addresses and occupation of the applicant, that the amount of goods contained in the order is

for the applicant's individual and personal use, and that he has not contracted for or agreed to contract for the sale of any portion thereof to any person or persons whatsoever. Said affidavit shall be subscribed and sworn to before a notary public, justice of the peace, or other officer authorized to administer oaths.

Section 3. Any person who shall falsely or fraudulently make such affidavit, or who shall falsely or fraudulently procure jute bags under the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be fined not less than two hundred dollars

Section 4. The board of prison directors shall keep at the San Quentin Prison a book for public inspection, in which shall be entered the number of jute bags, the amount of jute goods manufactured each year, and also the name of each purchaser, his postoffice address, his occupation, the number of jute bags or jute goods purchased by him, and the price paid by him therefor, and the date of sale, and the place to which shipment is made.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code 58 new sections, to be numbered 2322*x*1, 2322*x*2, 2322*x*3, 2322*x*4, 2322*x*5, 2322*x*6, 2322*x*7, 2322*x*8, 2322*x*9, 2322*x*10, 2322*x*11, 2322*x*12, 2322*x*13, 2322*x*14, 2322*x*15, 2322*x*16, 2322*x*17, 2322*x*18 2322*x*19, 2322*x*20, 2322*x*21, 2322*x*22, 2322*x*23, 2322*x*24, 2322*x*25, 2322*x*26, 2322*x*27, 2322*x*28, 2322*x*29, 2322*x*30, 2322*x*31, 2322*x*32, 2322*x*33, 2322*x*34, 2322*x*35, 2322*x*36, 2322*x*37, 2322*x*38, 2322*x*39, 2322*x*40, 2322*x*41, 2322*x*42, 2322*x*43, 2322*x*44, 2322*x*45, 2322*x*46, 2322*x*47, 2322*x*48, 2322*x*49, 2322*x*50, 2322*x*51, 2322*x*52, 2322*x*53, 2322*x*54, 2322*x*55, 2322*x*56, 2322*x*57, and 2322*x*58, relating to county horticultural commissioners.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 15 of the printed bill, strike out beginning with line 24 to line 42, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

(*a*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed four (4) inspectors at a monthly salary of one hundred fifty dollars each during the time actually employed; four inspectors at a monthly salary not to exceed one hundred thirty dollars each during the time actually employed, and two inspectors at a monthly salary not to exceed one hundred ten dollars each during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for all such inspectors shall not exceed sixteen thousand eighty dollars.

(*b*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint one clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for all such clerks shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

(*a*) On page 11, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word employed and add the words "one of whom may act as clerk,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 8, lines 46, 47, 48 and 49, of the printed bill, strike out the words, "six dollars per diem during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for all such deputies shall not exceed three thousand six hundred dollars," and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred seventy-five dollars per month each during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for all such deputies shall not exceed four thousand two hundred dollars"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 9, after line 3, of the printed bill, add

(*c*) "One clerk at a monthly salary of one hundred dollars during the time actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such clerk shall not exceed twelve hundred dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 17, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 17, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and a half".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 12, line 18, strike out the word "thurty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nfty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 12, strike out lines 20, 21, 22 and 23.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 15, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figures "2322.24" and strike out all of lines 47 to 52, inclusive. Strike out all of lines 1 to 10, inclusive, page 16, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

In the counties of the twenty-fourth class the commissioner shall receive a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be allowed to the commissioner the following deputies, inspectors and clerks to be appointed by said commissioner, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries are hereby fixed as follows:

(*a*) One deputy county horticultural commissioner at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum.

(*b*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed four inspectors, at a compensation of five dollars per day each, during such time as actually employed, but the aggregate amount which may be expended for all such inspectors in any one year shall not exceed the sum of two thousand eight hundred eighty dollars.

(*c*) One clerk, at a compensation of ten dollars per month, during such time as actually employed, but not to exceed the sum of one hundred twenty dollars per year.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 18, between lines 14 and 15, add section *c* to read as follows:

The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed one clerk at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such clerk shall not exceed one thousand two hundred dollars.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 25, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 25, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the words "four thousand eighty" and insert in lieu thereof "one thousand".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 584—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots 10, 11 and 12 in block 4 of Diestelhorst's Addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block 5 and lots 6 and 7 in block 6 of said Diestelhorst's Addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 299—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles county flood control district'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor, to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the

voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "use" and insert in lieu thereof the following "uses, pursuant to any law now in force or hereafter enacted authorizing the appropriation of such waters,".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3457*a*, relating to claims against reclamation districts for which warrants may be issued.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 583—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide that the Department of Engineering of the State of California may acquire for and in the name of the people of the State of California, by purchase, donation, dedication or by proceedings in eminent domain, additional rights of way, land and trees on and along the course of any State highway," approved April 1, 1915.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the abandonment of portions of routes of State roads and highways by the advisory board of the State Department of Engineering, and for consent thereto in certain cases by county boards of supervisors," approved May 20, 1915.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 498—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, compensation, and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-ninth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, insert after the figures "4278" the following "In counties of the forty-ninth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit

1. The county clerk, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

2 The sheriff, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and a jailer at fifty dollars per month, to be paid out of the county treasury, *provided*, the sheriff shall also receive for his own use and benefit his necessary expenses in all criminal

cases, to be allowed as other county charges are allowed by law; *and, provided further*, that the sheriff shall also receive for his own use and benefit the mileage, fees and commission for all services of all papers whatsoever issued by any court of the state.

3. The recorder, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. In counties of this class the recorder may appoint a copyist for service in his office, which office of copyist for the county recorder is hereby created, and said copyist shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum, to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officers are paid.

4. The auditor, one thousand dollars per annum. In counties of this class the auditor may appoint a copyist for service in his office, which office of copyist for the county auditor is hereby created, and said copyist shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum, to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officers are paid

5. The treasurer, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

6. The tax collector, twelve hundred dollars per annum and ten per cent of all licenses collected by him; and a deputy, at four dollars per day for not more than one hundred days in any one year, to be paid out of the county treasury.

7. The assessor, two thousand five hundred dollars per annum and two deputies at a salary of five dollars each per day for not more than one hundred days in any one year, and two deputies additional, at a salary of five dollars each per day for not more than fifty days in any one year, such deputies to be paid out of the county treasury.

8. The district attorney, two thousand dollars per annum and necessary traveling expenses to be allowed by the board of supervisors.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county.

12. The surveyor, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law, *provided*, he shall be given all work for the county in which the county employs a surveyor or civil engineer

13. In counties of this class, the township officers shall receive the following compensations, to wit: In townships having a population of over four thousand, justices of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of sixty dollars per month, and constables a monthly salary of sixty-five dollars per month. The above-named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace and constables in criminal cases, but said justices of the peace and constables may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases

In townships having a population of more than twenty-seven hundred, and not exceeding four thousand, justices of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of thirty dollars per month, and constables a monthly salary of forty dollars per month. The above-named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace and constables in criminal cases, but said justices of the peace and constables may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases.

In townships having a population of more than two thousand and less than twenty-seven hundred, justices of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of twenty-five dollars per month and constables a monthly salary of thirty-five dollars per month. The above-named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace and constables in criminal cases, but said justices of the peace and constables may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases

In townships having a population of less than two thousand, justices of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of twenty dollars per month and constables a monthly salary of twenty-five dollars per month. The above-named salaries shall be in full compensation for all services of said justices of the peace and constables in criminal cases, but said justices of the peace and constables may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases; *provided*, that where a constable shall be required to travel outside of his own township, in serving or executing a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, he shall be allowed, in addition to the salary hereinbefore provided, his actual expenses incurred in serving or executing the same, to be allowed by the board of supervisors, for transporting prisoners to the county jail, the actual expenses of such transportation; *and, provided further*, that for the purpose of this subdivision, the population of the several townships shall be ascertained by multiplying the number of registered voters at the last general election of each township, by five. In addition to the above salaries allowed said justices of the peace and constables, for their services in criminal cases, they may retain for their own use the fees allowed by law in civil cases

14. Each supervisor, six hundred dollars per annum, in full payment for services as member of the board of supervisors, as member of the board of equalization and

as road commissioner, and twenty cents per mile, going only, in traveling from his residence to the county seat at each session of the board. Each supervisor shall also receive his necessary and actual itemized traveling expenses when traveling outside the county of Calaveras by order of the board on business connected with his office, said traveling expenses not to exceed one hundred dollars per year per supervisor.

15. For attending as a grand juror, or a trial juror in criminal and civil cases in the superior court, for each day's attendance, three dollars; for each mile actually traveled one way as such grand juror, or trial juror, in the superior court, under summons or order of the court, twenty-five cents. The county clerk shall certify to the auditor the number of days' attendance, and the number of miles traveled by each juror and the auditor shall then draw his warrant therefor and the treasurer shall pay the same.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 19 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law" of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to pasteurization.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to amend section eight of an act known as the 'pure milk law,' of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning on page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "Section 1", strike out all of the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Section eight of an act known as the 'pure milk law' of California, approved June 15, 1923, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 8. (*a*) All market milk sold or offered for sale for consumption as such, *shall be in bottles and when served by any hospital, hotel, boarding house, restaurant, dining car, lunch counter, soda fountain, cafe, or other place of public entertainment,* shall be served in the original bottle, the cap of which shall not be removed except in the presence of the consumer or patron, *provided, however,* that this provision shall not apply to cream so served.

(*b*) Market milk shall not be sold or offered for sale as such, more than forty-eight hours after pasteurization, if pasteurized, nor more than forty-nine hours after production if raw. All market milk sold or offered for sale or exchange in any grocery store, meat market, produce market, or other establishment where market milk is kept for sale or delivery, shall be stored in a refrigerator or a refrigeration cabinet in which a temperature not higher than fifty degrees (50°) Fahrenheit shall be maintained. No article of food or other commodity shall be kept in said refrigerator or cabinet, which by reason of its odor or otherwise would injure the quality or natural flavor of milk.

(*c*) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell, exchange, offer or expose for sale or exchange, or have on hand for sale or exchange or serve in any hospital, hotel, boarding house, restaurant, saloon, lunch counter or other place of public entertainment any milk or cream to which any gelatine or other substance, except as provided in the general dairy law of California, has been added to increase the consistency of such milk or cream so as to make it appear richer or of better quality, *provided, however,* that nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit the standardization of milk and cream as provided in the general dairy law of California.

(*d*) All of the provisions of section eight shall also apply to goat's milk.

(*e*) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to sell or exchange or offer or expose for sale or exchange for human consumption, as and for cow's milk, any cow's milk to which goat's milk has been added, or, as and for goat's milk, any goat's milk to which cow's milk has been added.

SEC. 2. It is hereby expressly provided that this amendment shall become an integral part of the pure milk law of California and that it shall be read and interpreted in connection with the context of said act as a whole, and that it is subject to the same general provisions relating to unlawful sales, enforcement, violations and penalties, as provided by said law."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to unsanitary dairies, creameries, dairy plant licenses, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to amend sections thirteen, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty and twenty-one of an act known as the 'General Dairy Law of California' approved June 15, 1923, relating to unsanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the department of agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning on page 3, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out all words and sentences after the words "Section 16" to and including page 4, line 50, and insert in lieu thereof the following

'Section 16 (*a*) Every person, firm or corporation, before regularly engaging in the business of dealing in, receiving, manufacturing or processing milk or any product of milk shall obtain a license to do so for each separate plant or place of business from the department of agriculture of the State of California, *provided*, that nothing in this section shall apply to retailers dealing in finished products received from a distributor or producer in final form Upon receipt of an application for such license, the said department of agriculture shall investigate the equipment and the sanitary condition of the plant where milk or the products of milk are to be received, processed or manufactured, and provide the applicant with a copy of the dairy laws of the state If the condition of the plant is found to be satisfactory, a 'factory license' shall be issued by said department of agriculture to such applicant upon receipt of a license fee of ten dollars ($10). All factory licenses herein required shall expire at the end of each calendar year; *provided*, that such license shall remain in full force and effect during the month of January of the next succeeding year or such part thereof as may be necessary for the renewal of said license by the department of agriculture All licenses may be renewed each successive year provided that the plant for which previous license was issued or the business thereof shall have been conducted in accordance with the requirements of this act during the year next preceding that for which renewal is contemplated. The fee for the renewal of such license shall be one dollar for each one hundred thousand pounds of milk fat or part thereof, or each four hundred thousand gallons of milk or part thereof, purchased or received during the preceding year, ending the thirty-first day of December, *provided*, in no case shall the renewal fee exceed ten dollars The correct amount of the fee for the renewal of said license shall be forwarded with said application for its renewal Any factory license may be suspended or revoked by the said department of agriculture for violation of this act, or amendments thereto, or for violation of the rules and regulations for its enforcement as provided in section twenty-one of this act.

(*b*) All persons who shall test milk or cream purchased or received on the basis of the milk fat contained therein and all persons who for compensation shall make tests of milk or cream for milk fat must first obtain and hold a license to do so from the department of agriculture of the State of California, said license to be known as a 'tester's license' Any method or process which gives accurate results may be used; *provided* that all glassware and other apparatus must be examined for accuracy and the procedure be approved by the department of agriculture of the State of California, and *provided further* that a tester's license must be obtained for each method or process used. The said department of agriculture upon receipt of an application for such license, shall examine into the qualifications of the

applicant and every applicant shall satisfy said department of agriculture of his qualifications, and shall have a thorough knowledge of the provisions of the law with which he must comply and pay a fee of five dollars before any such license shall be issued. Said application shall state the method of testing to be used by the applicant, which method must be approved by said department of agriculture before a license may be issued. All such licenses shall expire the thirty-first day of December of each year and may be renewed on the first of each successive year, provided that all requirements of the law have been met by licensee during the next preceding year, and upon the payment of a renewal fee of one dollar. Applications for renewal of said license shall be made within thirty days prior to the expiration of the year. Any tester's license may be suspended or revoked by the said department of agriculture for violation, by the holder thereof, of this act or amendments thereto or the rules and regulations for its enforcement, as provided in section twenty-one of this act.

(c) All persons other than licensed testers who shall take samples of milk or cream purchased or received on the basis of the milk fat contained therein, on which samples tests are to be made as a basis of payment, and all persons who shall make weighings of milk or cream, the weights thus obtained to be used as a basis of payment, must first obtain and hold a license to do so from the department of agriculture of the State of California, said license to be known as a 'sampler's and weigher's license' *provided* that when the same person does both the sampling and weighing only one license shall be required and *provided, further*, that in case of emergency a person may weigh or sample for a period not exceeding one week before making application for a license. The said department of agriculture upon receipt of an application for such license shall examine into the qualifications of the applicant, and every applicant shall satisfy said department of agriculture of his qualifications and shall have a thorough knowledge of the provisions of the law with which he must comply and pay a fee of one dollar before any such license shall be issued. All such licenses shall expire the thirty-first day of December of each year and may be renewed on the first of each successive year, provided all requirements of the law have been met by the licensee during the next preceding year and upon the payment of a renewal fee of one-half dollar. Applications for renewal of said license shall be made within thirty days prior to the expiration of the year. Any sampler's and weigher's license may be suspended or revoked by the said department of agriculture for violation by the holder thereof of this act or amendments thereto or of the rules and regulations for its enforcement, as provided in section twenty-one of this act.

SEC. 4. Section seventeen of said act, approved June 15, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 17. (a) No person, firm or corporation shall fraudulently manipulate the measure, or weight or under-read, over-read or otherwise manipulate the test used for determining the per cent of milk fat in milk or cream, nor shall any person, firm or corporation take an unfair sample thereof on which a test is made, nor fraudulently manipulate such samples nor the records of any measurement, weight, or test, or combination thereof. A permanent record in duplicate of all tests of milk or cream purchased or received on the basis of the amount of milk fat contained therein, must be made by a tester licensed by the department of agriculture of the State of California, on standard forms supplied by, or in accordance with the specifications for such records adopted by the said department of agriculture. Each test shall be legibly recorded with indelible pencil or ink and shall be accompanied by the patron's name or number in such a manner as to correctly identify the test obtained upon the milk or cream of each patron. Each sheet or page shall be authenticated by the signature of the tester licensed by the said department of agriculture, and a duplicate record shall be deposited by said licensed tester immediately after completing the test on the day's samples, in a box provided by the purchaser or receiver of milk or cream, said box to be constructed, sealed and maintained in accordance with the rules and regulations adopted by the said department of agriculture as provided in section twenty-one of this act. The original record shall be immediately delivered to the purchaser or receiver of said milk or cream, who shall retain said original record for a period of at least three months. The said licensed tester shall retain an unmodified sample of all milk or cream tested by him for a period of not less than forty-eight hours after tests of said milk or cream have been made and said purchaser or receiver of milk or cream shall provide a suitable place where such samples so retained may be kept and such place shall be acceptable to the said department of agriculture. When payment for milk or cream is made on the basis of the milk fat contained therein, samples shall be taken from each lot of said milk or cream upon delivery, and payment shall be made in accordance with the percentage of milk fat actually found in said samples; *provided* that nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit weighing and sampling on the route; and *provided further* that nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit the use of composite samples.

(b) All glassware, weights and scales used by licensed testers shall be accurate. Nothing in this section shall be construed as prohibiting the use of any method of testing approved as accurate by the department of agriculture of the State of California. All glassware shall be examined by said department of agriculture

and it found to be accurate, each piece shall have a legible and indelible distinguishing mark placed upon it by the said department of agriculture.

(c) In conducting the Babcock test, the milk fat column in tests on milk in milk test bottle shall be read from the extreme bottom of the fat column to the top of the top meniscus. In tests on cream in cream test bottles the meniscus at the top of the milk fat column shall be destroyed by the use of an overlying foreign oil approved by the department of agriculture of the State of California, and the milk fat column shall be read from the extreme bottom of the fat column to the plane of separation between the fat column and the overlying foreign oil. The reading of the test shall be made when the temperature of the milk fat is between 130 and 140 degrees Fahrenheit. All Babcock glassware and scales shall comply with the following specifications:

(1) Milk test bottle. The total per cent graduation shall be eight. The graduated portion of the neck shall have a length of not less than sixty-three and five-tenths millimeters and the graduation shall represent whole per cent, five-tenths per cent and tenths per cent. The error in the total graduation or in any part thereof shall not exceed one-tenth of one per cent. The neck shall be cylindrical for at least five millimeters below the lowest and above the highest graduation mark.

(2) Fifty per cent nine gram long-neck cream test bottle. The total per cent graduation shall be fifty. The graduated portion of the neck shall have a length of not less than one hundred twenty millimeters. The graduation shall represent five per cent, one per cent and five-tenths per cent. The cylindrical part of the neck shall extend at least five millimeters below the lowest and above the highest graduation mark. Each bottle shall bear at the top of the neck above the graduations, in plain legible characters, a mark defining the weight of the charge to be used—nine grams. The error in the total graduation or in any part thereof, shall not exceed twenty-five hundredths of one per cent.

(3) Fifty per cent eighteen gram long-neck cream-test bottle. The total per cent graduation shall be fifty. The graduated portion of the neck shall have a length of not less than one hundred twenty millimeters. The graduation shall represent five per cent, one per cent and five-tenths per cent. The cylindrical part of the neck shall extend at least five millimeters below the lowest and above the highest graduation mark. Each bottle shall bear at the top of the neck above the graduations, in plain legible characters a mark defining the weight of the charge to be used—eighteen grams. The error in the total graduation or in any part thereof shall not exceed twenty-five hundredths of one per cent.

(4) Seventeen and six-tenths milliliter pipette. The delivery tube shall have a length of one hundred to one hundred twenty millimeters and an outside diameter between four and five-tenths and five and five-tenths millimeters, and a straight nozzle. The pipette shall contain seventeen and six-tenths milliliters of water at twenty degrees Centigrade when the bottom of the meniscus coincides with the mark on the suction tube. The error in the graduation shall not exceed five one-hundredths of a milliliter.

(5) Scales or balance. The scales or balance used in weighing cream samples into the test bottles shall have a sensibility of not more than thirty milligrams.

(*d*) A fee of one dollar shall be paid by the owner of said glassware to the department of agriculture of the State of California for every dozen pieces of Babcock glassware examined in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (*b*) of this section. The said department shall charge fees for examining glassware and apparatus used in methods of testing other than the Babcock test, which fees shall be sufficient to cover the actual cost of such examination."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the numeral "4" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fiscal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the numeral "5" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the numeral "6" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "7".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways of State roads; providing for the compensation of

such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund, providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" appearing before the words "state roads" and insert in lieu thereof the word "on".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 12 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "act" insert the following, "entitled "An act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 23 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "herewith" insert quotation marks.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "camp" strike out the comma and insert the following, "and from the road camp to the prison, in the event the prisoner should be returned to the prison,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "tools and appliances for the performance of such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "labor,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "them" following the word "among" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "his children and other dependents".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 45 of the printed bill, after the words "but if the" insert the following "convict has no child or children, and the other".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, strike out all of lines 23, 24, 25 and 26, and insert in lieu thereof the following "which have been intrusted to him."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "created" insert the following "All interest which shall accrue upon money earned by the convicts shall also be deposited in said fund."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 50 of the printed bill, after the word "commission" insert the following ", county or federal government by whom said convicts are employed."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, renovated butter, and prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to amend section 12 of the 'general dairy law of California' and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21½ relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the dairy control fund."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 4 of the printed bill, beginning with the last "In" in line 18, strike out all words and sentences to and including the word "thereof" in line 34 and insert in lieu thereof the following. "In addition to the license fee hereinabove required, a fee of four cents for each pound of oleomargarine sold each quarter shall be paid quarterly to the department of agriculture by each manufacturer, wholesale dealer or receiver or their agents in any case: *provided*, that said fee of four cents per pound when paid by any manufacturer, wholesale dealer or receiver for any given lot of oleomargarine need not be paid by any subsequent dealer for the same lot or any part thereof; and *provided, further*, that no such fee shall be required for oleomargarine delivered for sale outside the State of California. Each manufacturer and wholesale dealer shall submit monthly to the department of agriculture an alphabetical list of the names and addresses of all persons, firms and corporations to which sales or deliveries of oleomargarine have been made during the preceding month, showing the total amount of oleomargarine which was included in the aggregate transactions in each case for the preceding month or part thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, between lines 41 and 42 of the printed bill, insert the following:

"A quarterly statement of such sales, sworn to by each manufacturer or wholesaler, shall be rendered quarterly to the department of agriculture of the State of California and shall be accompanied by the corresponding amount of such fee of four cents per pound as above specified; *provided*, that the first quarter shall be for the three months ending December 31, 1925, and future quarters shall cover the three months of each year ending March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, between lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, insert the following paragraphs

"Section 2. A new section to be numbered 21½ is hereby added to said act approved June 15, 1923, to read as follows

Section 21½. All fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be credited to the "dairy control fund," which fund is hereby created, and shall be held subject to the use of the department of agriculture of the State of California for dairy control work."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the letter (*m*) and insert in lieu thereof the words "Sec. 3."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 18 to 21, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to restriction on transportation of butter from outside the State not produced in conformity with the "General Dairy Law of California."

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to add a new article to chapter five of title two of part four of the Political Code to be numbered article twelve and to include section four thousand one hundred forty-nine *q* relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning on page 1, line 1, after the words "Section 1" of the printed bill strike out all of the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. A new article is hereby added to chapter five of title two of part four of the Political Code to be numbered article twelve and to include section four thousand one hundred forty-nine *q*, to read as follows

ARTICLE XII

County Dairy Inspector.

Section 4149*q*. (1) The county dairy inspector or inspectors shall be appointed by the board of supervisors whenever in the discretion of such board the interests of the public welfare demand the services of such an officer or officers *provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to conflict with the provisions of the "Pure Milk Law" regarding the establishment of approved milk inspecting departments. The county dairy inspector or inspectors shall be selected from a list of persons eligible to hold such office, which list shall be furnished by the director of the department of agriculture of the State of California upon request. The county dairy inspectors shall receive a salary of one hundred fifty dollars a month during the time actually employed and expenses incurred in the performance of their duties, which shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as other county officers are paid.

(2) No person shall be eligible for appointment to the office of county dairy inspector until he has received and holds from the said director a valid certificate of eligibility to said office. Said director is authorized to hold examinations under such rules and regulations as he may establish, for the purpose of passing on the qualifications of persons desiring to obtain certificates of eligibility to the office of county dairy inspector.

(3) It shall be the duty of the county dairy inspector, acting under supervision and authority of the department of agriculture of the State of California to enforce all laws of the State of California and all rules and regulations of said department of agriculture relating to the dairy industry. He shall be required to give his entire time and attention to dairy control work and shall not otherwise be gainfully employed during the tenure of his office. When required by the director of agriculture, the county dairy inspector shall attend meetings called by the director of agriculture.

(4) Upon receipt of evidence by the director of agriculture that any county dairy inspector is negligent or incompetent in service, which evidence in the opinion of the director shall warrant a hearing in connection therewith, the county dairy inspectors' trial board, herein provided for, shall thereupon hold such hearing or hearings at such times and places as it shall provide. The county dairy inspectors' trial board shall consist of a representative of the board of supervisors, the director of the department of agriculture of the State of California, who shall be chairman, and an impartial third person selected by them.

The director of agriculture shall give a notice in writing to the person against whom charges are filed, ten days previous to the time of hearing, giving the time and place thereof and including information relating to the charges against him. If, after such hearing, the trial board herein provided for disqualifies the county dairy inspector, a notice to that effect shall be transmitted in writing to the county board of supervisors and the auditor of the county employing said county inspector.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 16 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the licensing of persons handling dairy products and preventing artificial price fixing in connection therewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

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

An act to add a new section to an act known as the "general dairy law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section sixteen and one-half, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1, after the words "Section 1" insert the following: A new section to be numbered sixteen and one-half is hereby added to an act known as the "general dairy law of California" approved June 15, 1923, to read as follows:

Section 16½. (*a*) For the purposes of this act, a dairy produce exchange shall be deemed to be an association of persons, firms or corporations organized for the purpose of furnishing a medium for trading in butter, cheese and/or eggs, to facilitate the marketing of said products, and/or to establish their wholesale market value.

(*b*) It shall be unlawful for any association or corporation to establish or operate a dairy produce exchange without first obtaining from the department of agriculture a license to do so.

(*c*) Every dairy produce exchange within the expiration of thirty days from and after the effective date of this act, and any association or corporation thereafter desiring to operate a dairy produce exchange, and before engaging in such activity, shall file with the director of the department of agriculture a written application for a license, stating the name of the exchange and the location of its place of business, together with a certified copy of its articles of incorporation if a corporation, and its by-laws and rules and the names of its members or stockholders and the names of its directors and officers as of the date of said application. Said application shall be accompanied by an annual license fee in the amount of one hundred dollars.

(*d*) Upon determining that the by-laws and rules of the exchange applying for said license are fair and equitable to both buyer and seller, that they safeguard the interest of both producer and consumer, and that they allow for the freest possible operation of the economic law of supply and demand, the director of agriculture shall issue a "dairy exchange license" to said exchange.

(2) If such by-laws and rules are not approved by the director of the department of agriculture within the time allowed from and after the effective date of this act in which application must be made, then the exchange shall be allowed a grace of ninety (90) days within which to amend such by-laws or rules, and shall not be deemed to act in violation of this section until the expiration of said ninety (90) day period. A copy of all further amendments of by-laws and rules shall be submitted to the director of the department of agriculture for approval, and it shall be unlawful for any dairy produce exchange to operate under any rules which have not been approved by said director. Said director shall have the power to require said exchange to make such alterations in its by-laws or rules, or to adopt such by-laws or rules as in his judgment may be deemed necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes of this act before granting to such exchange a license.

(*f*) Every dairy exchange license shall expire the thirty-first day of December of each year and may be renewed on the first of each successive year, *provided*, that application for renewal of said license be made within thirty days prior to the expiration of the year, and that such application for renewal shall be accompanied by the annual license fee of one hundred dollars.

(*g*) The director of the department of agriculture shall have power to establish and maintain a proper system of classification and grading under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe, including the payment of fees similar in amount to the fees collected by the United States department of agriculture for similar service, and to appoint duly qualified joint representatives of the department of agriculture of the State of California and the United States department of agriculture to act as inspectors and graders of butter, cheese or eggs handled by any dairy produce exchange, and said representatives shall perform their duties in accordance with the rules of the exchange and the instructions of said director.

(*h*) The director of the department of agriculture shall have general supervision and control over any and all dairy produce exchanges, and may upon his own motion, and shall upon the verified complaint of any person, investigate the actions of the exchange, and before denying, suspending or revoking any license, the director shall notify the applicant for, or holder of such license of the charges made

against such applicant or licensee, giving at least ten days notice thereof, and afford such applicant or licensee an opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel in reference thereto.

(f) The director may refuse to grant a license or may temporarily suspend or permanently revoke any license when he shall be satisfied that the applicant or licensee is guilty of any fraudulent or dishonest practice, that any of the rules of the applicant or licensee are unfair, unjust or inequitable, or that the applicant or licensee has refused or neglected to adequately punish any member infringing or violating any of its approved rules.

(g) Any exchange acting without a license as herein provided, or after its license has been suspended or revoked, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this act and subject to the same penalties which apply to the operation of factories of dairy products without a license, as provided in section twenty-two of this act.

Section 2. It is hereby expressly provided that this amendment shall become an integral part of the "general dairy law of California" and that it shall be read and interpreted in connection with the context of said act as a whole, and that it is subject to the same general provisions relating to unlawful sales, enforcement, violations and penalties as are provided by said law.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties, and upon property and rights of way owned by counties, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, by amending the title thereof and by adding two sections thereto to be numbered sections 5 and 6, relating to powers and duties of boards of supervisors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the printed bill, strike out the entire title to the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to amend the title of and to revise an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, and to include therein provisions for work in, under and upon and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, together with any of the same which may form the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether they lie wholly or partly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and in, under and upon any publicly owned property and rights of way whether within or without a municipality, and in and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section fourteen of article one of the constitution of the State of California, for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds, for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder, and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and for county aid in all of such work.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On pages 1, 2 and 3 of the printed bill, strike out as follows. Lines 1 to 17, inclusive, on page 1, lines 1 to 32, inclusive, on page 2, and lines 1 to 17, inclusive, on page 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. The title of that certain act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payments of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, is hereby amended to read as follows

An act to provide for work in, under and upon highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks in unincorporated territory of counties and any of the same lying within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and any of the same forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and in, under and upon all publicly owned property and rights of way, whether within or without municipalities, and in, under and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has permission and right of use under the provisions of section fourteen of article one of the constitution of the State of California, and for establishing and changing the grades of such highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks, to provide for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds, to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and to provide for county aid in all of such work

SEC. 2. Said act is hereby revised to read as follows:

Section 1. All highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks (hereafter in this act collectively designated as "public ways", which term shall mean and include any or all of the foregoing wherever it is used) now open or dedicated, or which may hereafter be opened or dedicated to public use in unincorporated territory of any of the counties of this state, and all public ways, now open or dedicated, or which may hereafter be opened or dedicated to public use, forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality of this state, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county, whether such public ways be partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, and all property for which an order to take immediate possession and use of a right of way therefor for a public use has been obtained from a court of competent jurisdiction in any action in eminent domain or proceeding for the laying out, opening, extending, widening or straightening, in whole or in part, or any public way, in compliance with the provisions of section fourteen of article one of the constitution of this state, shall be deemed and held to be open public ways for the purposes of this act, and the board of supervisors of each county is hereby empowered to establish and change the grade or grades of any or all of such public ways and to fix the width thereof, and is hereby invested with jurisdiction and power to order to be done in, under or upon the whole or any portion of any or all of such public ways and in, under or upon all publicly owned property and rights of way, any work or improvement of the character mentioned in that act of the legislature known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," which work or improvement shall be done in accordance with the procedure and in pursuance of the provisions of said improvement act, and the provisions of said improvement act are hereby adopted by reference for the purposes of this act, *provided*, that certain words used in said improvement act shall, for the purposes of this act, be construed as follows: The words "city" and "municipality" shall be construed as referring to "county"; the words "city council" as referring to "board of supervisors", the word "mayor" as referring to the "chairman of the board of supervisors", the word "clerk" as referring to "county clerk", the words "council chambers" as referring to the "chambers of the board of supervisors", the words "city treasurer" as referring to "county treasurer", the words "street superintendent" and "city engineer" as referring to "county surveyor", and all words relating to municipal officers and matters as referring to the corresponding county officers and matters under this act. *Provided*, that the board of supervisors may appoint any competent county officer, other than the county surveyor, without compensation, as the officer to perform any or all of the duties conferred upon the street superintendent or city engineer in said improvement act, *provided, further*, that said board may appoint an engineer of work, in which event the duties to be performed by the city engineer as set forth in the Improvement Act of 1911 shall be performed by said engineer of work, whose compensation and expenses shall constitute an incidental expense in the cost of said work. Said board may provide

that the work shall be done under his direction and to his satisfaction and that the materials used shall comply with the specifications and be to the satisfaction of such engineer of work instead of said county surveyor and may provide that he shall make and sign the assessment instead of the county surveyor. The contract shall nevertheless be entered into with the county surveyor and the assessment and warrant when confirmed shall be recorded in the office of said county surveyor.

Said board of supervisors shall also have jurisdiction and power to include in the same proceeding and under the same provisions of law and to order, with any of the work aforesaid, any work of the same kind or kinds upon any one or more public ways or publicly owned property or rights of way within any one or more municipalities whenever in the judgment of said board such work therein is necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, *provided*, that the consent of the legislative body of such municipality, expressed by resolution, shall first be obtained for the use for such purpose of such public ways or publicly owned property or rights of way within such municipality, and such consent shall likewise be obtained for the doing of work upon any public way forming the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county if the whole or a part of such public way lies within the boundaries of such municipality.

Sec. 2. If any improvements for lighting purposes, for fire protection purposes, for the purpose of improving by the planting of trees, shrubs or other ornamental vegetation, for sanitary purposes, for drainage purposes, for domestic water supply or distribution purposes, or any or all of such purposes shall be constructed under the provisions of this act, or any or all of such improvements are contemplated to be constructed under the provisions of this act, the board of supervisors may, in its resolution declaring its intention to order work done or improvements made, also declare its intention to order that the expenses of maintaining and operating any or all of said improvements, including the cost of necessary repairs, replacements, fuel, power, care, supervision and all other items necessary for proper maintenance and operation, shall be assessed, either partly or wholly, upon the lands lying within the district to be benefited by and to be assessed to pay the cost of the construction of the same, the amounts so assessed to be levied and collected in the same manner and by the same officers as taxes for county purposes are levied and collected. Said resolution may describe the boundaries of the district to be assessed for such maintenance and operation (which district shall hereafter in this act be designated and referred to as the maintenance district) as being the same boundaries as those of the district to be assessed for the cost of constructing said improvements, which district may be designated by a name by which it may thereafter be referred to in all subsequent proceedings, including proceedings for the levy and collection of taxes.

At any time not later than the hour for hearing objections to the proposed work as provided in said improvement act of 1911, any person permitted by the provisions of said act to make written protest against the proposed work, or against the extent of the district to be assessed therefor, or both, may make like protest and in like manner against the ordering of the formation of the maintenance district or against the extent of said maintenance district or both, at the time set for hearing protests, as prescribed in the said act. The board of supervisors, in addition to hearing protests against the proposed work or improvement and the extent of the district to be assessed therefor, shall hear and pass upon all protests against the formation of the maintenance district and against the extent thereof, and its decision shall be final and conclusive: *provided*, that when the board of supervisors finds that the protest against the formation of the maintenance district is made by the owners of more than one-half of the area of the property included within such district, no further proceeding shall be taken for a period of six months from the date of the decision of the board of supervisors on said hearing, unless the said protests be overruled by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of the members of the board of supervisors. The board of supervisors may adjourn said hearing from time to time.

In the event that the board of supervisors in its resolution of intention, shall declare its intention to order a maintenance district formed, the notice of improvement provided for by said improvement act of 1911 shall likewise give notice of such declaration of intention and that protests against the same may be filed and will be heard in accordance with the provisions of this act.

The board of supervisors shall be deemed to have acquired jurisdiction to order that such a maintenance district be formed to be assessed to pay the cost of maintaining and operating the improvement constructed, at the same time and in the same manner prescribed in the said improvement act of 1911 for the acquiring of jurisdiction to order the construction of the proposed improvements, and it may thereupon order the formation of such a maintenance district for such purpose, which order may be contained in the resolution ordering the construction of the improvements.

Thereupon a copy of said resolution ordering the formation of the maintenance district shall be filed in the office of the county assessor and the county assessor shall thereafter, in making up the assessment roll, segregate the property included within such district on the assessment roll under the designation contained in said resolution. The board of supervisors shall thereafter, in each year, prior to the time of fixing the county tax rate, estimate the cost of maintaining and operating the said improvements to be maintained and operated within said district

during the ensuing year Said board shall decide whether or not the cost of the same shall be borne wholly or partially by the said maintenance district and shall, in addition to all other taxes, fix a special tax rate for the lands within said assessment district sufficient to raise an amount of money to cover the expense of maintaining said improvements during the ensuing year, or such portion of said amount as the board of supervisors shall determine shall be borne by said district, and the board of supervisors shall levy a special assessment tax each year upon the lands in such district sufficient to pay such expense or said portion of such expense Such special assessment tax shall be levied and collected at the same time and in the same manner as the general tax levy for county purposes and when collected shall be paid into the county treasury to the credit of the fund of such maintenance district and be used for the payment of the expenses of such district, and said board shall have the power to control and order the expenditure thereof for said purposes

The maintenance district in this section provided for may include property lying within an incorporated city or cities, provided that the consent of the legislative body of such incorporated city or cities, expressed by resolution, to the formation of such district shall first be obtained before the resolution of intention is adopted by the board of supervisors.

Sec. 3 The board of supervisors of the county in which a maintenance district is formed shall have power and it shall be its duties to make and enforce all rules and regulations necessary for the administration, operation and government of such district, to execute all contracts and make all necessary provisions for the maintenance and operation of the same, to appoint and employ all necessary agents, superintendents, engineers and labor for the proper performance of the work and to do and perform all other acts or things necessary or proper to accomplish the purposes of this act. All contracts shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder. Said board shall advertise for two or more days in a newspaper of general circulation published in such county inviting bids for furnishing labor, material or supplies before any contract shall be made therefor. The board shall have the right to require such bonds as it may deem adequate from the successful bidder, to secure the faithful performance of the contract and the payment of all claims for labor and materials, and shall also have the right to reject any and all bids; *provided, however*, that nothing herein shall be construed as prohibiting the county itself from doing and when ordered by the board of supervisors of the county, such disposition to be between the work contemplated herein and to purchase the materials and supplies and employ the labor necessary for such purpose

Sec. 4. The title to all property acquired by such district shall be vested in the county; *provided*, that upon the dissolution of such district by reason of all of its territory being included within a municipality such property shall thereupon become the property of such municipality, and if all of such district be included within more than one municipality then such property shall be subject to the disposition of the board of supervisors of the county, such disposition to be between the several municipalities in such manner as to said board shall appear most just and equitable.

Sec. 5 Any such maintenance district formed under this act may be dissolved by the board of supervisors, as hereinafter provided, upon receiving a petition signed by the owners of more than one-half of the area of property included within such district. The board of supervisors shall fix a time for hearing such petition, which shall be not less than ten, nor more than thirty days after the receipt of such petition, and shall, at least five days prior to the time so fixed, publish notice of such hearing by one insertion in a daily, weekly or semiweekly newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county At the time appointed for such hearing, or at any time to which the same may be adjourned, the board of supervisors shall hear and pass upon such petition and all objections and protests and may grant or deny the same, and its decision thereon shall be final and conclusive. If such petition be granted, the board of supervisors shall, by resolution, order the dissolution of said district and such district shall thereby be dissolved; *provided, however*, that the maintenance and operation of the improvements of such district may be continued thereafter until the funds collected for the purpose of maintaining and operating the same have been expended for such purpose.

Upon the inclusion of all the territory of such a maintenance district within one or more incorporated cities, either by reason of annexation proceedings or by reason of the incorporation of one or more cities, all funds paid into the county treasury to the credit of such district shall be paid over by the board of supervisors of such district as follows If the whole of such district is so included within one incorporated city, such funds shall be paid to the treasurer of said incorporated city and administered by the legislative body of said incorporated city for the benefit of said district and said district shall thereupon, by reason of such inclusion, be dissolved; if a part only of such district is so included within one incorporated city and the remaining part of such district is so included within one or more other incorporated cities, so that no portion of the district remains within unincorporated territory of the county, then such proportionate part of such funds shall be paid to the treasurer of each such incorporated city as the area of the portion of the district included therein bore, before being so included, to the total area of the district, and such funds shall be administered by the legislative bodies of said incorporated cities for the benefit of said district and said district shall thereupon, by reason of such

inclusion, be dissolved. If less than the whole of such a district shall be included within one or more incorporated cities either by reason of annexation or by reason of incorporation proceedings, the district shall continue in existence and shall continue to function without being affected thereby unless the same shall be dissolved upon petition as in this act provided, and the fact that a portion or portions of such district is so included within one or more incorporated cities shall not deprive the board of supervisors of the right to levy the special assessment tax herein provided upon the lands therein for the purpose of maintaining the improvements of said district.

Sec. 6. The board of supervisors may determine that the whole or any part of the cost and expenses of constructing the improvements mentioned in this act, or of the expenses of the maintenance district, or both, shall be paid out of the treasury of the county, and such payment, or any part of the same, may be made from the general fund of the county, or general road fund of the county, or from the road district fund of the road district in which said improvements shall be constructed or from any other fund of the county from which expenditures may be made for improvements and work of like character as those permitted to be made and done under this act. Said board may also purchase all or any part of the materials to be used in constructing any of said improvements and furnish the same therefor, said purchase to be made from any of the funds above mentioned. If the county has a purchasing agent, the materials shall be purchased by him; otherwise said materials shall be purchased by the board of supervisors by contract let to the lowest responsible bidder after notice calling for bids has been published at least five days in a newspaper of general circulation in the county. If the county is to furnish materials or contribute towards the said costs and expenses, the resolution of intention shall so provide. When such provision is made, the execution of the contract for the improvements shall create a liability on the part of the county to furnish the materials or make the contribution provided for in said resolution.

Sec. 7. Whenever any work or improvement is done or made under the provisions of this act, whether it be in, under or upon public ways or publicly owned property or rights of way lying exclusively within unincorporated territory of a county, or in, under or upon any public way, or publicly owned property or rights of way within a municipality, or in, under or upon any public way forming the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, the lands to be assessed for the construction of such work or improvement, or for the maintenance and operation thereof, or both, may include lands lying within the boundaries of any municipality benefited thereby, and all of such lands may be assessed and taxed therefor, under the procedure prescribed by this act, the same as though such lands were situated exclusively in the unincorporated territory of the county, and with the same effect.

Sec. 8. The board of supervisors may, by resolution, adopt a name for any public way to be improved under this act, for which a name has not been provided under the provisions of section two thousand six hundred thirty-six of the Political Code and may, by resolution, change the name of any such public way theretofore established, and the board of supervisors may also, by resolution, establish the official grade of any such public way for which no official grade has heretofore been established by ordinance or resolution, and the words "official grade" as used in the improvement act of 1911, except where the official grade is established, changed or modified under the proceedings provided in said act, which method may also be followed under this act, shall mean the grade so established by resolution of the board of supervisors.

Sec. 9. In addition to the provisions of the improvement act of 1911 for the issuance, sale, enforcement and collection of bonds for the work contemplated by this act, which may be used in proceedings under this act, the board of supervisors shall have power, in its discretion, (as an alternative and additional method) to determine that serial bonds shall be issued to represent and be secured by the assessments which shall be made to pay the cost of any work or improvement done under this act in the manner and form provided by an act of the legislature of the State of California entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights-of-way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby, and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915 (known as the "improvement bond act of 1915"), as amended, and as the same shall hereafter be amended, and whenever the board of supervisors shall determine that bonds shall be issued under said act it shall so declare in the resolution of intention to do the work and shall specify the rate of interest which said bonds shall bear. The said improvement bond act of 1915 and all amendments thereto are hereby incorporated in and adopted by reference as a part of this act for the purposes above set forth; *provided*, that certain words used in said act shall,

for the purposes of this act, be construed as follows. The words "city" and "municipality" shall be construed as referring to "county"; the words "city council" as referring to "board of supervisors"; the words "city treasurer" as referring to "county treasurer"; the words "city clerk," "clerk of the city council" and "clerk" as referring to "county clerk"; the words "street superintendent" as referring to "county surveyor" or such other competent county officer as may be appointed by the board of supervisors to perform the duties imposed upon the "street superintendent" and "city engineer"; the words "auditor" and "city auditor" as referring to "county auditor"; the words "tax collector" as referring to "county tax collector" and all words relating to municipal officers and matters as referring to the corresponding county officers and matters under this act.

Sec. 10. The "improvement act of 1911," when referred to in this act, shall mean that act of the legislature entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, and as the same shall hereafter be amended.

Sec. 11. The provisions of this act shall be liberally construed to effect the objects thereof. This act may be designated and referred to as the county improvement act of 1921.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for professional engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 11 after the period following the figure "2" and strike out all of lines 12 to 20 inclusive on page 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"The term "professional engineer," as used in this act, shall mean a person who through technical knowledge gained by education or experience is qualified to practice one or more branches of professional engineering. The term "professional engineering," as used in this act, shall mean the investigation, planning, designing and supervising of projects and structures when the proper performance of such services requires technical or engineering knowledge."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "said" and insert in lieu thereof the word "engineering".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, lines 21, 22, and 23 of the printed bill, strike out the words "Examinations shall be held to determine the qualifications of applicants for registration in any of the branches of professional engineering." and insert in lieu thereof the words "In determining the qualifications of applicants for registration, a majority vote only of the board shall be required."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the words "in the branch or branches in which he has qualified".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, lines 33, 34, 35, 36, and 37 of the printed bill, strike out the words "Engineers holding certificates of registration in one branch of professional engineering as above defined may be issued certificates in other branches without additional fees upon having passed an examination conducted by the board in such other branches."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER LLEVEN.

On page 5, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two years" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 5, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "The secretary of the," and insert in lieu thereof the word "The".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 5, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "him" and insert in lieu thereof the word "it".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 6 line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "act" and in lieu thereof insert a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, however*, that nothing in this act shall be construed as requiring registration for the purpose of practicing professional engineering, by an individual, firm, or corporation on or in connection with property owned or leased by said individual, firm or corporation, unless the same involves the public health or safety or the health and safety of employees of said individual, firm or corporation *provided, however*, such person shall not represent himself as, or use the title of registered professional engineer unless such person is qualified by registration under this act."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o*, and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 36 to 45, inclusive, and line 46 to and including the words "receiving such bids," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Notice of such work must be published for two consecutive insertions in a weekly tradespaper of general circulation, published either in Los Angeles or San Francisco, devoted primarily to the dissemination of contract news among contracting firms. Notice must also be published for eight days in a daily newspaper or for two consecutive insertions in a weekly newspaper located at the county seat of the county in which said work is located."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "cooperative" strike out the word "engineering" and insert in lieu thereof the word "highway".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4 of the printed bill, beginning with the word "Said" in line 47, strike out all the remainder of line 47 and lines 48 to 52, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Said commission may likewise acquire land adjoining any state highway or road for the purpose of maintaining an unobstructed view of any portion of said highway that would interfere with the safety of persons traveling thereon."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the confinement, care and reformation of delinquent women, to provide for its maintenance, conduct and government, to provide for commitment and admission thereto, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved May 3, 1913, relating to deposit of moneys.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 501—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as "Johnson grass," approved March 20, 1903, together with all amendments thereto, and repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 13 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "together with all amendments thereto" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as amended."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "code" strike out the remainder of the sentence.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, strike out all of lines 24 and 25 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words "Any and all property, premises, place or article infested with any noxious weed is hereby expressly declared".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, after the first "and" insert the words "the same."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, strike out all of line 33 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "made of any property, premises, place or article in his jurisdiction"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "such" strike out the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof the following words "property, that".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "are" and insert in lieu thereof the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "premises" and insert in lieu thereof the word "property".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "premises were" and insert in lieu thereof the words "property was".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "premises are" and insert in lieu thereof the words "property is"

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, place parentheses around the word "eradication"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, lines 32 and 33, of the printed bill, strike out the words "premises, articles or things"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the words "*and provided*" and insert in lieu thereof the words "*provided further*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, lines 51 and 52, of the printed bill, strike out the words "premises, articles or things".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "premises, articles or things."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 4, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "stopped" and insert in lieu thereof the word "estopped".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 4, lines 6 and 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "premises, articles or things".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 4, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words "property or premises" and insert in lieu thereof the words "property, premises, place or article."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5, line 51, of the printed bill strike out the word "all" and insert in lieu thereof the word "an".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the twelfth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period insert the following:

"In counties of the twelfth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit:

1. The county clerk, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and twelve and one-half cents for each elector registered, also such compensation as is now or may hereafter be allowed by law; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county clerk, which said positions are hereby created, the following deputies, who shall be appointed by the county clerk of the said county and shall be paid salaries as follows: Two deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, each; one deputy at a salary of two thousand two hundred fifty dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, each; one deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred fifty dollars per annum; and one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in such years as the compilation of a great register of voters is required by law, to be made, the county clerk in counties of this class shall be, and he is hereby allowed the following additional deputies: As many deputies as are necessary, in his discretion, at one hundred twenty-five dollars, each, per month, and whose compensation shall not exceed two thousand five hundred dollars in the aggregate for all deputies so employed; *provided, further*, the county clerk may appoint such number of registration deputies in any precinct as he may deem necessary for the convenient registration of voters in their respective precincts and that each of said deputies so appointed for such purpose shall receive as compensation therefor the sum of eight cents for each elector registered by each of said deputies, said compensation to be paid out of the general fund of the county on presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county the duly verified claim therefor approved by said county clerk. The deputies herein provided for shall be paid by such county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund that the salary of the county clerk is paid. In counties of this class the county clerk shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity. It is hereby found as a fact and so declared that the salaries provided for in this section does not work an increase in the compensation of the county clerk.

2. The sheriff, four thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. The sheriff shall also receive for his own use the fees for mileage which are now, or which may hereafter be allowed by law, and the fees and commission for the service of all papers whatsoever issued by any court of this state, outside of this county. The sheriff shall also receive the necessary expenses incurred in the pursuit of criminals; *provided*, that no constructive mileage shall be allowed. In counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the sheriff, which said positions are hereby created, the following deputies, who shall be appointed by the sheriff of such county, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One under sheriff at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; four deputies at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, each; four deputies at the salaries of one thousand nine hundred fifty dollars per annum, and three deputies, one of whom shall be a woman, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum. The deputies herein provided for shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund that the salary of the sheriff is paid. In counties of this class the sheriff shall make no charge for the boarding of prisoners over and above the actual cost of materials. The provisions herein contained shall apply to present incumbents.

3. The recorder, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the recorder, which said

positions are hereby created, the following deputies and copyists, who shall be appointed by the recorder of such county, and shall be paid salaries as follows One chief deputy recorder at a salary of one thousand nine hundred fifty dollars per annum, two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, two copyists at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that said copyists being eligible, may also be appointed deputy recorders without further compensation. The recorder may also employ such additional copyists, not to exceed three, as may be required to copy instruments filed for record within a reasonable time after the same are filed for record and which the other copyists herein provided, are unable to copy within such time. The compensation of such additional copyists shall be paid out of the general fund of said county at the rate of ninety dollars a month, and proper claims therefor shall be presented to and allowed by the board of supervisors. The deputies and copyists herein provided for other than additional copyists, shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund that the salary of the recorder is paid, *provided*, that in counties of this class the recorder may be allowed the actual necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties and shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity from whatsoever source they may be derived. The provisions herein contained shall apply to present incumbents.

4 The auditor, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the auditor, which said positions are hereby created, the following deputies and assistants who shall be appointed by the auditor of such county, and shall be paid salaries as follows two deputy auditors at a salary, each of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, two deputy auditors at a salary of one thousand nine hundred fifty dollars each per annum, one deputy at a salary of one thousand six hundred fifty dollars per annum, one deputy who shall be a stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum *provided, further*, that the auditor may appoint ten additional assistants for a period of employment not to exceed two months in each year, to be paid four dollars and fifty cents each per diem. The deputies and assistants herein provided for shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the auditor is paid. In counties of this class the auditor shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity.

5. The treasurer, four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the treasurer, which said position is hereby created, one deputy, who shall be appointed by the treasurer of such county, and shall be paid a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum The deputy herein provided for shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund that the salary of the treasurer is paid. In counties of this class the treasurer shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity.

6 The tax and license collector, four thousand dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the tax and license collector, which said positions are hereby created, the following deputies and assistants, who shall be appointed by the tax and license collector of said county, and shall be paid salaries as follows One chief deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred fifty dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of one thousand six hundred fifty dollars per annum, one deputy for not to exceed ninety days, in each year, at eight dollars per diem, three assistants for a period of employment not exceeding eight months each per year to be paid four dollars and fifty cents per diem each and three assistants for a period of employment not exceeding five months each per year to be paid four dollars and fifty cents per diem each, and four additional copyists for a period of employment not exceeding four months each per year to be paid four dollars and fifty cents per diem each, such additional assistants, not to exceed seven, for a period of time not to exceed two months, said additional assistants to be paid out of the general fund of the county at the rate of four dollars and fifty cents per diem each The deputies and assistants herein provided for shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund that the salary of the tax and license collector is paid The provisions herein contained shall apply to present incumbents.

7 The assessor, five thousand dollars per annum In counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the assessor the following deputies and employees who shall be appointed by the assessor and who shall be paid salaries as follows One chief deputy assessor who shall receive a salary of two thousand two hundred fifty dollars per annum one deputy assessor who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall be a stenographer at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum six deputies who shall be employed not to exceed one hundred twenty days each year whose per diem shall be eight dollars each when actually employed, six deputies who shall be employed not to exceed one hundred twenty days in each year whose per diem shall be seven dollars each when actually employed, four deputies who shall be employed not to

exceed one hundred twenty days in each year whose per diem shall be six dollars each when actually employed; ten deputies who shall be employed not to exceed one hundred twenty days in each year whose per diem shall be four dollars and fifty cents each when actually employed, such additional deputies, whose aggregate compensation shall not exceed two thousand four hundred dollars in any fiscal year, as may be necessary to carry on the work of his office; *provided*, that the above salaries and compensations shall be in full payment for all services rendered by him as such assessor and that no commission for the collection of state taxes or infirmary poll taxes for road taxes or personal property taxes shall be retained by him, nor shall the assessor receive any compensation for making out the military roll of persons returned to him as subject to military duty as provided by section one thousand nine hundred one of the Political Code of the State of California, but that all fees and commissions shall be paid into the county treasury. The deputies herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county assessor is paid; *provided*, that the assessor shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties. The provisions herein contained shall apply to present incumbents.

8. The district attorney four thousand dollars per annum; *provided, that in* counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the district attorney, which said positions are hereby created, the following: One assistant district attorney at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, two deputy district attorneys at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum, one detective at a salary of two thousand two hundred fifty dollars per annum, said detective to also be allowed his necessary traveling and other expenses in the performance of the duties of his office, and two stenographers at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum. The assistant, deputies, detective and stenographers herein provided for shall be appointed by, and hold office at the pleasure of, the district attorney, and shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund that the salary of the district attorney is paid; *provided*, that the necessary traveling expenses of the detective shall constitute a county charge; *and provided, also*, that the assistant district attorney herein provided for shall possess the powers of, and may perform the duties attached by law to the office of his principal, *provided, further*, that no employee of the district attorney's office shall accept any other compensation by reason of services rendered in any action or proceeding wherein fees or per diem would constitute a charge against the county. The provisions herein contained shall apply to present incumbents.

9. The coroner and public administrator, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and his actual necessary expenses in traveling outside of the county seat. He shall hold inquests as prescribed by chapter two, title twelve, part two of the Penal Code, except that he may in his discretion dispense with a jury. The coroner or other officer holding an inquest upon the body of a deceased person may subpoena a physician or surgeon to inspect the body, or a chemist to make analysis of the contents of the stomach or tissues of the body, or hold a post mortem examination of the deceased, and give his professional opinion as to the cause of death. The coroner in counties of this class, shall be and is hereby allowed one deputy at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, and his necessary expenses in traveling outside of the county seat; said deputy shall have the power, and it shall be his duty, when directed by the coroner, to hold inquests, and all power conferred by law upon the coroner may be exercised by said deputy; one reporter, which office is hereby created, at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per year and his actual necessary expenses in traveling outside of the county seat, whose duty it shall be when called upon by the coroner, to attend all inquests and take down in shorthand the testimony of all witnesses at such inquests; when such testimony is taken down by such reporter, his transcription thereof, duly certified to by him, shall constitute the depositions of the witnesses testifying at such inquest so reported by such reporter; the salary of the said deputy and said reporter herein provided for shall be paid by the county, in the same manner, at the same time, and out of the same funds as the salary of the coroner and public administrator is paid. Said deputy and said reporter shall be appointed by the coroner, and shall hold office at the pleasure of the coroner. All fees and commissions collected by the coroner and public administrator in his official capacity and by his said deputy and said reporter in their official capacity shall be paid into the county treasury. The coroner may appoint as many additional deputies as may be necessary, to serve without compensation.

10. The superintendent of schools, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools, which said positions are hereby created, the following deputies, who shall be appointed by the superintendent of schools of such county, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One field deputy at a salary of two thousand two hundred fifty dollars per annum, two deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each, and one deputy for not to exceed one hundred twenty days in each year at six dollars per diem. The deputies herein provided shall be paid by said county at the same time and in

the same manner and out of the same fund that the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid. In counties of this class the superintendent of schools shall receive his actual and necesary traveling expenses for visiting and examining schools and school properties of the county and in performing such other duties as are incident to the full discharge of the requirements of the office of superintendent of schools. The provisions herein contained shall apply to present incumbents.

11. The surveyor, three thousand dollars per annum: provided, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the surveyor, which positions are hereby created, the following deputies, who shall be appointed by the surveyor of such county: One chief deputy surveyor at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. The deputies herein provided for shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the surveyor is paid, *provided further*, that after the expiration of the term of the present incumbent the surveyor and his deputies shall during the time they are holding office be and they are hereby prohibited from engaging in private employment at surveying.

12. Supervisors, three thousand dollars per annum each, and actual and necessary traveling expenses in the performance of the duties of their office, *provided*, that in counties of this class the board of supervisors shall have power to provide for the maintenance and support of minor children under eighteen years of age who are orphans or half orphans, abandoned or destitute minors; to lease, construct, maintain, appropriate buildings therefor, to provide suitable salaries for the necessary teachers and superintendents thereof. In the event that any regularly organized corporation whose sole purpose is the care, welfare and support of orphans, half orphans, abandoned or destitute minors under eighteen years of age, has already a building, structure, grounds and officers and have been in the business of caring for such destitute minors for eight years prior to the passage of this act, then the board of supervisors of the county are authorized to pay to the directors of the said corporation so caring for said destitute minors a sum not to exceed the sum of fifteen dollars per month for each minor so cared for.

Every institution receiving aid as above provided for must keep the following records which at all times must be open for inspection to the board of supervisors of such county, or to any person appointed by them to examine the same.

1. A record on which must be entered the date of admission, name, age, sex, and place of birth of each and every orphan, half orphan, destitute or abandoned child, who is or may hereafter be received or admitted into such institution, and the date of discharge of any such child, when such discharge is made, the parentage, if known, the estate, if any, to which the child is heir, and the insurance, if any, on the father's or mother's life; so far as can be ascertained, the place where either parent or both died, the nativity of the parents, where married, the marriage certificate, where recorded, when they came to California, place of residence in California, and habits of sobriety.

2. A book entitled "month accounts." In it must be entered, on the debtor side, all the moneys received from any and all sources segregated under the proper heads, on the credit side must be entered all disbursements made, specifying for what purposes made, and the amount entered in detail so disbursed, segregated under their proper heads.

3. A pay roll of the employees, and the amounts disbursed to each.

4. A book in which must be entered in detail the amounts paid for the specific support of every orphan, half orphan, destitute or abandoned child and the date of such payments.

13. In counties of this class the township officers shall receive the following compensation. In townships having a population of one thousand or under to the justice of the peace two hundred forty dollars per year, and to the constable, two hundred forty dollars per year. In townships having a population of over one thousand and not over twenty-five hundred, to the justice of the peace six hundred dollars per year, and to the constable six hundred dollars per year. In townships having a population of over twenty-five hundred and not over five thousand, to the justice of the peace, one thousand two hundred dollars per year, and to the constable one thousand two hundred dollars per year. In townships having a population of over five thousand and not over ten thousand, to the justice of the peace one thousand eight hundred dollars per year, and to the constable one thousand five hundred dollars per year. In townships having a population of over ten thousand and not over fifteen thousand, to the justice of the peace, two thousand one hundred dollars per year, and to the constable, one thousand eight hundred dollars per year. In townships of over fifteen thousand population, to the justice of the peace, two thousand four hundred dollars per year, and to the constable one thousand eight hundred dollars per year. In townships having a population of over ten thousand and not over fifteen thousand, the justice of the peace shall have a clerk at six hundred dollars per year, and in townships of over fifteen thousand population, the justice of the peace shall have a clerk at one thousand two hundred

dollars per year. In townships having a population of over ten thousand the county shall furnish a suitable office for the joint use of the justice of the peace and the constable. In townships of over fifteen thousand population the board of supervisors may, in their discretion, provide a deputy constable at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per year

Salaries of justices of the peace shall be in full compensaeion for all services rendered by them in both civil and criminal cases Salaries of constables shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, and in addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed, each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services rendered by him in civil cases, and shall also be allowed mileage at the rate of eight cents per mile for each mile traveled in arresting and conveying prisoners to and from a court or prison, which said expense shall be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors and paid out of the county treasury

The salaries of justices of the peace and of constables shall be paid monthly by the county in the same manner that the salaries of county officers are paid: *provided*, that for the purposes of this section, the population of the several judicial townships of this county shall be ascertained by multiplying the number of registered voters in said township at the last general election by three

14. In the superior court, jurors' fees and witness fees shall be as follows

For attending as a grand juror, for each day's actual attendance per day, three dollars, and twenty-five cents per mile for each mile actually traveled in going only, and but once during the term for which such juror is drawn, and the judge of said court shall make an order directing the auditor to draw his warrant in favor of such juror for said per diem and mileage and the treasurer shall pay the same.

For attending as a trial juror for each day's actual attendance, per day three dollars, and fifteen cents per mile for each mile actually traveled in going only, and the judge of said court shall make an order directing the auditor to draw his warrant in favor of such juror for said per diem and mileage and the treasurer shall pay the same

For attending as a witness in criminal cases and before the grand jury, for each day's actual attendance the sum of two dollars, and fifteen cents per mile for each mile actually traveled in going only, and the judge of said court shall make an order directing the auditor to draw his warrant in favor of such witness for said per diem and mileage, and the treasurer shall pay the same: *provided, however*, that in criminal cases such per diem and mileage shall only be allowed on a showing to the court by the witness the same was necessary for the expenses of the witness in attending, and the court shall determine the necessity for the same, and may disallow any fees to a witness unnecessarily subpœnaed

The fees for jurors in criminal cases in justice courts shall be two dollars per day for each day of actual service as a juror, and the justice of said court shall make an order directing the auditor to draw his warrant in favor of such juror for said per diem and the treasurer shall pay the same

15. The county librarian shall receive two thousand four hundred dollars per year

16. The county sealer of weights and measures, at an annual salary of two thousand one hundred sixty dollars

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 106—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway; providing for the acquiring of rights of way and construction of bridges on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title, after the words "construction of" strike out the word "bridges" and insert in lieu thereof "a causeway with approaches".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 4, of section 1 of the printed bill, after the word "meridian" strike out the last word in line 4 with all of lines 5, 6 and 7 and in lieu thereof insert the following "Southwesterly across the Sutter by-pass to the intersection of said public highway with the south line of said section nineteen, said point of intersection being one thousand four hundred forty feet westerly from the southeast corner of section nineteen and being a portion of public highway leading from the town of Woodland"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the words "department of public works" and insert in lieu thereof the words "California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the words "department of public works" and insert in lieu thereof the words "California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "all" insert the word "necessary", and after the word "way" strike out the remainder of line 14 and all of lines 15 and 16 and insert in lieu thereof the words "and to build and construct a causeway with approaches over the above described route".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "plants" strike out all of the remainder of lines 23 and 24 and insert in lieu thereof "and construction of said causeway".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 969—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 970—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 730—An act to amend sections 852*a* and 881 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections for and adoption of the commission form of government, and relating to the compensation of officers of municipalities.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 495—An act to protect poultry from contagious and infectious diseases and to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "in" and insert in lieu thereof the word "into".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, of the printed bill, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"Sec. 5 Nothing in this act shall be construed to deprive the regular inspectors of chartered and incorporated cities or cities and counties, where regular inspection is maintained by persons employed who have passed a civil service meat, market and poultry inspection examination, of the powers granted them by their several municipalities in inspection of poultry and fowls of all kinds."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the figure "6" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "7".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1913, as amended relating to assessment and collection of taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title by striking out the figures "1913" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "1915".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 58—An act to amend section 1928 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention

homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 37—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits, and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 300—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in controller's office.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to the planting of trees in memory of Clara Barton.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 14.

Relative to the planting of trees in memory of Clara Barton.

WHEREAS, Clara Barton was the founder, and for twenty-three years the president, of the American Red Cross Society (a position now held by the President of the United States), and was later the president of the National First Aid Association of America; and

WHEREAS, The life of Clara Barton as our greatest humanitarian is worthy of study by the youth of our State, and

WHEREAS, Memorial tree-planting stimulates general tree-planting, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, That it is the sense of this Legislature that it would be in the interest of our State to have memorial trees planted to the memory of this immortal American; and especially calling the attention to this matter of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, the various county superintendents of schools, the district school trustees, and likewise the heads of all public and private institutions throughout the State, including the superintendents of parks in the various cities, towns, and villages of our great commonwealth.

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 25 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1001—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the State Highway Commission for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1001 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 321—An act amending sections 378 and 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, 379*b*, 379*c*, and 391, all relating to the joinder of parties to actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 321 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 831 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 591—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act relating to estrays, providing for taking them up and giving a lien on them for all damages, costs, and expenses incurred by reasons of taking them up, and repealing all other acts and parts of acts now in force relating to estrays," approved March 23, 1901, as amended, relating to estrays.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 591 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—41.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 825 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 833—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 833 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—Brown—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1238 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exercise of the right of eminent domain.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 469 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1171 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to amend section 29 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property

therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1170 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the county of Los Angeles in said State upon certain trusts and conditions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1095 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 947—An act to amend section 2039 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors over roads and highways of the county.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 947 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1183—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered 19*a* and 19*b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1183 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 91—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof of the State Armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration of mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*e* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 812—An act to amend sections 6, 7, 9, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to

regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Noyes:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 7, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to define the boundary, provide for the care, strengthening and repairing of the levee, and for the payment of the indebtedness of Levee District No 1 of Sutter County," approved March 20, 1874, as amended, relating to the salaries of directors

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until ten o'clock a.m., Monday, March 9, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 9, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m, pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Loutzit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Deuel, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Judge William Doran of Los Angeles was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Darneal of Oakland, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mrs. C. DeMar of Los Angeles, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following concurrent resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 15—Relative to adjournment.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Rules.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations of actions;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California", to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 158—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. W. Levers against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 52 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulating and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 51—An act to amend section 631*a* of the Political Code, relating to the publication of notice of withdrawal of insurance companies from this State,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 453*f* of the Civil Code, relating to the guarantee fund and investments of title insurance corporations,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to employment conditions and hours of labor of females;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 184—An act to validate the organization and incorporation of municipal corporations,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and inclusion thereof, within municipal corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways, to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts, for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts, and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the confinement, care and reformation of delinquent women, to provide for its maintenance, conduct and government, to provide for commitment and admission thereto, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved May 3, 1913, relating to deposit of moneys,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 501—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide that the Department of Engineering of the State of California may acquire for and in the name of the people of the State of California, by purchase, donation, dedication or by proceedings in eminent domain, additional rights of way, land and trees on and along the course of any State highway," approved April 1, 1915;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 584—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots ten, eleven and twelve in block four of Diestelhorst's addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block five and lots six and seven in block six of said Diestelhorst's addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the abandonment of portions of routes of State roads and highways by the advisory board of the State Department of Engineering, and for consent thereto in certain cases by county boards of supervisors," approved May 20, 1915.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 730—An act to amend sections 852*a* and 881 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections for and adoption of the commission form of government, and relating to the compensation of officers of municipalities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected, repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments, to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, by amending section 4 thereof, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof so as to provide additional penalties for failures to pay monthly or semimonthly as in section 2 of the said act provided and providing for the collection of the civil penalties provided by civil action by the said commissioner:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 969—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the distuieting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 970—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3457*a*, relating to claims against reclamation districts for which warrants may be issued:

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Burns: An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes; prohibiting the use of secondhand boxes for packing such pastes; prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation, compounding, packing, selling, or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored alimentary pastes; vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect.

Also: An act to regulate the containers for drugs.

By Mr. Dodge: An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, Southern Branch property on Vermont Avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California.

By Mr. Mitchell: An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein, requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled, and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, relating to disinfection of materials.

By Mr. Noyes An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to define the boundary, provide for the care, strengthening and repairing of the levee, and for the payment of the indebtedness of Levee District No. 1 of Sutter County," approved March 20, 1874, as amended, relating to the salaries of directors

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and twenty minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", insert the following: "All claims by the State of California for any right of way and for any use as streets or other interest which the public may have in or to the following described portions of submerged lands officially described and known as streets or avenues in the town of Sausalito

(1) All that portion of Humboldt avenue commencing at the intersection of the northeasterly line of Humboldt avenue with the southeasterly line of Johnson street; thence southwesterly along the southeasterly line of Johnson street to the southwesterly line of Humboldt avenue; thence southeasterly along said line of Humboldt avenue to the intersection of said line with the westerly line of Railroad avenue; thence northerly along said line of Railroad avenue to its intersection with the northeasterly line of Humboldt avenue, thence northwesterly along said northeasterly line of Humboldt avenue to the point of beginning.

(2) All that portion of Humboldt avenue lying between the northwesterly line of Johnson street and the southeasterly line of Pine street.

(3) All that portion of Humboldt avenue lying between the northwesterly line of Pine street and the southeasterly line of Turney street

(4) All that portion of Humboldt avenue lying between the northwesterly line of Turney street and the southeasterly line of Locust street

(5) All that portion of Humboldt avenue lying between the northwesterly line of Locust street and the southeasterly line of Litho street.

(6) All that portion of Humboldt avenue lying between the northwesterly line of Litho street and the southeasterly line of Bee street.

(7) All that portion of Humboldt avenue lying between the northwesterly line of Bee street and the southeasterly line of Napa street.

(8) All that portion of Railroad avenue commencing at the intersection of the westerly line of Railroad avenue with the northeasterly line of Humboldt avenue, thence northerly along said line of Railroad avenue a distance of five hundred thirty-one feet to the intersection with the southwesterly line of Donahue avenue; thence southeasterly along said line of Donahue avenue, if produced southeasterly, to the intersection with the easterly line of Railroad avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line of Railroad avenue three hundred fifty-six feet to a point from which a line at right angles intersects the point of beginning thence at right angles westerly a distance of two hundred feet to the point of beginning

(9) All that portion of B street lying between Railroad avenue and Humboldt avenue.

(10) All that portion of C, D and E streets lying between Donahue avenue and Humboldt avenue, are hereby relinquished and abandoned.

SEC. 2 The legislature hereby declares that the intention of this act is to relinquish and abandon all the above mentioned portions of streets and to vest all right, title and interest of the State of California in and to said lands above described, and to completely transfer and cede the same, in and to the town of Sausalito."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 54—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 635*m*, relating to the conditions upon which surety companies may transact business in this state.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "incurred" insert the following "Any surety or sureties upon such bond shall have the right to require the principal named in said bond, on sixty days notice, to furnish a new bond, to be approved by the insurance commissioner conditioned as herein provided, and, in the event of a failure to do so, the right of said principal to issue policies or insurance or surety bonds shall be suspended pending its filing of said new bond. Upon the filing of said new bond, approved as herein required, and not until such filing and approval, all liability under the previous bond shall thereby terminate. Said new bond shall embrace the entire liability of said previous bond except in so far as the same may have been paid or discharged, provided that the filing of said new bond shall not affect any action pending upon the old bond No fee shall be charged for the making of said deposit or filing of such bonds."

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 57—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 596*c*, relating to the failure of insurance companies to discharge their contracts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "any" insert the word "valid".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1070—An act to amend section 4531 of the Civil Code, relating to filing of annual statements with Insurance Commissioner by assessment corporations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title by striking out all of line 1 of said title after the word "section" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "four hundred fifty-three *l*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the second word "Section" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four hundred fifty-three *l*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 3, strike out figures "4531" and insert in lieu thereof "453*l*"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to amend section 424 of the Civil Code, relating to the capital stock of fire and marine insurance corporations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "The" strike out the word "entire".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "corporation" insert the following in quotes: "required by provisions of section five nine four of the Political Code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "until" strike out the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "entire" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 47—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 453*q*, relating to mutual life or mutual casualty corporations, societies or associations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of the printed bill by inserting before the period following the word "associations" the following, "conducting business on the assessment plan".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "association" strike out comma and words "except fraternal beneficiary associations" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "fraternal beneficiary associations,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "associations" strike out the word "except".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the following "fraternal beneficiary associations,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 453*i* of the Civil Code, specifying conditions to be complied with by foreign life, health, accident and annuity or endowment associations desiring to transact business in this State.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend title by inserting after word "associations" the following, "doing business on the assessment plan".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 25, after the word "state" strike out the period and insert a semicolon and the following "*provided*, that in lieu of the deposit required in this section, any such company or association may deposit with the state treasurer a surety bond in an amount equal to the amount of securities herein provided to be deposited, executed by a surety company authorized to do business in this state."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "him" insert a period and strike out the balance of lines 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission" and insert in lieu thereof the word "commissioner".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 210—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to acknowledgments.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 646—An act to amend section 689*b*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to selling personal property under execution.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 947*q*, relating to judgment in small claims courts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof ", and the presiding party in the small claims court is also entitled to all costs in any proceeding taken by him in aid of an execution issued upon any judgment recovered therein".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 980—An act to amend section 204*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the secretary of superior judges as jury commissioner.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, insert the following:

"Section 204*c* Jury commissioner. In any county or city and county where there is a secretary of the superior judges of such county or city and county, a majority of the superior judges may in their discretion require such secretary to

perform the duties of jury commissioner in addition to his regular duties as secretary. In such case the salary of the secretary of the superior judges shall be five hundred dollars a month. The secretary may appoint one chief deputy who shall receive a salary of two hundred and fifty dollars a month and one deputy who shall receive a salary of two hundred and twenty-five dollars a month."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "year" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided, further*, that in counties of this class the county clerk shall be and hereby is authorized to retain for his own use and benefit such fees or parts of fees as are now or which hereafter may be allowed to county clerks by the laws of the United States, pertaining to naturalization of citizens and to the public lands."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 6 to 27, inclusive. On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 51, inclusive. On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive. On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive. On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive. On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive. On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 51, inclusive. On page 8 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 33, inclusive. Insert in lieu thereof the following:

1. The county clerk, four thousand dollars: *provided*, that said clerk shall have the following deputies: One chief deputy, who shall act as clerk of the board of supervisors, and who shall be paid a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy clerk, who shall be paid a salary of one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars per annum, two deputies, who shall act as court room clerks and shall each be paid a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. In the event that the legislature shall hereafter increase the number of superior judges in any county of this class, an additional court room deputy shall be appointed by said county clerk at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, who shall perform the duties and act in place of the deputy provided for by section four thousand two hundred and ninety of the Political Code. The county clerk shall perform the duties of registrar of voters and shall appoint additional deputies who shall act as registration deputies for the purpose of registering electors outside of the county court house grounds, and such deputies shall be paid the sum of ten cents per name for each affidavit of registration taken by them and the claims of such deputies for such service shall be presented to, and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims against the county are presented and allowed. The county clerk shall also be allowed not to exceed four additional deputies for a period of not to exceed ten months during each and every even numbered year, which said deputies shall receive as compensation for their services, three dollars and a half per day each, during such time as they may serve as such deputies. The county clerk shall pay into the county treasury to the credit of the salary fund at the close of each month, all fees and commissions received by said county clerk during the

month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from which said fees and commissions have been received

2. The sheriff, four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that said sheriff shall have the following deputies and assistants: One deputy who shall act as under-sheriff, and who shall be paid a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; four deputies, each of whom shall be paid a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and a matron who shall also perform the duties of cook and whose compensation shall be three dollars per day and her board at the jail of said county while performing such duties. The sheriff shall receive and retain for his use, the compensation allowed by the state for the transportation of prisoners to and from the state prisons, and for conveying persons to and from the insane asylums, state hospitals and other state institutions. All other fees and mileage received by the sheriff shall be paid into the county treasury and placed to the credit of the salary fund. In the event that the legislature shall hereafter increase the number of superior judges in any county of this class, an additional court room deputy shall be appointed by said sheriff, which said deputy shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and shall perform the duties and act in place of the deputy provided for in section four thousand two hundred and ninety of the Political Code.

3. The county recorder, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that said recorder shall have the following deputies and assistants: One chief deputy who shall be paid a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies, each of whom shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, two comparing clerks, each of whom shall be paid a salary of one hundred dollars per month; and such copyists as are necessary to perform the duties of the office, who shall receive a compensation of three cents per folio for each folio of any instrument recorded and necessary to be transcribed by said recorder, and which said compensation shall be paid out of the salary fund of such county. All fees collected by the county recorder shall be paid into the county treasury and placed to the credit of the salary fund.

4. The county auditor, three thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that said auditor shall have the following deputies and assistants: Three deputies, each of whom shall be paid a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and such additional assistants each year as the board of supervisors may consider necessary to promptly perform the work required to be done in the office of said auditor, said assistants to be employed by said auditor and to be paid a compensation of not to exceed four dollars per day while actually employed, and the compensation of such assistants shall not in the aggregate exceed the sum of one thousand dollars in any one year. It shall be the duty of the county auditor in counties of this class to prepare for the board of supervisors, the reports required by sections four thousand ninety-nine and four thousand forty-nine of the Political Code, and all fees and commissions received by the county auditor shall be paid by him into the county treasury and placed to the credit of the salary fund.

5. The county treasurer, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that said treasurer shall have one deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars per annum.

6. The tax collector, three thousand dollars per annum, in full compensation for all services performed as tax collector and ex officio license collector, *provided*, that said tax collector shall have the following deputies and assistants: One chief deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars per annum, two deputies, each of whom shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, three copyists from the first day of July each year to the first day of September each year, each of whom shall be paid a salary of one hundred dollars per month, fifteen clerks for a period of not to exceed two months in any one year, each of whom shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, and such additional assistants during each year as the board of supervisors may consider necessary to promptly perform the work required to be done in the office of said tax collector, said assistants to be employed by said tax collector and to be paid a compensation of four dollars per day while actually employed, and such compensation shall not in the aggregate exceed the sum of one thousand dollars per annum. All fees and commissions paid to the tax collector and ex officio license collector, shall be paid into the county treasury and placed to the credit of the salary fund.

7. The county assessor, four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that said assessor shall be allowed the following deputies and assistants: One deputy, who shall be known as chief deputy, and who shall be paid a salary of one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars per annum, one copyist and stenographer, who shall be paid a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; three copyists for a period not exceeding six months in each year, each of whom shall be paid a salary of one hundred dollars per month; six field deputies for a period not exceeding four months in each year, each of whom shall be paid a salary of six dollars per day; twelve field deputies for a period not exceeding four months in

each year, each of whom shall be paid a salary of seven dollars per day. All fees and commissions, including all sums collected by the assessor or his deputies as personal property taxes, shall be paid into the county treasury monthly as collected, with a statement of account of each collection.

8. The district attorney, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that the district attorney shall have the following deputies and assistants: An assistant district attorney who shall be paid a salary of three thousand three hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall be paid a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; one deputy who shall be paid a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall be paid a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer who shall be paid a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month, and one stenographer who shall be paid a salary of one hundred dollars per month.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, as full compensation of all services required of him by law, including his duties as a member of the county board of education, three thousand dollars per annum, and actual and necessary traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county, *provided*, that the superintendent of schools of his county; *provided*, that the superintendent of schools shall have the following deputies: One chief deputy who shall be paid a salary of two thousand two hundred dollars per annum; a second deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, said chief deputy and said second deputy to be qualified teachers, competent to perform the duties of said office, either in the field or in said office.

12. The county surveyor three thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that the surveyor shall have the following deputies and assistants: One deputy who shall be paid a salary of two thousand dollars per annum; one field inspector who shall be paid a salary of two thousand dollars per annum; one field and office assistant who shall also act as stenographer and who shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. In addition the county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary traveling and other expenses incurred by himself or by said deputy, field inspector or assistant in the performance of all work in the field and in the discharge of the duties of his office, and said surveyor shall also have power to employ such inspectors, chainmen, rodmen and other field help as may be necessary to perform the duties of his office in the field and for the proper supervision and inspection of all highways, bridges, structures and other engineering work, which the said county surveyor may be required by the board of supervisors to supervise or inspect, while under construction, and the compensation of said inspectors and other help shall be a proper charge against the county, and shall be paid out of the county general fund upon the presentation of proper claims therefor to the board of supervisors in any county of this class. The county surveyor shall do all surveying and engineering work for the county, including the preparation of plans and specifications for the construction of bridges and in any county of this class, whenever a portion of the county general fund has been appropriated for the construction of highways or bridges, or bonds have been issued under the provisions of section four thousand eighty-eight of the Political Code for the construction of bridges or highways, the county surveyor may at any time during the planning, laying out or construction of said bridges or highways, employ all necessary inspectors, draftsmen and field or office help for the purpose of assisting said county surveyor in planning, laying out or supervising and inspecting the construction of such bridges or highways, and the compensation of all persons so employed shall be paid out of the fund created for such work upon the presentation of proper claims therefor to the board of supervisors, *provided, however*, that before employing any inspectors and field or office help, the surveyor shall first obtain the consent of the board of supervisors to such employment, and said inspectors and field or office help shall not be employed for a period longer than may be necessary to actually complete said bridges or highways, and the compensation of all such persons employed as inspectors, draftsmen, field or office help, shall be prescribed by the board of supervisors. The board of supervisors shall have the power to appoint the county surveyor, superintendent of maintenance of permanent highways constructed under bond issues, direct tax or county general funds, and such surveyor, in the event of such appointment, must perform the duties of such superintendent of maintenance and when so appointed, shall receive a salary of eight hundred dollars per annum. He shall be allowed all necessary help to perform the duties of such superintendent of maintenance, the compensation of which help shall be fixed by the board of supervisors, and which said board shall furnish such superintendent of maintenance with necessary equipment and funds to properly perform such work.

13. For the purpose of regulating the compensation of the justices of the peace and constables in counties of the eleventh class, the townships of said counties are hereby classified as follows: Townships having a population of ten thousand and

more shall belong to, and be known as townships of the first class: townships having a population of not less than six thousand and under ten thousand, shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class townships having a population of not less than three thousand and under six thousand, shall belong to, and be known as townships of the third class, townships having a population of not less than one thousand and under three thousand, shall belong to, and be known as townships of the fourth class: townships having a population under one thousand shall belong to, and be known as townships of the fifth class, provided that for the purposes of this section, the population of the several townships of counties of this class shall be ascertained by the board of supervisors by multiplying the number of registered voters at the last preceding general presidential election by three.

14 Justices of the peace in townships of the first class shall be paid a salary of one hundred and seventy-five dollars per month For each justice's court in townships of the first class, there shall be one justice's clerk, who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace and who shall be paid a salary of one hundred dollars per month which shall be payable in the same manner and out of the same funds as county officers are paid. Said justice's clerk shall take the oath of office prescribed for county officers and execute an official bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned upon and for the faithful discharge of the duties of the office of justice's clerk, which bond shall be approved and filed in the same manner as are bonds of county officers Said justice's clerk shall be authorized to administer all oaths, take and serve affidavits and shall be authorized to issue and sign writs, summons, notices and all other process in any action or proceedings in the justice's court of the township for which said clerk has been appointed, or pending before any justice of the peace in said township, in the name of the justice before whom the same is pending, or out of whose court the same is issued and all such instruments shall be issued and signed in substantially the following form

"_____
Justice of the Peace.

Attest:

_____
Clerk"

All legal papers of every kind in actions or proceedings in such justice's court, including all proceedings pending in said court as a small claims court, shall be issued by the said justice's clerk in the manner and form hereinbefore set forth, and said justice's clerk shall issue, sign and certify any and all papers, transcripts or records which are required to be issued, signed or certified by said justice of the peace. All pleadings and papers required to be filed in the said justice's court shall be filed with such justice's clerk and such clerk shall be authorized and is empowered to make entry in the official docket, and other books required to be kept by said justice of the peace, of the actions and proceedings in said court, and such clerk shall have all the powers of justices clerks now and hereafter provided by law. All fees for the issuance of all process, or other fees, which are by law allowed for any official service of the justice of the peace, must be paid in advance to the clerk of said justice's court, and together with all fees, fines, forfeitures or penalties received in said justices court shall be paid into the county treasury, and said justice's clerk shall render on or before the first Monday of each month to the county auditor, an exact account under oath of all fines, forfeitures, penalties and fees received by him or collected by said court.

Justices of the peace in townships other than townships of the first class, shall be paid the following monthly salaries, to wit In townships of the second class one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month, in townships of the third class, one hundred dollars per month, in townships of the fourth class, fifty dollars per month; in townships of the fifth class, thirty dollars per month; and all salaries provided for by this section shall be in full compensation of all services rendered by said justices of the peace and justice's clerks, in both civil and criminal cases, and all such fees as are allowed by law in civil cases shall be paid by all justices and justice's clerks into the county treasury

15 Constables shall be paid the following monthly salaries each month in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid, and said salaries shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in both civil and criminal cases In townships of the first class one hundred and fifty dollars per month; in townships of the second class one hundred and fifty dollars per month, in townships of the third class, one hundred dollars per month, in townships of the fourth class, seventy-five dollars per month, in townships of the fifth class, thirty dollars per month. All such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law in civil cases shall be paid by all constables into the county treasury In addition to the monthly salary herein provided, each constable shall be allowed all expenses necessarily and actually incurred by him in the execution of all criminal and civil process.

16 It shall be the duty of each and every justice of the peace and constable to file in the office of the board of supervisors on or before the first Monday of each and every month, a full and complete statement showing all business, both civil and criminal, done during the preceding month The statement of the constable shall contain a full and correct account of all process served in both civil and criminal actions, and his statement of criminal actions, together with the

mileage from the office of such constable to the place of arrest. All justices of the peace shall file a full and correct statement of all civil and criminal actions, and fees received therefrom, said statements to be sworn to before some officer entitled by law to administer oaths, *provided* that in townships of the first class, such statement may be made and sworn to by the justice's clerk

17. Each supervisor shall be paid a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum for all personal service performed by him as supervisor, member of the board of equalization and road commissioner Each supervisor shall also receive his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in performing any of the duties of his office, the claim for which shall be allowed by the board of supervisors and paid out of the county general fund, *provided* that the amount so allowed to such supervisor for such expense shall not exceed one hundred dollars per month; *and provided*, that each supervisor shall furnish his own means of conveyance and shall render each month an itemized statement, showing the miles actually traveled in the pursuance of his duties as a supervisor for which he shall be allowed mileage at twelve and a half cents per mile as expenses, up to the amount above specified.

18 The county librarian, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum.

19 All fees and sums required by law to be paid into the county treasury by any county or township officer shall be so paid on the first Monday in each month after collection.

Section 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof, and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend section 1*b* of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration of mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title after the words "section one" strike out the letter "*b*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the second "section one" strike out the letter "*b*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 7, 8 and 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Terms defined Certain terms when used in this act shall, unless such construction be inconsistent with the context, be construed as follows

(*a*) The words "agricultural seeds," all domesticated grasses, cereals, legumes such as alfalfa, sweet clover, red clover, crimson clover, alsike clover, white clover, field peas, cow peas, beans, soy beans, and vetches, and the seeds of all other crops that are or may be grown commercially on a field scale in this state, not including flower, sugar beet, and garden vegetable seeds.

(*b*) "Noxious weeds" as used in this act shall mean "noxious weeds" as defined by Sec. 2322*c* of the Political Code.

(*c*) The words "weed seeds" any and all noxious weed seeds and any and all seeds not included in the definition of agricultural seeds.

(*d*) "Label," a tag or label affixed in a conspicuous place on the exterior of a package or other container, plainly written or printed in the English language in type not smaller than seven point.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 812—An act to amend sections 6, 7, 9, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of line 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. Section six of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 6. Any person over twenty-one years of age shall be eligible to take an examination before the board of dental examiners of California, upon making application therefor, and upon (1) paying a fee of twenty-five dollars: *provided*, that the fee shall be fifty dollars for applicants presenting credentials from states other than California; (2) furnishing satisfactory testimonials of good moral character, (3) furnishing satisfactory evidence of having graduated from a reputable dental college, which must have been approved by the board of dental examiners of California, *provided*, that after August 1, 1918, he shall also file his diploma or certificate of graduation with recommendations from a high school accredited to the University of California or any other university of equal standing, or a certificate signed by a state superintendent of public instruction, or similar officer to the effect that such applicant has had scholastic preparation equivalent in all respects to that demanded for graduation with recommendations from a high school giving a four-year course of instruction in the state from which such certificate is issued; (4) in lieu of such diploma or certificate from an accredited high school, such applicant, after said date, may and with like effect furnish to said board of dental examiners a certificate from the board of dental examiners, or similar official body, of some other state in the United States, showing that such applicant has been a duly licensed practitioner of dentistry in such other state for a period of at least five years; *provided, however*, that every person actually engaged as an apprentice to a regularly licensed dentist who has practiced in the State of California for ten years or more shall be eligible for examination, if, within thirty days after the passage of this act, he shall file with the secretary of the board an affidavit stating his name, age, the length of time for which he has been actually apprenticed and with whom, and who, at the time of his application for examination shall show to the satisfaction of the board that he has served an apprenticeship of at least five years and is a graduate from a high school or similar institution of learning in this or some other state of the United States requiring a three years' course of study, and *provided*, that no examination shall be given to an applicant claiming the right to take the same as an apprentice later than December 30, 1915

Each applicant for the certificate of scholastic preparation to be issued by the state superintendent of public instruction as hereinbefore provided shall pay a fee of ten dollars, all of such fees to be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the contingent fund of the superintendent of public instruction and applied by him in defraying or in partially defraying the expense of investigating the qualifications of such applicants

SEC. 2. Section seven of said act approved May 21, 1915, is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 7. The examination by the board of applicants for license to practice dentistry in this state shall be sufficiently thorough to test the fitness of the applicant to practice dentistry. It shall include, written in the English language, questions on the following subjects: Anatomy, histology, physiology, anaesthesia, materia medica, pathology, bacteriology, therapeutics, oral surgery, chemistry, metallurgy, operative dentistry, prosthetic dentistry and orthodontia, and such other subjects as the board may require, *provided*, that the addition of any new subject or subjects be published at least ninety (90) days prior to the examination; the answers to which shall be written in the English language. Said written examination may be supplemented by an oral examination. Demonstrations of the applicant's skill in operative and prosthetic dentistry must also be given. All persons successfully passing such examination shall be registered as licensed dentists on the board register, as provided in section three, and shall be granted by the board a license to

practice dentistry in the State of California. When a candidate for a license shall have received a grading of eighty-five per cent or above in any given subject, he shall be exempt from re-examination on that subject in subsequent examinations before the said board held at the first or second meeting thereafter. Any member of the board may inquire of any applicant for examination concerning his character, qualifications or experience and may take testimony of any one in regard thereto, under oath, which he is hereby empowered to administer.

SEC. 3. Section nine of said act approved May 21, 1915, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9. Before any person can practice dentistry in this state he shall obtain a license to do so from the board of dental examiners. Each application for license shall be accompanied by a fee of twenty-five dollars, except as provided in section six, which shall in no case be refunded, except that in the case of applicants requiring examination the said fee shall be refunded if the applicant shall be found ineligible to take such examination. Such license shall remain in force until the following first day of May and thereafter so long as the holder thereof shall comply with the provisions of this section relating to an annual tax but not otherwise, and notwithstanding the payment of such tax such license may at any time be forfeited or revoked for a violation of the further requirements of this act. To provide a fund for the enforcement of the provisions of this act every person holding a license to practice dentistry in this state without exception shall pay an annual license tax for the year commencing with the first day of May next following the issuance of such license and annually thereafter. Such payment to be effective shall be made prior to the commencement of the year for which the same accrues and the receipt of the secretary of the board shall be indispensable evidence that the same has been made. The failure, neglect or refusal of any person who was a regularly licensed dentist to pay in advance said annual tax of two dollars during the time his or her license remained in force shall ipso facto work a forfeiture of his or her license, and it shall not be restored except upon a written application therefor and the payment to said board of twenty-five dollars, except that such person shall not be required to submit to any examination.

SEC. 4. Section twelve of said act approved May 21, 1915, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 12. Any person, company or association shall be guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished, by a fine of not less than one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars, nor more than three thousand ($3,000.00) dollars, or imprisonment in the state prison for a term of not less than one (1) year, nor more than three (3) years, or by both such fine and imprisonment, who (1) shall sell or barter or offer to sell or barter any dental degree or any certificate or transcript, made or purporting to be made, pursuant to the laws regulating the license and registration of dentists, or (2) shall purchase or procure by barter any such diploma, certificate or transcript, with intent that the same shall be used as evidence of the holder's qualification to practice dentistry, or in fraud of the laws regulating such practice, or (3) shall with fraudulent intent, alter in a material regard any such diploma, certificate or transcript or (4) shall use, attempt or cause to be used any such diploma, certificate or transcript, which has been purchased, fraudulently issued, counterfeited or materially altered, either as a license to practice dentistry, or in order to procure registration as a dentist or (5) shall within ten days after demand made by the secretary of the board, fail to furnish to said board the name and address of all persons practicing or assisting in the practice of dentistry in the office of said person, company or association, at any time within sixty days prior to said notice, together with a sworn statement showing under and by what license or authority said person company or association and said employees are or have been practicing dentistry, but such affidavit shall not be used in any prosecution under this section, and any person shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable as in this section above provided who (1) shall assume the degree of "doctor of dental surgery" or "doctor of dental medicine," or shall append the letters "D. D. S." or "D. M. D." to his or her name not having duly conferred upon him or her, by diploma from a recognized dental college or school legally empowered to confer the same, the right to assume said title; or shall assume any title, or append any letters to his or her name, with the intent to represent falsely that he or she has received a dental degree or license, or (2) shall in an affidavit, required of an applicant for examination, license or registration, under this act, willfully make a false statement in a material regard; or (3) shall engage in the practice of dentistry without causing to be displayed in a conspicuous manner and in a conspicuous place in his or her office the name of each and every person employed in the practice of dentistry therein, together with the word mechanic after the name of each unlicensed person employed, or (4) is practicing dentistry in the state without a license, or whose license has been revoked or suspended, or (5) shall under any false, assumed or fictitious name, either as an individual, firm, corporation or otherwise or any name other than the name under which he is licensed practice, advertise or in any other manner indicate that he is practicing or will practice dentistry. Nothing in this

section contained shall be held to prohibit the conferring of degrees and the bestowing of diplomas, by reputable dental colleges of this state, which have been indorsed by the board of dental examiners of California.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322e of the Political Code, relating to agriculture.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 18 and 19 of the printed bill, strike out the words 'Concolvulus Arvensis' and insert in lieu thereof the words "Convolvulus arvensis".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Arvense" and insert in lieu thereof the word "arvensis".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, before the word "found" insert the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "week" and insert in lieu thereof the word "weed"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "chapter" insert the words "and title"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "deseases" and insert in lieu thereof the word "diseases".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and forty-five minutes a. m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Lyons

The roll of absentees was called, and the report of the Committee on Introduction of Bills adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2—Relative to memorializing the Congress of the United States to propose to the several legislatures of the states of the union an amendment to the constitution of the United States to permit the election of President and Vice President of the United States by direct vote of the electors of the United States.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Dillinger, Dorris, Jacobson, Louttit, McDonough, Mueller, Murray, Reindollar, Runner, Wemple, and West—16.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Rosenshine asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Bill No. 37, at this time, without reference to file.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

Senate Bill No. 37—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits, and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 37 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartiantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Coombs—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 138—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629 and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Rosenshine moved that Assembly Bill No. 138 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 138 re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 713 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the legislative body of any city, county, school district or other public corporation to employ the services of trained experts, and pay the cost thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 429 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Browne, Cleveland, Dayton, Louttit, and Williamson—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to new trials.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 195 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—73.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 822—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 822 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—71.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 824—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 824 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—71.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.
Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Assembly Bill No. 191 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 191 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Assembly Bill No. 194 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 194 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 23—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 536*b*, relating to false statements of grades of lumber and building materials.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Sewell moved that Assembly Bill No. 23 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 23 re-referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "California Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jones moved that Assembly Bill No. 896 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 896 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act."

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jones moved that Assembly Bill No. 897 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 897 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulating and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Jones moved that Assembly Bill No. 898 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 898 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California", to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Spence moved that Assembly Bill No. 5 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 5 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO USE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Mr. Johnson asked for and was granted permission to use the Assembly Chamber for a public hearing by the Committee on Live Stock and Dairies Thursday evening, March 12, 1925.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce brokers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products, to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State directors of agriculture with reference thereto, to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to the citrus white fly—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Murray.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to the holding of State fairs.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Reindollar:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for an investigation of economical and efficient treatment and disposal of sewage and industrial wastes; describing the duties of the State Board of Health with respect thereto; providing for the fixing of compensation of employees in making such investigation and making an appropriation therefor.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mrs. Woodbridge:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Burns: Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes; prohibiting the use of secondhand boxes for packing such pastes; prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation, compounding, packing, selling, or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored

alimentary pastes; vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1210—An act to regulate the containers for drugs.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, Southern Branch property on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

By Mr. Mitchell: Assembly Bill No. 1212—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, relating to disinfection of materials.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 1213—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to define the boundary, provide for the care, strengthening and repairing of the levee, and for the payment of the indebtedness of Levee District No. 1 of Sutter County," approved March 20, 1874, as amended, relating to the salaries of directors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

MOTION.

Mr. Eksward moved that the Journals of Saturday, January 24, 1925; Tuesday, February 24, 1925; Wednesday, February 25, 1925; Thursday, February 26, 1925 and Friday, February 27, 1925, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 171 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Davis, Dodge, Dorris Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough,

McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—39.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Little, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, and Wemple—38.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Hornblower gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 171 was this day refused passage.

Assembly Bill No. 395—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law and regulating employment, hours, kinds, and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to disposition of funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 395 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 396—An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to prohibit employers or certain agents or representatives of employers from demanding or receiving any money or other consideration from an employee as a condition of employment or of continuing to perform services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to forbid managers, superintendents, foremen and other persons having authority from their respective employers to hire, employ, or direct the services of other persons in such employments, to demand or receive any fee, gift or other remuneration in consideration of any such hiring, employment or permission to continue to perform work or services in such employment; and to provide for the enforcement of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics,' approved April 12, 1915," approved May 5, 1917.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 396 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Broughton, Byrne, Crittenden, Graves, and Mueller—5.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 52 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 522 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright T. M., and Mr. Speaker—72.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 521 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes,

Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to employment conditions and hours of labor of females.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Scudder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, between the word "drying" and the word "of" insert the words "and packing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, between the word "can" and the word "or" insert a comma and the word "pack".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Scudder as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 157, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

SCUDDER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner

and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915,'' approved May 6, 1919, by amending section four thereof, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to provide additional penalties for failures to pay monthly or semimonthly as in section 2 of the said act provided and providing for the collection of the civil penalties provided by civil action by the said commissioner.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 742 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—Little, and Walters—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 823 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. Deuel asked for and was granted leave of absence for Tuesday, March 10, 1925.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 10, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 10, 1925.

At ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartmanft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Cleveland, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Judge Price of Alpine County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. E. F. Jones of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Nielsen and West, Eva H. Francis and Dorothy J. Wanzer, teachers of Stanford Junior High School, and the following pupils: Esther Ford, Rowena Merritt, Helen Roberts, Margaret Hildebrand, Mary Clayton, Ruth Crowell, Christenia Ness, Jane Brown, Jacquelyn Bowen, Horace Horton, Vernon Greer, Robert Burd, John Howe, Paul Horton, Philip Groff, William Hayes, Jack Willi, Max Hill, Harvey Jennings, Pauline Seal, Audrey Olmsted, Olive Shannon, Alice Koshell, Ruby Bottomley, Elizabeth Jenkins, Alice Carrington, George Seringer, Vernon Croft, Lenere Emeral, Amorette Hoerl, Malcolm Witbeck, Kenneth Loomer, and Leslie Eales, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Mr. Ray Morrow of Glendale, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 184—An act to validate the organization and incorporation of municipal corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 184 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, J. A., moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and inclusion thereof, within municipal corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 186 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water; for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 263 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison,

Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 584—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots ten, eleven and twelve in block four of Diestelhorst's addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block five and lots six and seven in block six of said Diestelhorst's addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 584 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 341 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide that the Department of Engineering of the State of California may acquire for and in the name of the people of the State of California, by purchase, donation, dedication or by proceedings in eminent domain, additional rights of way, land and trees on and along the course of any State highway," approved April 1, 1915.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Assembly Bill No. 583 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the abandonment of portions of routes of State roads and highways by the advisory board of the State Department of Engineering, and for consent thereto in certain cases by county boards of supervisors," approved May 20, 1915.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 588 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52
NOES—Cleveland—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 489 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 969—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 969 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Schofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 970—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 970 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 153 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillmger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Coombs moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" immediately before the word "dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "six" immediately before the word "dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 47, of the printed bill, insert the words "and fifty" immediately following the word "hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Coombs as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 538, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

COOMBS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 107—An act granting to the city of South San Francisco the salt marsh, tide and submerged lands of the State of California, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of South San Francisco and regulating the management, use and control thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 107 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Cambell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act to prevent the spread of plant pests by means of containers, appliances or articles used in connection with various agricultural commodities, to confer upon the Director of the Department of Agriculture the power to designate such species and prescribe such treatment therefor as he shall deem adequate to prevent such spread, to confer upon the county horticultural commissioners the power to prescribe such treatment, to prohibit the transportation from or into any county or locality of the State of any such

containers, appliances or articles unless proof shall have been furnished that the same have not been exposed to infection or infestation by such plant pests, to make a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act for the prevention, eradication and control of insect pests and diseases affecting grapes, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation thereto," approved June 3, 1921

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1092 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1003—An act to amend sections 1327, 1328, 1333, 1491, 1658 and 1664 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1003 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3244*a*, relating to hours of labor of employees and guards at the State prisons;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, in counties of the thirtieth class;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class,

Also· Assembly Bill No 299—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles county flood control district'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and

the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 495—An act to protect poultry from contagious and infectious diseases and to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing combination insurance policies.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 106—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway; providing for the acquiring of rights of way and construction of a causeway with approaches on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering, providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for professional engineers granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers and providing penalties for the violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend the title of and revise an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, and to include therein provisions for work in, under and upon and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, together with any of the same which may form the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county whether they lie wholly or partly within or without the boundaries of such municipality and in, under and upon any publicly owned property and rights of way whether within or without a municipality, and in and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section fourteen of article one of the constitution of the State of California; for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds, for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder, and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and for county aid in all of such work;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to assessment and collection of taxes.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, compensation, and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-ninth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways and State roads, providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such com-

pensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund, providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission,.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code 58 new sections, to be numbered 2322*r*1, 2322*r*2, 2322*r*3, 2322*r*4, 2322*r*5, 2322*r*6, 2322*r*7, 2322*r*8, 2322*r*9, 2322*r*10, 2322*r*11, 2322*r*12, 2322*r*13, 2322*r*14, 2322*r*15, 2322*r*16, 2322*r*17, 2322*r*18, 2322*r*19, 2322*r*20, 2322*r*21, 2322*r*22, 2322*r*23, 2322*r*24, 2322*r*25, 2322*r*26, 2322*r*27, 2322*r*28, 2322*r*29, 2322*r*30, 2322*r*31, 2322*r*32, 2322*r*33, 2322*r*34, 2322*r*35, 2322*r*36, 2322*r*37, 2322*r*38, 2322*r*39, 2322*r*40, 2322*r*41, 2322*r*42, 2322*r*43, 2322*r*44, 2322*r*45, 2322*r*46, 2322*r*47, 2322*r*48, 2322*r*49, 2322*r*50, 2322*r*51, 2322*r*52, 2322*r*53, 2322*r*54, 2322*r*55, 2322*r*56, 2322*r*57 and 2322*r*58, relating to county horticultural commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the twelfth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to unsanitary dairies, creameries, licenses milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*q*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading:

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 36 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce,

Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 175 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—65.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 226 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3244*a*, relating to hours of labor of employees and guards at the State prisons.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 204 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding,

Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69

NOES—Campbell, Cleveland, Graves, and Weller—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, in counties of the thirtieth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and substitute the following: "for issuing hunting and fishing licenses and for naturalization of citizens;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the words "offices of deputies auditor are" and substitute the following "office of deputy auditor is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "hundred" and before the word "seventy-five" insert a comma.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright, S. V., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 221, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, S. V., Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, compensation, and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-ninth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 498 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California,"

approved June 15, 1923, relating to unsanitary dairies, creameries, dairy plant licenses, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Murphy moved that Assembly Bill No. 641 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 641 re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 19 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to restriction on transportation of butter from outside the State not produced in conformity with the "General Dairy Law of California."

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Dayton moved that Assembly Bill No. 654 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 654 re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for professional engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McPherson moved that Assembly Bill No. 333 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 333 re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Assembly Bill No. 106—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway; providing for the acquiring of rights of way and construction of bridges on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Assembly Bill No. 106 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 106 re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 19 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law" of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to pasteurization.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that Assembly Bill No. 653 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 653 re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Assembly Bill No. 495—An act to protect poultry from contagious and infectious diseases and to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillmger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 495 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, relating to assessment and collection of taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 399 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Reindollar moved that Assembly Bill No. 746 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 746 re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Miss Broughton moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "wife" insert a comma and the following: "or both, including real property situated in this state, and personal property wherever situated heretofore or hereafter acquired while domiciled elsewhere, which would not have been the separate property of either if acquired while domiciled in this state".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Miss Broughton as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 830, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BROUGHTON, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage

Assembly Bill No. 730—An act to amend sections 852*a* and 881 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections for and adoption of the commission

form of government, and relating to the compensation of officers of municipalities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 730 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing joint insurance policies.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 58 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 58 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Weller moved that Assembly Bill No. 262 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 262 re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Assembly Bill No. 299—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor, to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of

said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 299 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Brock moved that Assembly Bill No. 729 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 729 re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Nielsen announced that the Chamber of Commerce of Sacramento extends an invitation to the members of the Legislature to be their guests at a complimentary dinner to be given at the Hotel Senator on the evening of March 17, 1925, at 6:30 p.m Informal.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p. m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Also Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to authorize the counties of the State of California to establish retirement salary systems for their employees," approved May 20, 1919, as amended June 3, 1921, to be numbered 2½, relating to dissolution of such systems and powers of the board of supervisors with reference thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to workmen's compensation insurance carriers and self insurers, classification of risks and premium rates relative thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1071—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915,

Also Assembly Bill No. 210—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court,

Also Assembly Bill No. 646—An act to amend section 689*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to selling personal property under execution,

Also Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to acknowledgments;

Also Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries,

Also Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to amend section 424 of the Civil Code, relating to the capital stock of fire and marine insurance corporations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 453*i* of the Civil Code, specifying conditions to be complied with by foreign life, health, accident and annuity or endowment associations doing business on the assessment plan desiring to transact business in this State;

Also Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks;

Also Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State;

Also Assembly Bill No. 54—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 635*m*, relating to the conditions upon which surety companies may transact business in this State;

Also Assembly Bill No. 57—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 596*b*, relating to the failure of insurance companies to discharge their contracts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 812—An act to amend sections 6, 7, 9, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry,

Also Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration of mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921

Also Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*e* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture

Also Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 204*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the secretary of superior judges as jury commissioner;

Also Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 927*q*, relating to judgment in small claims courts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to amend section 453*l* of the Civil Code, relating to filing of annual statements with Insurance Commissioner by assessment corporations;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph, or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment, and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent

of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to employment conditions and hours of labor of females—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 171 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to employment conditions and hours of labor of females.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 157 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Graves, and Weller—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 16 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the licensing of persons handling dairy products, and preventing artificial price fixing in connection therewith

Bill read third time

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Jost moved that Assembly Bill No. 652 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 652 re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Assembly Bill No. 210—An act to amend section 927*b* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 210 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Broughton, and Runner—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 779 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4214, 4215, 4216, 4217, 4218, 4219, 4220, and 4221 of the Political Code, all relating to the duties of the county engineer.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cloudman moved that Assembly Bill No. 975 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 975 re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Assembly Bill No. 976—An act to amend section 4013 of the Political Code, relating to officers of a county.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cloudman moved that Assembly Bill No. 976 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 976 re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Assembly Bill No. 646—An act to amend section 689*b*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to selling personal property under execution.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 646 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 204*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the secretary of superior judges as jury commissioner.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 980 passed by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Mixter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, after the semicolon strike out the following word "provided,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "that the superintendent of schools of his county,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Mixter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 216, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MIXTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 796—An act defining and regulating the sale of manufactured articles from cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills composed in whole or part of cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills, when such articles are intended for camping or pleasure purposes, for human habitation, for sheltering live stock, for show, exhibition or entertainment purposes, or to protect merchandise, commodities, farm products or minerals against the elements, or if used as protection or safety devices against loss of life or loss from the elements on land, rivers or bays of the State of California, requiring the same to be properly marked as to weight, construction, color, size and use of fillers or other preparations, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 796 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobsen, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Adams:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 1027 of the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Davis:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

To legalize, confirm and validate deeds made to purchasers of property sold under and in pursuance of the provisions of sections 3771*a* and 3785*b* of the Political Code.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Little:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bills, the titles of which read as follows:

An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agricultural lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots.

Also: An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Campbell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to sell, offer for sale, or engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Coombs:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act creating a Board of Retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison; providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said Board of Retirement.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Mueller:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Murray: An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to State fairs.

By Mr. Reindollar: An act to provide for an investigation of economical and efficient treatment and disposal of sewage and industrial wastes, describing the duties of the State Board of Health with respect thereto; providing for the fixing of compensation of employees in making such investigation and making an appropriation therefor.

By Mrs. Woodbridge: An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Murray: Assembly Bill No 1214—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to State fairs.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Reindollar: Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to provide for an investigation of economical and efficient treatment and disposal of sewage and industrial wastes, describing the duties of the State Board of Health with respect thereto; providing for the fixing of compensation of employees in making such investigation and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mrs Woodbridge: Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McPherson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "grant" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "allow" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, however*, that the time allowed by any such board of supervisors for the construction of any such bridge shall not exceed the period of seven years, except that such board of supervisors may from time to time by order extend the time of completion beyond seven years, provided that the work of constructing such bridge has been diligently prosecuted from the time of commencement thereof up to the time that application for such extension or extensions beyond said seven years are presented to such board of supervisors"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McPherson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1175, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McPHERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, insert the following

"526. An injunction may be granted in the following cases

1. When it appears by the complaint that the plaintiff is entitled to the relief demanded and such relief, or any part thereof, consists in restraining the commission or continuance of the act complained of, either for a limited period or perpetually;

2. When it appears by the complaint or affidavits that the commission or continuance of some act during the litigation would produce waste, or great or irreparable injury, to a party to the action.

3. When it appears, during the litigation, that a party to the action is doing, or threatens, or is about to do, or is procuring or suffering to be done, some act in violation of the rights of another party to the action respecting the subject of the action, and tending to render the judgment ineffectual;

4. When pecuniary compensation would not afford adequate relief.

5. Where it would be extremely difficult to ascertain the amount of compensation which would afford adequate relief.

6. Where the restraint is necessary to prevent a multiplicity of judicial proceedings;

7. Where the obligation arises from a trust.

An injunction cannot be granted

1. To stay a judicial proceeding pending at the commencement of the action in which the injunction is demanded, unless such restraint is necessary to prevent a multiplicity of such proceedings;

2. To stay proceedings in a court of the United States;

3. To stay proceedings in another state upon a judgment of a court of that state.

4. To prevent the execution of a public statute by officers of the law for the public benefit;

5. To prevent the breach of a contract (other than a contract in writing for the rendition or furnishing of personal service from one to another where the minimum compensation for such service is at the rate of not less than six thousand dollars per annum, and where the promised service is of a special, unique, unusual, extraordinary or intellectual character which gives it peculiar value the loss of which can not be reasonably or adequately compensated in damages in an action at law) the performance of which would not be specifically enforced, *provided, however*, that an injunction may be granted to prevent the breach of a contract entered into between any corporation or association marketing agricultural products cooperatively and on a non-profit basis and a member or stockholder thereof, in respect to any provision regarding the sale or delivery to the corporation or association of the agricultural products produced or acquired by such member or stockholder.

6. To prevent the exercise of a public or private office, in a lawful manner, by the person in possession

7. To prevent a legislative act by a municipal corporation."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, insert

"3423. An injunction can not be granted

First—To stay a judicial proceeding pending at the commencement of the action in which the injunction is demanded, unless such restraint is necessary to prevent a multiplicity of such proceedings.

Second—To stay proceedings in a court of the United States

Third—To stay proceedings in another state upon a judgment of a court of that state

Fourth—To prevent the execution of a public statute, by officers of the law, for the public benefit.

Fifth—To prevent the breach of a contract, other than a contract in writing for the rendition or furnishing of personal services from one to another where the minimum compensation for such service is at the rate of not less than six thousand dollars per annum and where the promised service is of a special, unique, unusual, extraordinary or intellectual character, which gives it peculiar value the loss of which can not be reasonably or adequately compensated in damages in an action at law, and other than a contract entered into between any corporation or association marketing agricultural products cooperatively and on a non-profit basis, and a member or stockholder thereof, in respect to any provision regarding the sale or delivery to the corporation or association of the agricultural products produced or acquired by such member or stockholder, the performance of which can not be specifically enforced

Sixth—To prevent the exercise of a public or private office, in a lawful manner, by the person in possession

Seventh—To prevent a legislative act by a municipal corporation."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations of actions

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" following the word "penalty" and insert in lieu thereof the following "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 12, 13, and 14, and insert in lieu thereof the following, "any contractual obligation thereof."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce brokers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State directors of agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "for" strike out all the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof, the following:

Section 1. For the purpose of this act, the term "produce dealer" shall include every person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who shall purchase, or contract to purchase, from the producer thereof for the purpose of resale, or who shall in any way handle for the account of or as an agent of the producer thereof any kind of farm products. The term "farm products" for the purposes of this act, shall include grapes, peaches, apricots, pears, apples, figs, prunes, plums, nectarines, cherries, quinces, oranges, lemons, grapefruit, berries of all kinds, artichokes, asparagus, lettuce, celery, carrots, beets, turnips, garlic, spinach, cauliflower, cabbage, green beans, green peas, tomatoes, onions, egg plant, squash, potatoes, melons of all kinds, butter, cheese, eggs and poultry. The term "contract to purchase" as used in this act shall be construed to mean every transaction for the sale or handling of farm products.

Section 2. This act shall not be construed to include (*a*) any cooperative organization operating under and by virtue of the provisions of titles twenty-one and twenty-three, part four, of division one of the Civil Code of the State of California, which handle the farm products of their members only, or (*b*) any person, firm, association or corporation buying vegetables and/or horticultural farm products for the purpose of reselling the same in dried, canned or other preserved form, or (*c*) any person, firm, association or corporation retailing mainly for direct consumption, or (*d*) any person, firm, association or corporation buying farm products and paying therefor the full agreed price in cash, lawful money of the United States, at or prior to the time and at the point of delivery.

Section 3. On and after the effective date of this act, no person, firm, exchange, association or corporation shall act as a produce dealer without a license as provided in this act. Every person, firm, exchange, association or corporation acting as a produce dealer as herein defined shall annually file an application with the state director of agriculture for a license to transact the business of produce dealer. Such application shall state the kind or kinds of farm products applicant proposes to handle, the full name of the person, firm, exchange, association or corporation applying for such license, and if the applicant be a firm, exchange, association or corporation, the full name of each member of the firm, or the names of the officers of the exchange, association, or corporation, and the name of the local agent of the exchange, association or corporation, and the city, town or village and street number at which the business is to be conducted, shall be given in the application. Such application shall further state the business address of the applicant in the State of California and the person or persons authorized to receive and accept service of summons and legal notices of all kinds for the applicant. Such applicant shall further satisfy the state director of agriculture of his or its character, responsibility and good faith in seeking to carry on the business of produce dealer. The state director of agriculture shall thereupon issue to such applicant upon the execution and delivery of a bond as hereinafter provided, a license entitling the applicant to conduct the business of produce dealer at the place named in the application until the first day of January next following. The fee for such license shall be twenty-five dollars for each year or part thereof. All license fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the state treasury within ten days from the date of collection thereof, and all such fees when so paid into the state treasury shall be constituted and be a part of a fund for the payment of expenses and incident to the administration and enforcement of this act.

Section 4. Before any license shall be issued, the applicant shall execute and deliver to the state director of agriculture a good and sufficient surety bond in the sum of five thousand dollars. Said bond shall be conditioned upon compliance with the provisions of this act and upon the faithful and honest handling of farm products in accordance with the terms of this act. Said bond shall be to the State of California in favor of every consignor of farm products. Any consignor of farm products injured by the fraud, deceit or wilful negligence of any produce dealer may bring action upon said bond against both principal and surety in any court of competent jurisdiction to recover the damages caused by such fraud, deceit and wilful negligence.

Section 5. For the purpose of enforcing the provisions of this act, the state director of agriculture is authorized to receive verified complaints against any produce dealer or any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation assuming or attempting to act as such, and upon receipt of such verified complaint shall have full authority to make any and all necessary investigations relative to the said complaint, and he shall have at all times free and unimpeded access to all buildings, yards, warehouses, storage and transportation facilities in which any produce is

kept, stored, handled or transported. He shall have full authority to administer oaths and take testimony thereunder, to issue subpoenas requiring the attendance of witnesses before him, together with all books, memoranda, papers, and other documents, articles or instruments; to compel the disclosure by such witnesses of all facts known to them relative to the matters under investigation, and all parties disobeying the orders or subpoenas of said state director of agriculture shall be guilty of contempt and shall be certified to the superior court of the state for punishment for such contempt. Copies of records, inspection certificates, certified reports and all papers on file in the office of the state director of agriculture shall be prima facie evidence of the matters therein contained.

Section 6. The state director of agriculture is authorized to investigate the character and standing of any applicant for a license to act as produce dealer, and upon the verified complaint of any interested party must investigate any transaction involving solicitation, receipt, sale or attempted sale of farm products by any person or persons acting or assuming to act as a produce dealer; failure to make proper and true account of sales and settlement thereof as in this act required; the making of false statements as to condition, quality or quantity of any farm products received or in storage; the intentional making of false statements as to market conditions; the failure to make payment for farm products within the time required by this act; or any other injurious transactions, and in furtherance of such investigation or inspection, the state director of agriculture, or any authorized representative, may examine that portion of the ledger, books, accounts, memorandums and other documents, farm products, scales, measures, and other articles and things used in connection with the business of such produce dealer relating to the transactions involved. When a consignor of farm products fails to obtain satisfactory settlement in any transaction after having notified the consignee, a verified complaint may be filed with the state director of agriculture, who shall undertake to effect a settlement, and in the event that he shall fail to effect such settlement, he shall cause a copy of such complaint, together with a notice of time and place of hearing of such complaint, to be served personally or by mail upon such produce dealer. Such service shall be made at least seven days before the hearing, which shall be held in the city or town in which is situated the business location of the licensee. At the time and place appointed for such hearing, the state director of agriculture, or his agents, shall hear the parties to such complaint, and shall enter in the office of the state director of agriculture at Sacramento a decision either dismissing such complaint or specifying the facts established on such hearing. A copy of such decision shall be furnished the complainant.

Section 7. The state director of agriculture may refuse to grant a license, and may revoke any license, as the case may require, when he shall be satisfied of the existence of any of the following facts:

(*a*) That a money judgment has been entered against the applicant, or the licensee, an execution issued thereon, and returned, unsatisfied;

(*b*) That fraudulent charges have been made by the applicant, or licensee, for the handling, sale or storage of, or for rendering of any service in connection with the handling, sale or storage of any farm products;

(*c*) That the applicant, or licensee, has failed or refused to render an account of sales, or to make a settlement thereon, within the time and in the manner by this act required;

(*d*) That the applicant, or licensee, has made any false statement as to the condition, quality or quantity of farm products received, handled, sold or stored by him, as a produce dealer;

(*e*) That the applicant, or licensee, directly or indirectly, has purchased for his, or its own account farm products received by him, or it, upon consignment without prior authority or without notifying the consignor thereof promptly of such purchase; *provided*, that this shall not prevent any produce dealer from taking to account of sales, in order to close the day's business, miscellaneous lots or parcels of farm products remaining unsold, if such produce dealer shall forthwith enter such transaction on his account of sales;

(*f*) That the applicant, or licensee, has intentionally made any false or misleading statement as to the conditions of the market for any farm products;

(*g*) That the applicant, or licensee, has made fictitious sales or has been guilty of collusion to defraud the producer;

(*h*) That the applicant, or licensee, is involved in assignment, bankruptcy, or receivership proceedings, or if in the opinion of the state director of agriculture such applicant, or licensee, is insolvent and there is probable cause for such proceedings;

(*i*) That the licensee was guilty of fraud or deception in the procurement of such license.

Section 8. Any action of the state director of agriculture with reference to the granting of, or the refusal to grant, any license; or with reference to the revocation of any license granted under the provisions of this act, may be reviewed by any court of competent jurisdiction, but pending final determination of any such review, in the case of the revocation of the license of any produce dealer, such license shall be deemed in full force and effect until the final determination of such proceedings, unless such license shall sooner expire by limitation; *provided*

that no license shall be refused on account of the pendency of any review proceedings. Every license issued or granted under the provisions of this act shall be deemed to have expired by limitation at midnight of the last day of the period for which such license was granted in the first instance

Section 9. It shall be the duty of every produce dealer, having received any farm products for sale as such dealer, to promptly make and keep a correct record showing in detail the following with reference to the handling, sale or storage of such farm products

(*a*) The name and address of the consignor.

(*b*) The date received.

(*c*) The grade and quantity;

(*d*) Agreed purchase price.

(*e*) Date of such sale.

(*f*) The price for which sold:

(*g*) An itemized statement of the expenses connected with the sale and charged to the consignor;

(*h*) A detailed statement of the filing of any claims which have been or may be filed against any person, firm, or corporation for overcharges or for damages resulting from the injury or deterioration of such farm products by the act or acts of such person, firm, or corporation. *provided*, that notice of any such claims filed with any such person, firm, or corporation shall be furnished immediately to the consignor of the shipment affected. Subdivisions (*c*), (*f*), (*g*), and (*h*) shall not apply in the case of farm products purchased outright at an agreed price payable at a definite date.

A copy of such record and account of sales of such farm products together with remittances in full of the amount realized by such sales, less the agreed charges, shall be mailed to the consignor upon the consummation of the sale of all moneys received by him in payment for any consignment of farm products, less the agreed charges, within ten days after receipt of said moneys by said dealer It shall also be the duty of every produce dealer to retain a copy of every record or account of sales made as herein required for a period of two years from the date thereof, which copy shall at all times be available for, and open to, the inspection of the state director of agriculture and the consignor, or any authorized representative of either. If the accuracy of any such record, or account of sales, or copy thereof, shall be questioned, the burden of the accuracy and correctness thereof shall be upon the produce dealer making such record of or account of sales.

Section 10 In the event of any dispute or disagreement between a producer and a produce dealer arising at the time of delivery as to conditions, quality, grade, pack, quantity and/or weight of any lot, shipment or consignment of farm products, it shall be the duty of the state director of agriculture to furnish upon the payment of a reasonable fee therefor according to a schedule thereof to be adopted and published by said director, and to be paid by the requesting party a certificate establishing the condition, quality, grade, pack, quantity and/or weight of such lot, shipment or consignment, such certificate shall be prima facie evidence in all courts of this state as to such condition, quality, grade, pack, quantity and/or weight of such lot, shipment or consignment of products at the time such *inspection* was *made*

Section 11. Any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who shall assume or attempt to act as a produce dealer of farm products as defined by this act without a license, or any person, firm, exchange, association or corporation who, being a produce dealer of farm products, shall (*a*) impose false charges for handling or services in connection with farm products, or (*b*) fails to account promptly and properly and to make settlement therefor as herein provided, or (*c*) shall intentionally make false or misleading statement or statements as to market conditions or (*d*) shall make fictitious sales or shall be guilty of collusion to defraud the producer, or (*e*) shall directly or indirectly purchase for his or its own account, goods received by him or it, upon consignment without prior authority from the consignor, or shall fail promptly to notify the consignor of such purchases on his, or its own account, *provided*, that this clause shall not be so construed as to prevent any produce dealer from taking to account of sales, in order to close the day's business, miscellaneous lots or parcels of farm products remaining unsold, if such produce dealer shall forthwith enter such transaction on his account of sales, or (*f*) shall intentionally make false statement or statements as to the grade, condition, markings, quality or quantity of goods shipped or packed in any manner or (*g*) shall fail to comply in every respect herewith shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. It is hereby made the duty of the several district attorneys of the state to prosecute all violations of this act occurring within their respective counties

Section 12. No provision of this act shall be so construed as to conflict with lawful intercourse between the states or the rights of interstate commerce as guaranteed by the constitution of the United States and as defined by decision of the supreme court of the United States and of the State of California.

Section 13. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity

of the remaining portions of this act. The legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Section 14. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "otherwise" insert a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "agricultural product".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, before the word "federal" insert the word "mandatory".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the last "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the agricultural product".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 3, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "agricultural product".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "agricultural product"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, lines 4 and 5, of the printed bill, strike out the balance of the sentence beginning with the words "United States" and insert in lieu thereof the words "standards acts of the United States and of the State of California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "agricultural product"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "agricultural product".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, before the word "federal" insert the word "mandatory".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 4, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert lieu thereof the words "agricultural product".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "agricultural product".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 4, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "some" and insert in lieu thereof the word "same".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 4, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "agricultural product".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grain" and insert in lieu thereof the words "agricultural product".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who cannot adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the matter on page 1 of the printed bill following "The people of the State of California do enact as follows", and all of the remaining matter contained on page 2 of the printed bill, and substitute therefor the following

SECTION 1. Section three of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who cannot speak, read or write the English language, to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows.

SEC 3. *First*—All persons under eighteen years of age who are too old to be subject to the provisions of an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children, and providing penalties for the violation of the act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, who have not graduated from a high school maintaining a four-year course above the eighth grade of the elementary school, or who have not had an equal amount of education in a private school or by private tuition, who are not disqualified for attendance upon these classes because of their physical or mental condition, or because of personal service that must be rendered to their dependents, who reside within the legal boundaries of the high school district and not more than three miles from suitable transportation to special part-time classes maintained, either voluntarily or under the provisions of this act by a high school district, and who are not in attendance upon a public or private full-time day school or satisfactory part-time classes maintained by other agencies, shall be, and hereby are, required to attend upon a special part-time class maintained by the high school board of the district wherein they reside, or by the high school board of an adjoining district, for no less than four sixty-minute hours per week for the regularly established

annual school term if they be regularly employed, and for not less than twenty sixty-minute hours per week if they cannot give satisfactory proof of regular employment; *provided*, that the local school authorities may, in their discretion, arrange with the parents, guardian or other person responsible for any minor employed in a seasonal occupation for his full-time attendance upon a special class maintained for such minor during a dull season in his occupation wherein he may secure not less than one hundred forty-four hours of attendance. When any such parent, guardian or other person responsible for such minor agrees with the local school authorities that said minor shall attend full-time classes for any given period, such parent, guardian or other person becomes responsible for said minor's compulsory attendance upon these classes for said period.

Second—All persons over eighteen and under twenty-one years of age who can not speak, read or write the English language to a degree of proficiency equal to that required for the completion of the sixth grade of the elementary schools of this state, who live within a radius of three miles of an evening class maintained by a high school district, either voluntary or under the provisions of this act, for the instruction of such persons; who expect to remain in the district for a period of two or more months, who are not disqualified for attendance upon these classes because of their physical or mental condition, or because of personal service that must be rendered to their dependents; and who are not in attendance upon a public or private full-time day school or upon a class established under the provisions of section one of this act for such persons under eighteen years of age, shall be, and hereby are, required to attend for at least four sixty-minute hours per week, upon a special day or evening class maintained by a high school district for persons who can not speak, read or write the English language.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to disqualification of judges.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

MOTIONS TO RE-REFER (OUT OF ORDER).

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 675 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 675 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 1071 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1071 re-referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 209—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts.

Also Senate Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also, Senate Bill No 350—An act providing for the management of irrigation districts that are in arrears as to bond interest or principal,

Also Senate Bill No. 124—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1871, relating to experts, their appointment by the court, or a judge thereof, and providing for their compensation and manner of examination as witnesses,

Also Senate Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 396 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to changing the place of trial,

Also Senate Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 2043 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exclusion of witnesses.

Also: Senate Bill No. 11—An act to amend sections 7 and 8½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 5a;

Also, Senate Bill No. 719—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers and other sanitary purposes, the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity, and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved March 31, 1891, as amended, relating to sanitary districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 209 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 189 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 350 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 124 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 397 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 398 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 11 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 719 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the registration, branding and labeling of the same, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of the act, providing penalties for violation of the same, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

DUVAL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 2152 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, qualifications and removal of medical superintendents of State hospitals;
Also Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to repeal section 2184 of the Political Code, relating to the commitment of insane persons to the Southern California State Hospital;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 2153*a* of the Political Code, relating to the duties of medical superintendents of State hospitals;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BROCK, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 132—An act confirming and validating the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts of every kind and class;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 134—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another;
Also Assembly Bill No. 324—An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was re-referred Assembly Bill No 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 335—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to concurrent jurisdiction.
Also Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers.
Also: Assembly Bill No 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the district courts of appeal.
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1771*a*, relating to the use of the estate of a wife over which a guardian has been appointed by reason of incompetency.
Also Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 1425 of the Penal Code, relating to jurisdiction of justices' courts:
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1195—An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring and maintain an action or actions, in the name of the people of the State of California, to determine the nature of the title by which husbands and wives own and hold community property in this State acquired at any time since the codes of California took effect on January 1, 1873, community property acquired since chapters 583 and 589 of the Laws of 1917 of the State of California took effect on July

27, 1917, and community property acquired since chapter 18 of the Laws of 1923 of the State of California took effect on August 17, 1923, and the respective rights and interests of husbands and wives in community property acquired during said respective periods, prescribing the character and venue of such actions and the matters to be alleged in the complaints therein, and providing for new trials and appeals in such actions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act to amend section 461 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of the crime of burglary;

Also Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such claim is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the claim filed by him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1191—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*a*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 3062 of the Political Code, relating to city health officials;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1053—An act to provide for the formation and dissolution of pound districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 430—An act defining the power of municipalities to establish the grades of those portions of any State or county highway lying within their boundaries,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 871—An act to authorize the city of Riverside to sell certain lands dedicated for park purposes and do devote the proceeds thereof to the improvement of parks now existing in said city—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

SEWELL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 121—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the forty-fourth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 4262 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 643—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners of each county in the State, for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to the membership of such board;

Also Assembly Bill No. 628—An act to provide for the appointment of an investigator and mediator to be appointed by the superior court in counties of the first, second and third class, and defining his duties and fixing his compensation and term of office;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the Fresno Teachers College—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DEUEL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 253—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district, and to aid and assist such works of reclamation, granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district, with certain reservations, and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais

Creek Reclamation District—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 197—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 287 of the Civil Code of California, relating to how corporations may continue their existence under the Code—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 226—An act to provide for the dedication by the State Board of Control to the use of the public for highway purposes of a strip of land 40 feet wide and approximately 1150 feet long, more particularly described hereinafter, and being a portion of the property vested in the directors of State Insane Asylum of the State of California located in the city of Stockton (now known as the Stockton State Hospital), and adjoining a portion of north California street, a public highway in the city of Stockton, county of San Joaquin, State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROCK, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 75—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, and providing for the furnishing of food to pupils and employees of the school district at not less than actual cost—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 765—An act to open and dedicate as a public street a certain strip of submerged land 150 feet wide known as First avenue south and as Arthur avenue, extending from Third street, formerly Kentucky street, to Newhall street, in the city and county of San Francisco, and to grant said strip of land for

that purpose to the city and county of San Francisco, and repealing acts inconsistent herewith—has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 1974 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of dententon homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No. 109—An act to amend section 1975 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers of counties of the fifth class;

Also Senate Bill No. 169—An act to amend section 4234 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifth class;

Also Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fortieth class,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 9, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 676—An act to prevent the fraudulent operation of slot machine or coin receptacles, or making or furnishing devices to defraud owners of same, and prescribing penalties for a violation hereof;

Also Senate Bill No. 301—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes;

Also Senate Bill No. 129—An act to amend section 961 of the Political Code, relating to bonds of officers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 47—An act to add a new section to the civil Code, to be numbered 453g, relating to mutual life or mutual casualty corporations, societies or associations conducting business on the assessment plan;

Also Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as Johnson grass," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, and

repealing that certain act entitled, "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921,
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act recognizing and declaring valid the Vandalia Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings for the formation of said district;

Also Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to recognize and declare valid the Littlerock Midland Irrigation District, and all proceedings in relation thereto and to the organization thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in and relative to the organization of Lucerne Irrigation District;
And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this ninth day of March, 1925, at four o'clock p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Approving fifteen (15) certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Monica, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the sixteenth day of December, 1924—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this ninth day of March, 1925, at four o'clock p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Adams:

WHEREAS, It has come to the attention of some of the members of this Assembly that the Postmistress of the Assembly is receiving a compensation of but four dollars per day and,

WHEREAS, Said Postmistress is called upon to handle a large amount of mail each day and does so very efficiently, and

WHEREAS, In line with the recent action of the United States Congress increasing the pay of all government postal employes it is consistent and right that this Assembly of the California Legislature increase the salary of its Postmistress, therefore, be it

Resolved, That it be and hereby is the expressed wish of the members of this Assembly that the Committee on Attaches authorize an increase of one dollar per day in the pay of the Postmistress of the Assembly, effective as of March 2, 1925.

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Attaches.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and forty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Wednesday, March 11, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 11, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward,

Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Father Peter E. Lucey of Los Angeles, California

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Williamson, its further reading was dispensed with.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Mr. F. F. Grant of San Diego, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Miss Margaret Mary Morgan, Supervisor of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mrs. George A. Rigg, State treasurer of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, Mr R. Holtby Myers, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. R. M. J. Armstrong of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mr. R. O Watt of Oakland, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Van Bernard, the following pupils of Williams High School of Colusa, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal: Joe Kintana, Vyrl Goodin, William Hanline, Ernest La Grande, Percival Northy, Elza Grishaler, Helen Rathbun, Ruth Ginther, Samuel Gibson, Harold Reese, Mildred McAvary, Miss E. N. Backus, Rose McAvary, Augusta Fouch, Lois Church, Boyd Leaver, Mr Harry Woodham, Georgia Stickland, Mrs. Stickland, Cecile Bridge, John Thompson, Gilbert Pryor, Mr. Keffer, Bertha Bailard, Florence Pryor, Georgia La Grande, Wilbur Brugman, Mattie Harlan, Evelyn Schaad, Charles Schaad, Irwin Kearth, Miss Mary V Belli, Miss Ethel Burroughs, Haxwel Wells, Alma Frank, Janet Miller, John Abel, Elbert Gassawy, Miss Florence Rathbun, Mildred Platt, Carmel Entrican, R. G. Palmer, Mrs. R. J. Palmer, Vera Goodfellow, Christine Abel, and Glenn Shybark.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Van Bernard, Messrs. W. G. Carpenter and Bernell Carpenter, Colusa County Supervisors, were extended the

privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Van Bernard, Mr J L. Mendenhall of Williams, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Judge C. P. Vieini, a former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1061—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 223—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses and providing penalties for its violation," approved June 3, 1921, is hereby amended to read as follows,

Also: Assembly Bill No 889—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 and to add a new section, to be numbered 9, relating to constitutionality to an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved May 29, 1913, as amended, relating to the ventilation and sanitation of camps:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Schmidt moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1714*a*, relating to vehicles and persons being carried therein—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 25, page 2, of the printed bill, after (*i*), strike out the balance of the subsection beginning with the word "entering" and ending with the word "enclosure" line 32, and insert in lieu thereof the words: "Camping or building fires upon any lands owned by another where signs forbidding trespass are displayed at intervals not greater than one-third mile along the exterior boundaries or along roads and trails passing through such lands, without first having obtained written permission from the owner of such lands,

Is guilty of a misdemeanor

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the registration, branding and labeling of the same, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of the act, providing penalties for violation of the same, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the fourth to the seventh lines of the title of the printed bill strike out everything beginning with the word "registration" to and including the word "act" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the director of agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act, providing penalties for violation of the same, making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act, and repealing an act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "s" in the word 'conditions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars" strike out the remainder of the sentence.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 5, between lines 12 and 13 of the printed bill, insert the following:

"SEC 13 All moneys received under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the state treasury monthly and placed to the credit of the general fund.

SEC. 14. Out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated there is hereby appropriated the sum of fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec." strike out the numeral "13" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "15."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 21, of the printed bill after the word "Sec." strike out the numeral "14" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "16."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Wright, T. M., moved that Assembly Bill No. 745 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 745 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 2152 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, qualifications and removal of medical superintendents of State hospitals

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to repeal section 2184 of the Political Code, relating to the commitment of insane persons to the Southern California State Hospital.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 2153*a* of the Political Code, relating to the duties of medical superintendents of State hospitals.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 132—An act confirming and validating the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 134—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 324—An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of the State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California", to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 335—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to concurrent jurisdiction.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI, of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1771*a*, relating to the use of the estate of a wife over which a guardian has been appointed by reason of incompetency.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 1425 of the Penal Code, relating to jurisdiction of justices' courts

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1195—An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring and maintain an action or actions, in the name of the people of the State of California, to determine the nature of the title by which husbands and wives own and hold community property in this State acquired at any time since the codes of California took effect on January 1, 1873, community property acquired since chapters 583 and 589 of the laws of 1917 of the State of California took effect on July 27, 1917, and community property acquired since chapter 18 of the laws of 1923 of the State of California took effect on August 17, 1923, and the respective rights and interests of husbands and wives in community property acquired during said respective periods, prescribing the character and venue of such actions and the matters to be alleged in the complaints therein, and providing for new trials and appeals in such actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act to amend section 461 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of the crime of burglary.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such claim is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the claim filed by him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 3062 of the Political Code, relating to city health officials.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1053—An act to provide for the formation and dissolution of pound districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 430—An act defining the power of municipalities to establish the grades of those portions of any State or county highway lying within their boundaries.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 871—An act to authorize the city of Riverside to sell certain lands dedicated for park purposes and to devote the proceeds thereof to the improvement of parks now existing in said city.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "hill" insert the word "formerly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "city" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following words "and all proceeds from such sales shall be placed in a special fund by the City Treasurer and expended only for said purposes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

After the comma following the figure (20) in line 20 on page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the remaining portion of line 20, all of lines 21, 22, and 23, and insert in lieu thereof the following "of the Southern California Colony Association lands as shown on map of record in the county recorder's office of San Bernardino county, California, which are included in block nine of Fairmount Heights tract, map number four, of record in book one of maps, page five thereof, records of San Bernardino county, California".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 821—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 38 to 43, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"(k) The planting of trees, shrubs or other ornamental vegetation.

(l) All other work which may be deemed necessary to improve the whole or any portion of such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, public ways or property or rights-of-way.

(m) All other work or improvements auxiliary, incidental, necessary or convenient to any of the above, which may be required to carry out, facilitate or complete the same."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4264" add the following "Counties of the thirty-fifth class, salaries of officers.

In counties of the thirty-fifth class the county and township officers shall receive, as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries and fees to wit:

1. The county clerk, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, which shall be in full for all services, including registering voters and making the great register, excepting such services as are performed by said clerk as agent for the state, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the county clerk two deputies, who shall be appointed by said county clerk, one of which deputies shall be paid a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and the other said deputy shall be paid a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, said salaries to be paid in monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the county clerk is paid.

2. The sheriff, five thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and he is hereby allowed in addition thereto, one undersheriff to be appointed by him, who shall receive one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, whose salary shall be paid by the county, in monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the sheriff is paid.

Said sheriff shall also have for his own use all fees, commissions and mileage for the service of all papers served by him and issued without his county.

3. The recorder, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, in full of all services, and he is hereby allowed, in addition thereto, one deputy appointed by him, who shall be a copyist, and who shall receive one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, whose salary shall be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the recorder is paid, *provided*, that when the board of supervisors shall deem it necessary, it may allow the recorder an additional copyist, to be paid not more than five cents per folio for any work done by said copyist, said compensation to be paid monthly by the county, *provided, further*, that the fees heretofore allowed the recorder for his own use by section three thousand seventy-nine of the Political Code shall be hereafter paid into the county treasury. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in compensation, and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents.

4. The auditor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and he is hereby allowed one deputy, to be appointed by him, who shall receive one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, whose salary shall be paid in monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the auditor is paid; *provided*, that if the board of supervisors in any year shall order or direct the auditor to prepare and compile its annual statistical report, and on so performing such services, he may be allowed a further sum not to exceed three hundred dollars, which said board of supervisors shall allow upon the completion and acceptance of the report, *provided, further*, that if the board of supervisors in any year shall order or direct the auditor to prepare and compile a report showing the classified annual pay roll of the county, and on so performing such services, he shall be allowed an additional sum of not to exceed one hundred dollars, to be allowed by said board of supervisors and paid by the county, *provided*, that the compensation herein provided for the auditor shall include the services heretofore compensated under the provisions of section four thousand ninety-nine *a*, Political Code, and it is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents.

5. The treasurer, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that all commissions received by the treasurer on the collection of inheritance taxes shall be paid into the county treasury.

6. The tax and license collector, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, in full compensation for all services, and he is hereby allowed a deputy, to be appointed by him, for eight months of the year, at a compensation of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, the salary of said deputy to be paid by the county, in monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the tax collector is paid.

7. The assessor, three thousand dollars per annum, in full compensation for all services, and he is hereby allowed, in addition thereto, such deputies and typists, to

be appointed by him, as he may deem necessary to carry on the work of his office; *provided, however*, that not more than a total of four thousand dollars shall be paid in any year for such deputies and typists, no typist to be paid more than seventy-five dollars per month and no deputy to be paid more than eight dollars per day while engaged in the performance of their respective duties; *provided, further*, that the assessor shall be allowed his own necessary traveling expenses in the performance of his official duties as assessor.

8. The district attorney, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and he is hereby allowed, in addition thereto, one deputy appointed by him, who shall receive one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now, or may be hereafter allowed by law; *provided*, that for such miles necessarily traveled by him in going to and returning from the place of an inquest, he shall receive twenty-five cents per mile each way.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now, or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and necessary expenses in visiting schools in the county, not to exceed ten dollars for each school visited, to be allowed by the board of supervisors of the county, and there is hereby allowed one deputy, appointed by the superintendent of schools, who shall receive nine hundred dollars per annum, said salary to be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the superintendent of schools is paid.

12. The surveyor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, which salary shall be in lieu of all fees and per diem heretofore allowed by law: *provided, however*, that the surveyor shall be permitted by the board of supervisors to do outside work when his services are not required by the county. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in the compensation for the services required of the county surveyor by law, or by virtue of his office, and it is intended hereby that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent.

13. For the purpose of regulating the compensation of justices of the peace and constables, townships in this class of counties are hereby classified according to their population, as shown by the federal census of one thousand nine hundred twenty as follows: Townships having a population of four thousand or more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class; townships having a population of more than two thousand five hundred and less than four thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class; townships having a population of two thousand and less than two thousand five hundred, shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class; townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than two thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class; townships having a population of one thousand and less than one thousand five hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fifth class; and townships having a population of less than one thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the sixth class.

14. Justices of the peace shall receive the following salaries which shall be paid monthly out of the general fund of the county in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid, and shall be in full of all services, to wit: In townships of the first class, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; in townships of the second class seventy-five dollars per month in townships of the third class, seventy-five dollars per month in townships of the fourth class, twenty-five dollars per month, in townships of the fifth class, twenty-five dollars per month; and in townships of the sixth class, twenty-five dollars per month.

15. Constables shall receive the following salaries, which shall be paid monthly, in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid out of the general fund of the county, and which shall be in full of all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit: In townships of the first class, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; in townships of the second class seventy-five dollars per month in townships of the third class, seventy-five dollars per month; in townships of the fourth class, thirty dollars per month; in townships of the fifth class, thirty dollars per month; and in townships of the sixth class, thirty dollars per month. In addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed for services in criminal actions, cases and proceedings each constable shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually and properly incurred, in arresting and conveying prisoners to court or to prison, and also all necessary expenses actually incurred in the transportation of prisoners from prison to court, and the return of said prisoners to prison, and shall be allowed, also for each mile actually traveled, both in going and coming in the service of subpoenas, in criminal actions, per mile, ten cents, which said expense and mileage shall be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims against the county are audited and allowed, and shall be paid out of the county treasury.

In addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed for services in criminal actions and cases, each constable may for his own use, collect the following fees, and no other, in civil actions:

For serving summons and complaint for each defendant served, fifty cents

For each copy of summons for service, when actually made by him, twenty-five cents.

For levying writ of attachment or execution, or executing order of arrest, or for the delivery of personal property, one dollar.

For serving writ of attachment or execution on any ship, boat or vessel, three dollars.

For keeping personal property, such sum as the court may order; but no more than one dollar and fifty cents per day shall be allowed for a keeper when necessarily employed.

For taking bond or undertaking, fifty cents

For copies of writs and other papers, except summons, complaint and subpoenas, per folio, ten cents; *provided*, that when correct copies are furnished to him for use, no charge shall be made for such copies.

For serving any writ, notice, or order, except summons, complaint and subpoenas, for each person served fifty cents

For writing and posting each notice of sale of property, fifty cents.

For furnishing notice for publication, twenty-five cents

For serving subpoenas, each witness, including copy, twenty-five cents.

For collecting money on execution, one and one-half per cent.

For executing and delivering certificate of sale, fifty cents.

For executing and delivering constable's deed, one dollar and fifty cents.

For each mile actually traveled within his township in the service of any writ, order, or paper, in civil actions, in going only, per mile, twenty-five cents.

For traveling outside of his township to serve such writ, order, or paper, in civil actions, in going only, twenty-five cents per mile: *provided*, that a constable shall not be required to travel outside of his township to serve any civil process, order, or paper. No constructive mileage shall be charged, allowed, or paid in criminal or civil cases.

For each day's attendance in court, in civil cases, three dollars per day.

For executing a search warrant, two dollars; and for each mile necessarily traveled within his county in executing a search warrant, both in going and returning from the place of search, fifteen cents, said fee and mileage to be paid by the party demanding the search.

For summoning a jury, in civil cases, two dollars, including mileage.

For commissions for receiving and paying over money on execution without levy, or when the goods or land levied on shall not be sold, one per cent The fees herein allowed for the levy of an execution, and for making or collecting the money on execution, shall be collected from the judgment debtor, by virtue of such execution, *in the same manner as the sum herein directed to be paid*

16 It is expressly provided that in counties of this class, where a township has been created, or may hereafter be created out of any township, the population of which is shown in the federal census of nineteen hundred twenty, the population of the newly created township and the population of the township from which the newly created township was taken shall be separately ascertained and determined by the board of supervisors in the following manner: By appointing a suitable person in each of such townships to take said census, and said census shall be taken by said person so appointed of all the inhabitants of each of said townships; the full name of each person shall be fully written, the names alphabetically and regularly numbered in one complete series, and when completed shall be verified before any officer authorized to administer oaths, and be filed with the county clerk, and thereupon the same shall be the official census of said township or townships. The expense of taking said census shall be a county charge. From the taking of such census the salary of the justices of the peace and of the constables of the newly created township, and the township from which the newly created township was taken, shall be estimated and paid on the basis of the classification hereinbefore given under the federal census of nineteen hundred twenty pro rata according to the population of the newly created and former township as shown by the census taken as hereinbefore provided to be ascertained and determined by the board of supervisors. County officers must, and township officers may, demand the payment of all fees in advance Justices of the peace shall, on or before the first Monday of each month, pay into the county treasury all moneys collected by them on fines imposed and collected and all moneys belonging to the county coming from any source.

17 Each member of the board of supervisors, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum and ten cents per mile, one way between residence and county seat, in attending upon all regular, special or adjourned meetings of the board of supervisors, *provided*, that the chairman of the board of supervisors may receive twenty-five cents per mile, one way, between residence and the county seat, when attending at the county seat for the single purpose of counting the money in the county treasury as required by law.

18. Grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior court in civil or criminal cases, shall receive, as compensation for each day's attendance, per day three dollars, and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled in attending court as such, in going *only, per mile twenty-five cents. Witnesses in the justice courts and trial jurors*

in the same, in civil or criminal cases, when sworn to try the case, shall receive as compensation for each day's attendance, two dollars, and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled in attending court as such, in going only, fifteen cents per mile.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 121—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the forty-fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: "Section four thousand two hundred seventy-three of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4273. In counties of the forty-fourth class the county officers shall receive, as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their office, the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit:

1. The county clerk, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum which office is hereby created. He shall appoint said deputy, with the consent of the board of supervisors as manifest by not less than a three-fourths vote of the members thereof; said board may dismiss the said deputy at any time that he shall in its opinion fail to satisfactorily perform the duties of his office.

2. The sheriff, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and his reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of the duties of his office in criminal matters; said expenses to be allowed by the board of supervisors as other county charges are allowed. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created; said deputy shall be appointed by the sheriff, with the consent of the board of supervisors as manifest by not less than a three-fourths vote of the members thereof; said board may dismiss the said deputy at any time that he shall in its opinion fail to satisfactorily perform his duties. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created. Said deputy shall be appointed by the sheriff, with the consent of the board of supervisors as manifest by not less than a three-fourths vote of the members thereof, said board may dismiss the said deputy at any time that he shall in its opinion fail to satisfactorily perform his duties.

The salary and allowance above named shall be compensation in full and the said sheriff shall pay over to the county all mileage, fees or other commissions received by him for service in civil matters.

3. The recorder, one thousand nine hundred dollars per annum. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of seven hundred fifty dollars per annum.

4. The auditor, eight hundred dollars per annum. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of seven hundred fifty dollars per annum.

5. The treasurer, two thousand dollars per annum. He shall also have one deputy at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month said deputy to be employed for not to exceed five months in any one year.

6. The tax collector one thousand dollars per annum, and ten per cent of all licenses collected by him as license collector. He shall have one deputy for a period of four months in each year, at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, which office is hereby created. Said deputy shall be appointed by the tax collector, with the consent of the board of supervisors, as manifest by not less than a three-fourths vote of the members thereof, said board may dismiss the said deputy at any time that he shall in its opinion fail to satisfactorily perform his duties. The tax collector shall also be allowed one per cent of all money collected by him as taxes from municipalities, irrigation districts, sanitary districts, or improvement districts.

7. The assessor, three thousand dollars per annum and six per cent of all unsecured personal taxes collected by him, except only such portion of said tax as belongs to the school fund. He shall also have one deputy for a period of four months in each year, beginning March first and ending June thirtieth, at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month each, said deputy shall be appointed by the assessor, with the consent of the board of supervisors, as manifest by not less than a three-fourths vote of the members thereof, said board may dismiss the said deputy at any time that he shall in its opinion fail to satisfactorily perform his duties. He shall also be allowed one deputy, to be known as a poll tax deputy, at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month. Such deputy shall not be employed for more than four months in any one year. Said deputy shall be

appointed by the assessor, with the consent of the board of supervisors as manifest by not less than a three-fourths vote of the members thereof said board may dismiss the said deputy at any time that he shall in its opinion fail to satisfactorily perform his duties. The provisions of this section, so far as they relate to the poll-tax deputy in the office of the assessor shall not be operative in the event that the Legislature at its forty-sixth session shall pass a general law providing for the appointment and salaries of deputy poll tax collectors

8 The district attorney, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum He is hereby allowed a stenographer at a salary of six hundred dollars per annum

9 The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law

10 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11 The superintendent of schools, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county The superintendent of schools is hereby allowed additional office help Such additional help shall receive compensation at the rate of five dollars per day, not to exceed in the aggregate sixty days in any one year

12. The surveyor, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

13 Justices of the peace in counties of this class shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month in the same manner, at the same time, and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid In townships having a population of over four thousand one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; in townships having a population of over three thousand and less than four thousand, seventy-five dollars per month, in townships having a population of less than three thousand, twenty dollars per month They shall also receive the fees that are now or may hereafter be allowed by law, and shall receive such sum as may be necessary to maintain their offices, *provided*, that such sum shall not be in excess of twenty per cent of their salary as allowed herein The board of supervisors of such county shall furnish and supply to the justices of the peace of the various townships the codes of the state and amendments thereto and all necessary stationery, legal blanks and forms for the proper conduct of business. For the purpose of this subdivision, the population of the several townships shall be ascertained by multiplying the number of registered voters at the last general election by three

14 Constables in counties of this class shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month in the same manner and at the same time and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid In townships having a population of four thousand or over, one hundred dollars per month, in townships having a population of over three thousand and less than four thousand, fifty dollars per month, and in townships having a population of less than three thousand, twenty-five dollars per month, and in addition thereto all necessary and reasonable expenses for performing the duties of their office in criminal matters In addition to the monthly salaries allowed herein, each constable may receive for his own use in civil cases the fees now or hereafter allowed by law.

15 Each member of the board of supervisors, one thousand dollars per annum, and mileage from residence to the county seat, at each sitting of the board at twenty-five cents per mile; which said salary and mileage shall be in full for all services.

16. In counties of this class, the official reporter of the superior court shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, to cover all work done in criminal cases, both in the superior and justice's courts of the county, and shall receive as compensation for taking notes in civil cases tried in the superior court a per diem of ten dollars, and for transcription of said notes, when required during the progress of the trial, he shall receive the sum of twenty-five cents per folio for the original, and five cents per folio for one copy, in both criminal and civil cases; but if such transcription is not required until after the conclusion of the trial, then he shall receive the sum of ten cents per folio for the original, and five cents per folio for copies required, said compensation for transcription in criminal cases to be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims against the county, and paid out of the county treasury; and in civil cases to be paid by the party ordering the same, or when ordered by the judge, by either party, or jointly by both parties, as the court may direct. He shall also be allowed his actual traveling expenses when reporting outside of the county seat

17. Grand jurors, and trial jurors, in criminal cases, shall receive the following fees and mileage (1) Grand jurors and jurors in the superior court in criminal cases, shall be paid three dollars per day for each day's attendance and for each mile actually traveled in going only, while acting as jurors twenty-five cents, and the judge of said court shall make an order directing the auditor to draw his warrant on the treasurer in favor of each such juror for said per diem and mileage and the treasurer shall pay the same

18 For attending as a trial juror in criminal cases only in any justice's court of the county, for each day's attendance, two dollars and fifty cents The justice of the peace shall certify to the auditor the number of days' attendance of each juror and the auditor shall then draw his warrant therefor, and the treasurer shall pay the same.

19. For attending as a witness in criminal cases only, in the superior court of the county, for each day's attendance, the sum of three dollars, and for each mile actually traveled in going, one way only, while acting as juror, twenty-five cents.

20. For attending as a witness in criminal cases only, in any justices court, for each day's attendance the sum of two dollars, and for each mile actually traveled in going only, while acting as a juror twenty-five cents, one way. The judge of the superior court, or the justice of the peace shall certify to the auditor the number of days attendance of each witness, and the auditor shall thereupon draw his warrant therefor and the treasurer pay the same.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments, and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 4262 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-third class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4262" insert the following "In counties of the thirty-third class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit

1. The county clerk, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum and such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county clerk, one clerk, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month and who shall be appointed by the county clerk. The salary of said clerk herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk is paid.

2. The sheriff, six thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the sheriff, one clerk, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month and who shall be appointed by the sheriff. The salary of said clerk to be paid in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

3. The recorder, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum

4. The auditor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the auditor one clerk, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, and who shall be appointed by the auditor. The salary of said clerk herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the auditor is paid.

5. The treasurer, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the treasurer, one clerk, which office is hereby created, at a salary of seventy-five dollars per month and who shall be appointed by the treasurer. The salary of said clerk to be paid in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

6. The tax collector, two thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, he shall have power to appoint one deputy at a salary of seventy-five dollars per month, payable at the same time and in the same manner as that of other county officers, *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class all the fees and commissions of every name and nature received by the tax collector shall be paid into the county treasury.

7. The assessor, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the assessor one clerk, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, and who shall be appointed by the assessor. The salary of said clerk herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, and in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid. The

assessor may also appoint seven field clerks, which offices of field clerk are hereby created, to serve not exceeding sixty days in any one year, and said field clerks shall receive as compensation for all services performed as such, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents per day for each day actually and necessarily employed as such, to be paid out of the county treasury in the same manner, at the same time and out of the same fund as the salaries of the county officers are paid; *provided*, that each field deputy, when so employed, shall file with the auditor a statement verified by the oath of such field deputy and approved by the assessor, showing the number of days actually and necessarily employed in the duties of such employment during the period covered by said statement, before any warrant for the payment of such compensation shall be drawn by the auditor. All commissions, fees or compensation for the collection of taxes on personal property, for services in making out the roll of persons subject to military duty, and all other fees and commissions shall be collected by the assessor and by him paid into the county treasury and no part shall be retained by him as part of his compensation.

8. The district attorney, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and he is hereby allowed in addition thereto one clerk to be appointed by him, who shall receive nine hundred dollars per annum, said salary to be paid in the same manner, at the same time, and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum and actual traveling expenses when visiting schools of his county, and such per diem as he may be now or hereafter allowed by law for his services on the board of education; *provided*, that in counties of this class there is allowed to the superintendent of schools one clerk, which office of clerk is hereby created, at a salary of seventy-five dollars per month, and who shall be appointed by the superintendent of schools. The salary of said clerk is to be paid at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the salaries of the other county officers are paid.

12. The county surveyor, two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the surveyor one deputy, who shall be appointed by the surveyor of said county, and shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; the salary of such surveyor shall be paid by such county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid. The county surveyor shall make all maps, plats and block books required by the county assessor, he shall do all work for the county in which the county employs a surveyor or civil engineer, he shall have general advisory supervision over all road and bridge work for the county and shall file annually with the board of supervisors a statement, which shall be published as a part of the proceedings of said board, showing the cost of all new road and bridge construction in the county, also the cost per mile of maintaining the different roads of the county for the preceding fiscal year, *and provided, further*, that when in the judgment of the board of supervisors of the county it is necessary to employ additional assistants for the performance of any of said work, the board of supervisors shall allow the necessary actual expense thereof *and provided, further*, that said county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary transportation and expenses incurred by himself or deputies for work performed in the field; the salary of the deputy herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as other county officers are paid. The salary herein fixed for said surveyor shall be in lieu of all fees, commissions or compensation of whatsoever kind or nature for services performed by said surveyor for said county. All acts or parts of acts relative to such fees, commissions or compensation for work performed for counties of this class by such county surveyor are hereby repealed.

13. Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as salaries of other county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered in both civil and criminal cases: in townships where the population is three thousand five hundred, or more, seventy-five dollars per month, and said justice of the peace shall be furnished with offices and necessary supplies by the board of supervisors of said county; in townships where the population is two thousand five hundred, or more, and less than three thousand five hundred, fifty dollars per month; in townships where the population is one thousand five hundred, or more, and less than two thousand five hundred, thirty-five dollars per month; in townships where the population is one thousand, or more, and less than one thousand five hundred, twenty-five dollars per month; in townships where the population is less than one thousand, fifteen dollars per month; *provided*, that all fees and fines chargeable and collectible by justices of the peace in civil and criminal cases for services rendered by them shall be collected by them and by them paid monthly into the county treasury; *provided, further*, that for the purpose of this subdivision, the population of the several townships shall be ascertained by the board of supervisors,

by multiplying the number of registered voters at the last general election of each township by three.

14. Constables, in townships having a population of two thousand, or more, shall receive a monthly salary of fifty dollars per month; in townships having a population of one thousand or less than two thousand, shall receive a salary of forty dollars per month and in townships having a population of less than one thousand shall receive a salary of twenty dollars per month. Constables shall also receive actual traveling expenses in transporting prisoners to the county jail. The salaries of township officers, herein provided for, shall be paid monthly, in the same manner as the salaries of the county officers are paid, and shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in criminal cases.

15. The meetings of the board of supervisors shall be monthly and shall be held on the first Monday of each and every month. Each member of the board of supervisors is to receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum and mileage at the rate of twenty cents per mile from his home to and from county seat.

16. Grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior court shall receive from each day's attendance per day the sum of three dollars. In justices' courts in civil and criminal cases, the jurors sworn to try the case shall receive for each day's attendance per day the sum of two dollars. All jurors shall receive for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from his residence to the place of service the sum of fifteen cents per mile, *provided*, that in justice courts mileage shall be allowed only to those sworn to try the case.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments, and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office of employment under the provisions of such statutes."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 643—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill beginning with line 7, strike out the remainder of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

1. The county clerk, three thousand two hundred fifty dollars per annum, and also such compensation as is now or may hereafter be allowed by law; and in each year in which a new and complete registration of voters is required by law he shall receive such an amount as shall be necessary to pay deputy registration clerks for taking affidavits of registration outside of the office at the rate of ten cents each, and such an amount as shall be necessary to pay deputies in the office for enrolling the registrations upon the great register at the rate of four cents each, the claims for which shall be presented and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims are presented and allowed; he may also appoint a deputy clerk, which office of deputy clerk is hereby created, whose salary shall be one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, payable as the salaries of county officers are paid. The provisions of this subsection do not increase the compensation of a county officer and shall take effect immediately.

2. The sheriff, six thousand dollars per annum.

3. The recorder, two thousand two hundred fifty dollars per annum, *provided*, that such recorder shall collect and pay into the county treasury for the use and benefit of the county the fees required by law to be so collected, *and provided*, that when the amount of said fees so collected shall amount to more than two hundred dollars in any one month, the said recorder may receive and retain for his own use, in addition to his salary, one-half of all fees in excess of two hundred dollars in one month so collected, *and provided*, that in counties of this class the recorder may appoint two deputy recorders for service in his office, which offices of deputies for the county recorder are hereby created, one of said deputies shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and one of said deputies shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of one thousand twenty dollars per annum, to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments at the same time and in

the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the recorder is paid.

4. The auditor, two thousand five hundred dollars per annum; he may also appoint a deputy auditor, which office of deputy auditor is hereby created, whose salary shall be seventy-five dollars per month, payable as the salaries of all other county officers are paid. The provisions of this subsection do not increase the compensation of a county officer and shall take effect immediately.

5. The treasurer, two thousand dollars per annum; *and provided*, that in counties of this class the treasurer may appoint a deputy treasurer, which office of deputy treasurer is hereby created, and said deputy treasurer shall receive as compensation for such service the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum, to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the treasurer is paid.

6. The tax collector, one thousand dollars per annum; *provided* that said tax collector shall perform the duties and receive and retain for his own use, the fees provided by law for the license tax collector.

7. The assessor, four thousand two hundred fifty dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class the assessor may appoint a field deputy, which office of field deputy is hereby created, who shall hold office from the first day of March of each year up to and including the last day of July of each year. The salary of said field deputy herein provided for is fixed at the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month, to include expenses for each month during which the said field deputy holds office, as herein provided. The salary of said field deputy shall be paid at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

8. The district attorney, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; he may also appoint a deputy, which office of deputy district attorney is hereby created, whose salary shall be one thousand dollars per annum, payable as the salaries of other county officers are paid. The district attorney is also allowed a clerk, which office is hereby created at an annual salary of nine hundred dollars ($900) per annum, payable in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, including services on the board of education. He shall be allowed his actual traveling expenses not to exceed five hundred dollars per annum; he shall also be allowed one deputy whose salary shall be seventy-five dollars per month, payable the same as the salary of county officers; *provided*, that he shall keep his office open from nine o'clock a. m. to five o'clock p. m., of each business day.

12. The surveyor shall receive a per diem of ten dollars for all work performed for the county, in addition thereto all necessary expenses and transportation on work performed in the field.

13. For the purpose of fixing the compensation of justices of the peace according to their duties, townships of this class of counties are hereby classified according to population. The population shall be determined by the board of supervisors upon the enactment of this act, and also at the time of the formation of any new township or townships.

Townships having a population of over three thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class; townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than three thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class; townships having a population of one thousand and less than one thousand five hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class; townships having a population of four hundred and less than one thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class; townships having a population of three hundred and less than four hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fifth class; townships having a population of less than three hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the sixth class.

Justices of the peace shall receive the following salaries. In townships of the first class, the sum of nine hundred dollars; in townships of the second class, the sum of six hundred sixty dollars; in townships of the third class, three hundred twenty dollars; in townships of the fourth class, one hundred eighty dollars; in townships of the fifth class, one hundred twenty dollars; in townships of the sixth class, sixty dollars.

Such salaries shall be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid and shall be compensation in full for all services rendered.

All fees received by justices of the peace shall be paid into the county treasury every month.

14. The constable shall receive the following fees, to wit: For serving summons and complaint, for each defendant served one dollar; for each copy of summons for service when made by him, twenty-five cents; for levying writ of attachment or execution or executing order of arrest or for the delivery of personal property, one

dollar; for keeping personal property, such sum as the court may order, but no more than two dollars per day shall be allowed for a keeper when necessarily employed, for taking bond or undertaking, fifty cents, for copies of writs and other papers, except summons, complaints and subpoenas, per folio ten cents; *provided*, that when correct copies are furnished him for use, no charge shall be made for copies, for serving any writ, notice or order, except summons, complaint or subpoenas, for each person served, fifty cents, for writing and posting each notice of sale of property, twenty-five cents, for serving subpoenas, each witness, including copy twenty-five cents; for collecting money on execution, two and one-half per cent, to be charged against the defendant named in the execution; for executing and delivering a certificate of sale, one dollar; for executing and delivering constable's deeds, two dollars, for every mile necessarily traveled in his township, in going only, to serve any civil or criminal process or paper, or to take a prisoner before a magistrate or to a prison, twenty-five cents, outside of his township, but within his county, twenty cents; but when two or more persons are served or summoned in the same suit and at the same time, mileage shall be charged only for the more distant if they live in the same direction; for each mile traveling outside his county in making criminal arrests, both going and returning from the place of arrest, ten cents; *in transporting prisoners to the county jail, or before a magistrate either* upon arrest or for trial or examination or after conviction, he shall receive in addition to the above mileage his actual and necessary expenses for himself and prisoners; *provided*, that if two or more prisoners are transported at the same time, no more than one mileage shall be allowed, for making each arrest in criminal cases, one dollar and fifty cents; for sales of estrays, the same fees as for sales on execution, for summoning a jury two dollars, including mileage, for all other services, the same fees as *are allowed sheriffs for like services*, *provided, further*, that no more than sixty dollars shall be allowed to any constable in counties of this class in any one month for fees and mileage in criminal matters.

15. Each supervisor, six hundred dollars per annum, and twenty cents per mile for traveling from his residence to and from the county seat, *provided*, such mileage shall not be allowed more than once a month; and for his services as road commissioner he shall receive twenty cents a mile one way, for all distances actually and necessarily traveled by him in the performance of his duties; *provided*, he shall not in any one year receive more than six hundred dollars as such road commissioner The road commissioner shall be reimbursed for all traveling personal and other necessary expenses while actually engaged in the performance of their duties upon the road; *provided*, that the full amount of expenses incurred shall not exceed six hundred dollars in any one year, to be allowed as any other claim by the board of supervisors.

16. *The county traffic officer, two thousand two hundred dollars per annum*; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county traffic officer one deputy, which office is hereby created Said deputy shall be appointed by said county traffic officer and shall receive a salary of two thousand two hundred dollars per annum which shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county traffic officer is paid Said traffic *officer and his deputy shall provide their own motorcycles or other vehicles and* shall pay all of the expense of the upkeep of such machines and the said county shall provide gasoline and oil for the purpose of propelling the same, *and provided, further*, that there shall be and there is allowed to the county traffic officer a sum not to exceed one thousand two hundred dollars in any one year to be used in carrying out the duties of his office. All the provisions of this paragraph are to apply to the office of county traffic officer and his deputy whenever said office *of county traffic officer is created by law*

17. In counties of this class grand jurors and jurors in the superior court shall receive for each day's attendance the sum of three dollars, and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from residence to county seat the sum of twenty-five cents; such mileage to be allowed but once during each session such jurors are required to attend

SEC 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the colon following the words "to wit" add the following

"1. The county clerk, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and when a new register of voters is required by law to be made, he shall receive in addition, fifteen cents per name for each voter registered, which shall be in full for all services required in registering voters and making the great register, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the county clerk, one deputy, who shall be appointed by said county clerk, who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and one deputy who shall be appointed by said county clerk, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, said salaries of said deputies to be paid by said county monthly and at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund, as the salary of the county clerk is paid, *provided, further*, that there is hereby allowed to the county clerk such additional deputies to be appointed by said county clerk, as may be necessary to carry on the work of his office for a length of time not to exceed four months in each year for each deputy, and the aggregate compensation to be paid all of said deputies shall not exceed six hundred dollars in any one year, said deputies to be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk is paid.

2. The sheriff, four thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and also all fees for service in actions arising out of his county, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the sheriff one undersheriff, who shall be appointed by said sheriff, who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and one deputy who shall be appointed by said sheriff, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, said salaries to be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the sheriff is paid

3 The recorder, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the recorder, one deputy, who shall be appointed by said recorder, who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and one deputy, who shall be appointed by the recorder, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and two copyists who shall be appointed by said recorder, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred ten dollars per month, each, said salaries of said deputies and of said copyists to be paid by said county, monthly, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund, as the salary of the recorder is paid He may also appoint such additional copyists as may be required for the recording of all papers, notices, or documents, in his office, who shall receive for their services the sum not to exceed seven cents per folio for typewritten recording of each paper or document so recorded paid out of the fees collected by him, further that said recorder shall file monthly with the county auditor a sworn statement showing in detail the persons and the amounts paid to each for such recording

4 The auditor, four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the auditor, clerks and employees, who shall be appointed by said auditor, who shall be paid salaries as follows, One deputy auditor at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and one deputy at a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month, and a sum not to exceed six hundred dollars in any one year for such additional clerk hire as may be necessary, said salaries of the clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund, as the salary of the auditor is paid

5. The treasurer, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the treasurer, one deputy, who shall be appointed by said treasurer and who shall be paid a salary of one hundred and seventy-five dollars per month, said salary of said deputy to be paid by said county, monthly, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the treasurer is paid

6 The tax collector, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the tax collector, a deputy, who shall be appointed by said tax collector, who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and one deputy who shall be appointed by said tax collector, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, said salaries to be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the tax collector a copyist for the period of time embraced between the first day of August and the thirty-first day of December, both dates inclusive, in each year. Said copyist shall be appointed by said tax collector, and shall be paid a salary of one hundred ten dollars per month during the period of

time said copyist shall be employed, to be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class, the said tax collector be allowed a sum not to exceed one thousand dollars per annum for such additional clerk hire as may be necessary, the same to be paid in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid, *provided, further*, that said tax collector shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own use ten per centum only of all licenses collected by him

7. The assessor, four thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and also such fees and commissions as are allowed by law, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor, a deputy, who shall be appointed by said assessor who shall be paid a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, to be paid by said county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid, *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor, a deputy who shall be appointed by said assessor, who shall be paid a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, to be paid by said county monthly, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor, a copyist who shall be appointed by said assessor from the first day of January to the thirty-first day of July, inclusive, during each year. Said copyist shall be paid a salary of one hundred ten dollars per month, to be paid by said county monthly, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of said assessor is paid, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the assessor a copyist, who shall be appointed by said assessor from the first day of February to the thirty-first day of August, inclusive, during each year. Said copyist shall be paid a salary of one hundred ten dollars per month, to be paid by said county monthly, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of said assessor is paid, *provided, further*, that said assessor shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own use three per centum only in personal property tax collected by him as authorized by section three thousand eight hundred twenty of the Political Code of the State of California, *provided, further*, that there is hereby allowed to the assessor such additional deputies to be appointed by said assessor as may be necessary to carry on the work of his office for a length of time not to exceed four months in each year for each deputy, and the aggregate compensation to be paid all of such deputies shall not exceed four thousand five hundred dollars in any one year, said deputies to be paid monthly at the same time out of the same fund and in the same manner as the salary of said assessor is paid

8. The district attorney three thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class, the district attorney may appoint a deputy which office of deputy district attorney is hereby created, said deputy to be employed at such times and to receive such salary not to exceed the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month as the board of supervisors may fix by resolution, *provided, further*, that said district attorney may appoint a stenographer at a salary of one hundred ten dollars per month. Said deputy and said stenographer shall be paid at the same time and out of the same fund as other county officers are paid

9. The superintendent of schools, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum and actual traveling expenses, while attending to his duties as such superintendent of schools; *provided*, that such traveling expenses shall not in any one year exceed the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools, a deputy, who shall be appointed by said superintendent of schools and who shall be paid a salary of two hundred dollars at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid

10. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. The public administrator such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

12. The surveyor, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

13. For the purpose of fixing the compensation of justices of the peace and constables according to their duties, townships in counties of this class are hereby classified according to their population as follows: Townships having a population of ten thousand or more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class; townships having a population of less than ten thousand and more than five thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class; townships having a population of less than five thousand and more than one thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class; townships having a population of less than one thousand and more than nine hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class; townships having a population of less than nine hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fifth class. The population of the several townships shall be determined by the board of supervisors upon the enactment of this act and also at the time of the formation of any new township or townships for the purpose of this and the succeeding subdivisions by the last federal census taken during the year 1910. Justices of the peace shall receive the following salaries:

In townships of the first class the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month; *provided*, that each justice of the peace in townships of this class shall be an attorney at law admitted to practice before the supreme court of this state;

In townships of the second class the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month

In townships of the third class, the sum of one hundred dollars per month, *provided*, that in townships of this class the justice of the peace is hereby allowed a clerk at a salary of fifty dollars per month, the compensation of said clerk to be paid in the same manner, at the same time, and out of the same fund, as the salary of the justice of the peace is paid;

In townships of the fourth class the sum of ten dollars per month,

In townships of the fifth class the sum of five dollars per month;

Said salaries shall be paid in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid, and shall be compensation in full for all services rendered. All fees received by justices of the peace shall be paid into the county treasury every month. Justices of the peace of the first and second classes shall be allowed their necessary office expenses not to exceed the sum of fifteen dollars per month; *provided, further*, that all justices of the peace shall be allowed their civil and criminal dockets and legal blanks at the expense of the county, *provided, further*, that the justices of the peace of the townships of the third class when in the trial of criminal cases it becomes necessary to rent a hall to conduct said trial, the said justices of the peace of said counties of the third class shall be allowed the rental paid therefor, but not to exceed the sum of three dollars for any one day; *and provided, further*, that said rental shall not exceed in any one month the sum of fifteen dollars.

14. Constables shall receive the following salaries

In townships of the first class the sum of one hundred dollars per month. Said constables shall be entitled to receive and retain for their own use and benefit all fees collected for the service of civil processes.

In townships of the second class the sum of eighty dollars per month. Said constables shall be entitled to receive and retain for their own use and benefit all fees collected for the service of civil processes.

In townships of the third, fourth and fifth classes such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law and in addition thereto three dollars per day for each day's actual attendance in court during a jury trial therein or preliminary examination for felony, *provided*, that no constable shall receive more than three dollars for any one day's attendance on any court. It is hereby found as a fact that the salaries provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in compensation and the same shall apply immediately to incumbents.

15. Each member of the board of supervisors one hundred dollars per month, and ten cents per mile while traveling from his residence to the county seat, and also mileage for his services as road commissioner at the rate of twenty cents per mile one way, for the distance actually traveled in the discharge of his duties as road commissioner, *provided*, that such mileage as road commissioner shall not in any one year exceed the sum of three hundred dollars.

16. Each member of the board of education including the secretary, five dollars per day when the board is in session and ten cents per mile for traveling to and from his or her residence to the county seat at each session, unless otherwise provided by law.

In counties of this class, the official phonographic reporter of the superior court shall receive the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month as compensation for the reporting of criminal cases both in the superior court and justices court in the county, and for the transcription of the shorthand notes of such cases, he shall receive fifteen cents per folio of one hundred words for the original and seven and one-half cents per folio for each copy thereof as compensation for reporting and for the transcription of his shorthand notes. In civil cases he shall receive the fees now or hereafter authorized by law, *provided*, that he shall receive from the county no fees for the county's share of the cost of reporting in any civil cases in which the county is a party. The salary of the reporter shall be paid out of the county treasury in the same manner as other county officers are paid.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend", strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "six", insert the following "and three thousand eight hundred seventeen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 3 of the printed bill, after the period, insert the following. "On the first Monday of December of each year, at 6 o'clock p.m., all taxes then unpaid, except the last installment of the real property taxes, are delinquent, and thereafter the tax collector must collect, for the use of the county, or city and county, an additional ten per cent thereon; *provided*, that if they be not paid before the last Monday in April next succeeding, at 6 o'clock p.m., he shall collect an additional five per cent thereon On the last Monday in April of each year at 6 o'clock p.m., all the unpaid portion of the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property is delinquent, and thereafter the tax collector must collect, for the use of the county, or city and county, an additional five per cent thereon; *provided*, that the entire tax on any real property may be paid at the time the first installment, as above provided, is due and payable, and *provided, further*, that the taxes on all personal property unsecured by real property shall be due and payable immediately after the assessment of said personal property is made

SEC. 2. Section three thousand eight hundred seventeen of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

3817. In all cases where real estate has been sold, or may hereafter be sold for delinquent taxes to the state, and the state has not disposed of the same, the person whose estate has been, or may hereafter be sold, his heirs, executors, administrators, or other successors in interest, shall, at any time after the same has been sold to the state, and before the state shall have disposed of the same, have the right to redeem such real estate by paying to the county treasurer of the county wherein the real estate may be situated, the amount of taxes, penalties and costs due thereon at the time of said sale, with interest on the aggregate amount of said taxes, at the rate of seven per cent per annum, and also all taxes that were a lien upon said real estate at the time said taxes became delinquent; and also all unpaid taxes of every description assessed against the property for each year since the sale, or, if not so assessed, then upon the value of the property as assessed in the year nearest the time of such redemption, with interest from the first day of July of each of said years, respectively, at the same rate, to the time of redemption; and also all costs and expenses of such redemption, and penalties as follows, to wit

Five per cent if redeemed within six months from July first of the year of sale, ten per cent if redeemed within one year therefrom; fifteen per cent if redeemed within two years therefrom, twenty per cent if redeemed within three years therefrom, twenty per cent if redeemed within four years therefrom, and twenty-five per cent if redeemed within five or any greater number of years therefrom. The penalty shall be computed upon the amount of each year's taxes in like manner, reckoning from July first of the year when the lands would have been sold for the taxes of that year, if there had been no previous sales thereof.

The county auditor shall, on the application of the person desiring to redeem, make an estimate of the amount to be paid, and shall give him triplicate certificates of the amount, specifying the several amounts thereof, which certificates the redemptioner shall deliver to the county treasurer, together with the money, and the county treasurer shall give triplicate receipts, written or indorsed upon said certificates, one to the redemptioner, and two to the county auditor, who shall deliver one of the said receipts to the state controller.

Upon consummation of the redemption and the delivery of the receipts aforesaid by the treasurer, the auditor shall report the same to the assessor, tax collector and recorder, and the recorder shall, without payment of fee, note on the margin of the record of the certificate of sale, or deed, if issued, the fact of such redemption, the date thereof, and by whom redeemed, which certificate of sale, or deed, shall become null and void, and all right, title and interest acquired by virtue of the tax sale, shall cease and determine

The county treasurer shall settle for the moneys received as for other state and county moneys.

The state controller shall, upon request of the auditor, issue a receipt which may be recorded in the recorder's office of the county in which said real estate is situated, in the book of deeds, and the record thereof shall have the same effect as that of a deed of reconveyance of the interest conveyed by such deed or certificate of sale.

This act shall also apply to state lands sold by the state when the full amount of the purchase price has not been paid to the state therefor after the deed to the state, provided for in section three thousand seven hundred eighty-five has been filed with the surveyor general; *provided, however*, that one of the receipts showing the redemption of such land shall be delivered to the surveyor general who shall issue his receipt to the redemptioner, *and provided, further*, that no certificates of redemption shall be issued by the county auditor until he has first ascertained from the surveyor general that the land has not been disposed of by the state."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners of each county in the State, for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to the membership of such board.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 628—An act to provide for the appointment of an investigator and mediator to be appointed by the superior court in counties of the first, second and third class, and defining his duties and fixing his compensation and term of office.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, commencing with the word "beginning", strike out paragraph up and to and including the word "ning", on line 45, page 2, of the printed bill, and insert the following

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Third street distant thereon seventy-five (75) feet southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-fifth street, running thence westerly parallel with said southerly line of Twenty-fifth street to the westerly line of Iowa street, running thence southerly along the westerly line of Iowa street to the southerly line of Army street, running thence westerly along the southerly line of Army street to a point thereon distant thereon one hundred (100) feet westerly from the westerly line of Missouri street, running thence southerly parallel with said westerly line of Missouri street two hundred and fifty (250) feet, running thence westerly to a point on the westerly line of Arkansas street projected southerly distant thereon five hundred and twenty (520) feet southerly from the northerly line of Army street, running thence westerly to a

point on the easterly line of Wisconsin street, projected southerly, distant thereon four hundred (400) feet southerly from the southerly line of Army street, running thence northerly along the easterly line of Wisconsin street, projected southerly, four hundred feet to the southerly line of Army street running thence westerly along the southerly line of Army street to a point distant thereon one hundred (100) feet easterly from the easterly line of De Haro street, running thence at right angles southerly one hundred and sixty-two (162) feet, running thence southwesterly to a point on the westerly line of De Haro street distant thereon three hundred (300) feet southerly from the southerly line of Army street, running thence southerly along the westerly line of De Haro street 124 feet running thence westerly parallel with Army street two hundred and eighty (280) feet to the westerly line of Rhode Island street, running thence northerly along the westerly line of Rhode Island street one hundred and fifty-four (154) feet, running thence at right angles westerly one hundred and forty-six (146) feet, running thence at right angles northerly two hundred and seventy (270) feet to the southerly line of Army street, running thence westerly along the southerly line of Army street to the easterly line of San Bruno avenue, running thence southerly along the easterly line of San Bruno avenue to the northeasterly line of Oakdale avenue, running thence southeasterly along the northeasterly line of Oakdale avenue to the northwesterly line of Quint street running thence northeasterly along the northwesterly line of Quint street to a point thereon which is distant sixty-five (65) feet at right angles westerly from the center line of a double track trestle of the Southern Pacific Railroad as at present constructed, running thence northerly parallel with said center line of said double track trestle and distant sixty-five (65) feet at right angles westerly therefrom to the northerly line of Islais street projected westerly running thence easterly along the northerly line of Islais street projected westerly and along the northerly line of Islais street to the westerly line of Third street, running thence northerly along the westerly line of Third street to the point of beginning

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 197—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 287 of the Civil Code of California, relating to how corporations may continue their existence under the code.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill strike out the entire bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

An act to amend sections two, four, five, six, seven, nine, eleven, thirteen, fourteen, seventeen and twenty-five of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities, providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof" and creating a state corporation department and the office of commissioner of corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows

SECTION 1 Section two of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and the sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities, providing for the

enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a state corporation department and the office of commissioner of corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 2. Words used in this act in the present tense include the future as well as the present, words used in the masculine gender include the feminine and neuter, and in the neuter, the masculine and feminine the singular number includes the plural, and the plural, the singular; "writing" includes "printing" and "typewriting"; "oath" includes "affirmation", the word "county" includes "city and county", and "territory" includes "district." The following words have in this act the signification attached to them in this section, unless otherwise apparent from the context

1. The word "department" means the "state corporation department" created by this act.

2 The word "commissioner" means the "commissioner of corporations,"

3 The word "company" includes all domestic and foreign private corporations, associations, joint stock companies, and partnerships, of every kind, trustees, as hereinafter defined, and also individuals as hereinafter defined, excepting therefrom:

(*a*) All national banking associations and other corporations organized and existing under and by virtue of the acts of the congress of the United States;

(*b*) All public utilities subject to the jurisdiction, control, and regulation of the railroad commission of this state;

(*c*) All corporations now or hereafter organized under the laws of this state for the purpose of conducting the business of banking within this state and all corporations transacting insurance business within this state, when such corporations are issuing securities of their own issue against their own assets

(*d*) All corporations, associations, or societies transacting business under the supervision, examination, and license of the bureau of building and loan supervision; and

(*e*) Every corporation organized under the laws of this state exclusively for the purposes provided in any of the following titles, to wit eleven *a*, twelve, twelve *a*, and fourteen of part four, division first, of the Civil Code, and in accordance with the provisions of such titles

4. The word "trust" as used in this act includes all voluntary trusts, as the same are defined in the Civil Code, expressly created by or declared in an instrument in writing, other than a will or a judicial writ, order, decree, or judgment, to carry on any business or to secure the payment or repayment of money

5. The word "trustee," except as hereinafter used in subdivision eleven of this section, includes only persons or companies executing trusts as herembefore defined.

6 The word "individual" in so far as it is included in the definition of a "company," includes only persons selling, offering for sale, negotiating for the sale of or taking subscriptions for any security as hereinafter defined in subdivision eight of this section, of their own issue.

7. The word "security" includes:

(*a*) All shares or other interests or rights into which the capital, capital stock, or property of companies or rights of stockholders or members thereof are divided, including all treasury shares and shares of their own capital stock purchased or otherwise acquired by companies upon delinquent assessment sales or in any other lawful manner, and all certificates and other instruments issued by them or their authority, evidencing or representing such shares, interests, or rights;

(*b*) Any instrument offered to the public by a "company" evidencing or representing any right to participate or share in oil, gas or other hydrocarbon substances or other minerals of any sort, as yet undeveloped, or in the proceeds of sale thereof;

(*c*) All bonds, debentures, and evidences of indebtedness issued by any company, and

(*d*) Any instrument offered for sale, or sold, or issued, to the public by any company, evidencing or representing any right to participate or share in the profits, earnings or income, gross or net, derived from the assets, or any thereof, of any business carried on for profit or in the distribution of such assets; excepting therefrom any lease, not offered to the public, whereby the lessee obtains the right to use or control the property leased and to receive for his use, in whole or in part, the profits, earnings or income derived from the property so leased; and further excepting therefrom the following

1. Bills of exchange and promissory notes not offered to the public by the drawer, maker, or underwriter thereof, and all mortgages and deeds of trust of property situated in this State, executed to secure the payment thereof; and

2 Any security listed in any standard manual of information, as to which the commissioner shall first make and file his written finding to the effect that such security is fully and accurately described in such manual and that a sale thereof will not, in his opinion, work a fraud upon the purchaser thereof *provided*, that if such finding shall thereafter be vacated or set aside such security shall not thereafter be deemed to be included within this exception.

8 The word "security", in so far as it applies to "individuals", includes:

(*a*) Any instrument offered to the public by an "individual" evidencing or representing any right to participate or share in oil, gas or other hydrocarbon substances or other minerals of any sort, as yet undeveloped, or in the proceeds of sale thereof;

(*b*) All bonds, debentures, and evidences of indebtedness offered to the public by an "individual"; and

(c) Any instrument offered for sale, or sold, or issued, to the public by an "individual", evidencing or representing any right to participate or share in the profits, earnings or income, gross or net, derived from the assets, or any thereof, of any business carried on for profit or in the distribution of such assets; excepting therefrom any lease not offered to the public, whereby the lessee obtains the right to use or control the property leased and to receive for his use, in whole or in part, the profits, earnings or income derived from the property so leased

9. A "sale," within the meaning of this act, includes every contract, by which, for a pecuniary consideration, called a price, one transfers to another an interest in property, and also an exchange, a pledge, a hypothecation, and any transfer in trust or otherwise as security for the performance of an obligation, and also any issue of any security by a company and the word "sell", as used in this act, includes *every act by which such sale is made, provided, however, that* the execution or delivery of a certificate or certificates in exchange for a certificate or certificates evidencing a like aggregate par value of its shares of the same class theretofore legally issued by it, provided that the nature and extent of any preferences of such shares theretofore issued have not been changed, shall not be construed to be a sale.

10. The word "agent", as used in this act, means and includes every person or company employed or appointed by a company or broker who shall, within this state, either as an employee or otherwise, for a compensation, sell, offer for sale, negotiate for the sale of or take subscriptions for any "security" of any company

11. The word "broker", as *used in this act*, includes every person or company, other than an agent, who shall, in this state, engage either wholly or in part in the business of selling, offering for sale, negotiating for the sale of, or otherwise dealing in any "security" or "securities" issued by others, or of underwriting any issue of "securities", or of purchasing such "securities" with the purpose of reselling them, or of offering them for sale to the public. The word "securities", as used in this paragraph, includes the following "securities" issued by "individuals"

Any instrument offered to the public by an "individual" evidencing or representing any right to participate or share in oil, gas or other hydrocarbon substances or *other minerals of any sort, as yet undeveloped, or in the proceeds of sale thereof*:

Any instrument offered for sale, or sold, or issued, to the public by an "individual", evidencing or representing any right to participate or share in the profits, earnings or income, gross or net, derived from the assets, or any thereof, of any business carried on for profit or in the distribution of such assets; excepting therefrom any lease, not offered to the public, whereby the lessee obtains the right to use or control the property leased and to receive for his use, in whole or in part, the profits, earnings or income derived from the property so leased; and

All bonds, debentures and evidences of indebtedness offered to the public by an "*individual*".

The following are excepted from the provisions of this paragraph eleven

(*a*) Any owner of any security who is not the issuer or an underwriter thereof, who sells or exchanges the same for his own account; *provided*, that such sale or exchange is not made in the course of repeated and successive transactions of like or similar character by him;

(*b*) Any trustee of a trust created by or declared in a will or a judicial writ, order, decree or judgment, who in such capacity, lawfully disposes of any property;

(*c*) Any company transacting a banking or insurance business in this state, *selling a security for an owner thereof or a broker, other than an underwriter* thereof, at a commission of not more than two per cent of the par or face value thereof; *provided*, such sale is not made in the course of repeated and successive transactions of like or similar character by such company.

(*d*) One, not the issuer, who disposes of securities to a broker or to a purchaser who, as a part of his regular business purchases such securities;

(*e*) Any pledge holder selling, in good faith and not for the purpose of avoiding the provisions of this act, and in the ordinary course of business, a security pledged with him as security for a bona fide debt.

12. *The word "fraud" as used in this act, is defined in sections one thousand* five hundred seventy-two and one thousand five hundred seventy-three of the Civil Code

13. The words "domestic corporation" as used in this act mean corporations organized under the laws of the State of California

SEC. 2. Section four of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 4. Upon the filing of such application, it shall be the duty of the commissioner to examine it and the other papers and documents filed therewith, and he may, if he deems it advisable, make or have made a detailed examination, audit, and investigation of the applicant and its affairs. If he finds that the proposed plan of business of the applicant is not unfair, unjust, or inequitable, that it intends to fairly and honestly transact its business, and that the securities that it proposes to issue and the methods to be used by it in issuing or disposing of them are not such as, in his opinion, will work a fraud upon the purchaser thereof, the commissioner shall issue to the applicant a permit authorizing it to

issue and dispose of securities, as therein provided, in this state, in such amounts and for such considerations and upon such terms and conditions as the commissioner may in said permit provide. Otherwise, he shall deny the application and refuse such permit and notify the applicant in writing of his decision. Every permit shall recite in bold type that the issuance thereof is permissive only and does not constitute a recommendation or endorsement of the securities permitted to be issued. The commissioner may impose conditions requiring the deposit in escrow of securities, the impoundment of the proceeds from the sale thereof, limiting the expense in connection with the sale thereof, and such other conditions as he may deem reasonable and necessary or advisable to insure the disposition of the proceeds of such securities in the manner and for the purposes provided in such permit. The commissioner may, from time to time for cause, amend, alter or revoke any permit issued by him, or temporarily suspend the rights of the applicant under such permit. The commissioner shall have the power to establish such rules and regulations as may be reasonable or necessary to carry out the purposes and provisions of this act.

SEC. 3. Section five of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 5. No person or company shall act as an agent or broker until such person or company shall have first applied for and secured from the commissioner a certificate, then in effect, authorizing such person or company so to do. Every such certificate shall expire on the thirty-first day of December next after its issuance, unless sooner suspended or revoked. To secure such certificate, the applicant shall make and file in the office of the commissioner an application therefor in writing, verified by or in behalf of the applicant. In such application, the applicant shall set forth, in addition to such other information as may be required by the commissioner:

1. The name and address of the applicant, and if it be a corporation, association, or joint stock company, the name and address of each of its managing officers and agents, and, if it be a partnership, the name and address of each of the partners;

2. A succinct statement of facts showing that the applicant, and its managing officers and agents if it be a corporation, or members, if it be a partnership, have a good business reputation;

3. If the applicant is a broker, the general plan and character of the business of the applicant.

At the time of filing an application for a broker's certificate, the applicant shall file with the commissioner of corporations a good and sufficient bond for five thousand dollars, payable to the people of the State of California, for the use and benefit of any interested person, executed by said applicant and by sufficient surety or sureties, and to be approved by the commissioner of corporations. Said bond shall be conditioned upon the strict compliance with the provisions of this act, and the honest and faithful application of all funds received and the faithful and honest performance of all obligations and undertakings in the purchase or sale of securities, by said broker, his agents and employees. Said bond shall be further conditioned upon the payment of all damages suffered by any person damaged or defrauded by reason of the violation of any of the provisions of this act, or by reason of any fraud connected with or growing out of any transaction contemplated by the provisions of this act. Any person who sustains an injury covered by such bond, may in addition to any other remedy that he may have, bring an action in his own name upon said bond for the recovery of any damages sustained by him. Upon such action being commenced the commissioner of corporations may in his discretion, require the filing of a new bond, and immediately upon the recovery in any action on such bond, such broker shall file a new bond, and upon failure to file the same within ten days in either case such failure shall constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension or revocation of such broker's certificate.

For filing such application, the applicant shall pay a fee as hereinafter provided. If the applicant is a corporation or association organized under the laws of any other state, territory, or government, it shall file with its application a copy of its articles of incorporation or association, together with a certificate executed by the proper officer of such state, territory, or government not more than thirty days before the filing of such applications, showing that such applicant is authorized to transact business in such state, territory, or government, and also in such form as the commissioner may prescribe, its written instrument, irrevocably appointing the commissioner and his successor in office its true and lawful attorney upon whom all process in any action or proceeding against it, arising out of or founded upon the fraud of such applicant in the sale of securities within this state, or in any action upon any bond provided by this section, may be served, with the same effect as if said corporation or association were organized or created under the laws of this state and had been lawfully served with process therein.

SEC. 4. Section six of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 6. The commissioner shall examine such application, and shall make such further investigation of the applicant and its affairs as he shall deem advisable. If, from such examination, the commissioner shall be satisfied of the good business reputation of the applicant and of its officers or members, if any, that the sale of the securities proposed to be sold by it would not be unfair, unjust or inequitable

to the purchasers thereof, that neither it nor its officers or members have violated any of the provisions of this act and that neither it nor its officers or members have engaged or are about to engage in any fraudulent transaction he shall issue such certificate. Otherwise, he shall refuse the same and deny the application and notify the applicant of his decision. The commissioner may at any time temporarily suspend or revoke any broker's or agent's certificate issued by him if he shall find that the holder thereof is of bad business repute, or has violated any provision of this act, or has engaged, or is about to engage in any fraudulent transaction

SEC 5. Section seven of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 7. No person, partnership, association, or corporation, other than a broker holding a broker's certificate, then in effect, shall issue, circulate, or publish any advertisement, pamphlet, prospectus, or circular concerning any security, to be issued by any company, that such person, partnership, association, or corporation desires or proposes to sell, until the company proposing to issue such security shall have first secured from the commissioner a permit authorizing it to issue or sell such security, nor shall any company, broker, or agent, or any other person, issue, circulate, or publish any advertisement, pamphlet, prospectus, or circular concerning any security sold or offered for sale by it, unless the name of the company, broker, agent, or person issuing, circulating, or publishing the same shall be subscribed thereto, and a true copy thereof shall have been first filed in the office of the commissioner at least one day prior *Provided, however*, that the filing of a copy of such advertisement, pamphlet, prospectus or circular, as herein provided, shall not be required in any case in which the commissioner shall have authorized or consented to the issuance, circulation or publication thereof, nor shall any company broker, or agent, or any other person, issue circulate or publish any such advertisement, pamphlet, prospectus, or circular after notice in writing given to it by the commissioner that, in his opinion, the same contains any statement that is false or misleading or otherwise likely to deceive a reader thereof

SEC. 6 Section nine of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 9. Every broker shall, at such times as it may be required by the commissioner, make and file in the office of the commissioner a true and correct statement concerning any security sold or offered for sale by such broker, showing the name and location of the principal office of the issuer of such security; the names of its managing officers, if it is a corporation, or of its members, if it is a partnership, its assets, liabilities, and issued capital stock, at the close of its fiscal year then last ended, or at a later date; its gross income, expenses, and fixed charges for the year next preceding such date, or for such time as such issuer of such security has transacted business, if for less than one year, and the approximate price at which such broker has sold or proposes to sell such security, together with such other information of which the broker may have knowledge, as the commissioner may require, nor shall any broker sell or offer for sale any security after notice in writing given to it by the commissioner that in his opinion, the sale thereof would be unfair, unjust or inequitable to the purchase thereof, unless the commissioner shall subsequently in writing withdraw such objection to the sale thereof.

SEC. 7. Section eleven of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 11. Every order, decitison, permit or other official act of the commissioner shall be subject to review, in accordance with the provisions of chapter one of title one of part three of the Code of Civil Procedure. Upon such review, the burden of proof shall lie upon the appellant, and the court shall receive and consider any pertinent evidence, whether oral or documentary, concerning the action of the commissioner under review, but shall be limited to a consideration and determination of the question whether there has been an abuse of discretion on the part of the commissioner in making such order, decision, or permit.

SEC 8. Section thirteen of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows.

Section 13 Every company which shall directly or indirectly offer for sale, or negotiate for the sale of or sell, or issue, or cause to be issued any security contrary to the provisions of this act, or of the constitution of this state, or in nonconformity with a permit of the commissioner authorizing the same, or which applies the proceeds from the sale thereof, or any part thereof, to any purpose other than the purpose or purposes, if any, specified in such permit, or to any purpose specified in such permit in excess of any amount limited in such permit to be used for such purpose, shall be guilty of a public offense and shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding ten thousand dollars

SEC 9 Section fourteen of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 14. Every officer, agent, or employee of any company, and every other person, who knowingly authorizes, directs, or aids in the issue or sale of, or issues or executes, or sells, or causes or assists in causing to be issued, executed, or sold, any security, in nonconformity with a permit of the commissioner then in effect authorizing such issue, or contrary to the provisions of this act, or of the constitution of this state, or who, in any application to the commissioner, or in any proceeding before

him, or in any examination, audit, or investigation made by him or his authority, knowingly makes any false statement or representation, or who, with knowledge of its falsity, files or causes to be filed in the office of the commissioner any false statement or representation concerning such company or the property which it then holds or proposes to acquire, or concerning its officers or its financial condition or other affairs, or concerning its proposed plan of business, or who, with knowledge of the falsity of any such statement or representation, issues, executes, or sells, or causes to be issued, executed, or sold, any security, without first informing the commissioner of the falsity of such statement in writing, or who, directly or indirectly, knowingly applies, or causes or assists in causing to be applied, the proceeds, or any part thereof, from the sale of any security to any purpose contrary to the provisions of the permit authorizing the issue of such security, or to any purpose specified in such permit in excess of any amount limited in such permit to be used for such purpose, or who, with knowledge that any security has been issued or executed, in violation of any of the provisions of this act, sell or offers the same for sale, or who, with knowledge that any advertisement, pamphlet, prospectus, or circular concerning any security contains any statement that is false or misleading, or otherwise likely to deceive a reader thereof, issues, circulates, or publishes the same, or shall cause the same to be issued, circulated, or published, or who, in any other respect, wilfully violates or fails to comply with any of the provisions of this act, or who, in any other respect, wilfully violates or fails, omits, or neglects to obey, observe, or comply with any order, permit, decision, demand, or requirement, or any part or provision thereof, of the commissioner under the provisions of this act or who with one or more other persons conspires to violate any permit or order issued by the commissioner or any of the provisions of this act, is guilty of a public offense and shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison not exceeding five years, or in a county jail not exceeding two years, or by a fine not exceeding five thousand dollars, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 10. Section seventeen of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 17. The commissioner shall at all times have the power to administer oaths and to make an examination or investigation of the books, records, accounts, and other papers and of the business of any company, broker, or agent theretofore permitted or authorized by him to sell securities, to make dividends, to create debts, to divide, withdraw or pay to the stockholders, or any of them, any part of its capital stock, or to increase or reduce its capital stock, or of any company, broker or agent, or any other person who the commissioner has reason to believe has violated or is about to violate any of the provisions of this act. Such power shall not be terminated by the suspension or revocation of any permit, order, or certificate theretofore issued by him. In any examination, audit, or investigation made or hearing conducted by him, he shall have the power to take the testimony of any witness and to issue subpoenas, requiring the attendance upon such examination, audit, investigation, or hearing in any part of the state of witnesses and the production of books, documents, and other things under their control, and in any such case to take or cause to be taken the deposition of any witness residing within or without this state, the commissioner may pay out of the revolving fund to any witness subpoenaed by him the necessary and reasonable traveling expenses of such witnesses from his place of residence to the place of hearing or investigation and return and a per diem of two dollars for each day that such witness is in attendance at or en route to and from such place of hearing or investigation in obedience to such subpoena.

All of the provisions of chapter two of title three of part four of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the means of production of evidence out of court, shall be applicable to any examination, investigation, or hearing under this act. No person shall be excused from testifying or from producing any book, document, or other thing under his control upon any such examination, audit, investigation, or hearing upon the ground that his testimony, or the book, document, or other thing required of him, may tend to incriminate him, or may have a tendency to subject him to punishment for a felony, or to a penalty or forfeiture, but no person shall be prosecuted, punished, or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture for or on account of any act, transaction, matter, or thing concerning which he shall have been so compelled to testify under oath; provided, that no person so testifying shall be exempt from prosecution or punishment for perjury if committed by him in his testimony. The authority to make or conduct any such examination, audit, investigation, or hearing, including the authority to administer oaths, and to subpoena witnesses and take their testimony, may be delegated by the commissioner to any deputy or examiner appointed by him for that purpose. Such appointment shall be made by an instrument in writing, signed by the commissioner under his official seal, and upon such examination, audit, investigation, or hearing, the same shall be produced by such deputy or examiner at any time upon demand therefor.

SEC. 11. Section eighteen of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 18. In any action or proceeding commenced or prosecuted in this state against any corporation or association which shall have appointed the commissioner its attorney, as provided in section three of this act, and in any action or proceeding commenced or prosecuted in this state, arising out of or founded upon the fraud

of any corporation or association which shall have appointed the commissioner its attorney, as provided in section five of this act, service of process may be made upon the commissioner. In any such case, the commissioner shall forthwith forward by mail, postage prepaid, to the person designated by such corporation or association by an instrument in writing duly executed by it and filed with the commissioner, at the address stated in such instrument, or, if no such designation has been made, to the secretary of such corporation or association at its last known post-office address, a copy of such process; whereupon, and upon the payment of the fee herein provided for, service of such process upon such company shall be deemed to be complete and to be personal service upon such corporation or association, with the same effect as if said corporation or association were organized or incorporated under the laws of this state and had been lawfully served with process therein. The certificate of the commissioner, under his official seal, of such service, shall be competent and sufficient proof thereof.

SEC 12 Section twenty-five of said act, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 25. Neither this act nor any provision hereof shall be deemed to prohibit subscriptions for shares of a domestic corporation made prior to the incorporation thereof and set forth in the articles of incorporation; but such subscription shall be deemed to have been made and accepted upon the condition that such corporation shall be incorporated within ninety days thereafter and when incorporated, shall with reasonable diligence apply for and secure from the commissioner a permit authorizing the issue of the shares so subscribed for, in accordance with such subscriptions; *provided, however*, that except as may be specifically required by any law of this state, nothing herein contained shall be construed as permitting the collection of any portion of the consideration to be paid on account of such subscriptions, unless and until a permit shall have been issued by the commissioner authorizing such collection, nor except as may be specifically required by any law of this state, nothing herein contained shall be construed as permitting the taking of subscriptions for any security of any company other than a domestic corporation or to make collection of any portion of the consideration to be paid on account of subscriptions unless and until a permit shall have been issued by the commissioner authorizing the taking of such subscriptions or the collection thereof. The directors or trustees named in the articles of incorporation may, prior to the issue of any shares, organize by the election of a president, who must be one of their number, a secretary and a treasurer, and such directors, or a majority of them or such president and secretary may, in the name of and in behalf of the corporation, present an application to the commissioner as herein provided.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to authorize the counties of the State of California to establish retirement salary systems for their employees," approved May 20, 1919, to be numbered 2½, relating to dissolution of such systems and powers of the board of supervisors with reference thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 662 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code 58 new sections, to be numbered

2322*x*1, 2322*r*2, 2322*x*3, 2232*r*4, 2322*x*5, 2322*x*6, 2322*x*7, 2322*x*8, 2322*x*9, 2322*x*10, 2322*x*11, 2322*x*12, 2322*r*13, 2322*x*14, 2322*r*15, 2322*r*16, 2322*x*17, 2322*r*18, 2322*x*19, 2322*r*20, 2322*x*21, 2322*r*22, 2322*x*23, 2322*r*24, 2322*x*25, 2322*r*26, 2322*r*27, 2322*x*28, 2322*r*29, 2322*r*30, 2322*x*31, 2322*x*32, 2322*x*33, 2322*r*34, 2322*x*35, 2322*x*36, 2322*r*37, 2322*x*38, 2322*x*39, 2322*x*40, 2322*r*41, 2322*r*42, 2322*x*43, 2322*x*44, 2322*r*45, 2322*r*46, 2322*x*47, 2322*x*48, 2322*x*49, 2322*r*50, 2322*r*51, 2322*r*52, 2322*r*53, 2322*r*54, 2322*r*55, 2322*r*56, 2322*x*57 and 2322*r*58, relating to county horticultural commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 601 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Williamson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways of State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Anderson, R. J., moved that Assembly Bill No. 586 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 586 re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Assembly Bill No 373—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties, and upon property and rights of way owned by counties, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds." approved June 3, 1921, by amending the title thereof and by adding two sections thereto to be numbered sections 5 and 6, relating to powers and duties of boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 373 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 373 re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Coombs moved that Assembly Bill No. 589 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 589 re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the County Horticultural Commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as "Johnson grass," approved March 20, 1903, together with all amendments thereto, and repealing

that certain act entitled, "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Finney moved that Assembly Bill No. 708 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 708 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 51—An act to amend section 631*a* of the Political Code relating to the publication of notice of withdrawal of insurance companies from this State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 51 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds

Bill read third time

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Mueller moved that Assembly Bill No. 700 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 700 re-referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 54—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 635*m*, relating to the conditions upon which surety companies may transact business in this State.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 54 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 54 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 57—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 596c, relating to the failure of insurance companies to discharge their contracts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 57 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—53.

NOES—Heisinger—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to amend section 4531 of the Civil Code, relating to filing of annual statements with Insurance Commissioner by assessment corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1070 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to amend section 424 of the Civil Code, relating to the capital stock of fire and marine insurance corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 46 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—Heisinger, and Schmidt—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 47—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 453*q*, relating to mutual life or mutual casualty corporations, societies or associations.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Graves moved that Assembly Bill No. 47 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 47 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 453*i* of the Civil Code, specifying conditions to be complied with by foreign life, health, accident and annuity or endowment associations desiring to transact business in this State.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 48 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 48 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Coombs moved that Assembly Bill No. 50 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 50 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 52 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 52 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to acknowledgements

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 717 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 927*q*, relating to judgment in small claims courts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jacobson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "presiding" and insert in lieu thereof the word "prevailing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "judgment" insert a comma and the words "and costs,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jacobson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 981, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JACOBSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 645 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3457*a*, relating to claims against reclamation districts for which warrants may be issued.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1159 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mor-

rison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21½, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the dairy control fund—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Johnson moved that Assembly Bill No. 878 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 878 re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Adams: An act to amend section 19*r*27 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers.

By Mr. Davis: An act to legalize, confirm and validate deeds made to purchasers of property sold under and in pursuance of the provisions of sections 3771*a* and 3785*b* of the Political Code.

By Mr. Little: An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agricultural lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots.

Also: An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes.

By Mr. Campbell: An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to sell, offer for sale, or engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

By Mr. Coombs: An act creating a Board of Retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison; providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said Board of Retirement.

By Mr. Mueller: An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswarď, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Adams: Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend section 19*x*27 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Davis: Assembly Bill No. 1218—An act to legalize, confirm and validate deeds made to purchasers of property sold under and in pursuance of the provisions of sections 3771*a* and 3785*b* of the Political Code.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Little: Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agriculture lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Campbell: Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to sell, offer for sale, or engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 1222—An act creating a Board of Retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund, for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison; providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said Board of Retirement.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Mueller: Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code, relating to community property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class

Also Assembly Bill No 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, in counties of the thirtieth class.

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, in counties of the thirtieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 221 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 538 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 216 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code relating to community property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 830 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Cleveland:

Resolved, That Assembly Rule No. 30 be hereby amended to read as follows:

"Any member desiring to introduce a bill shall rise in place and address the Speaker, and upon being recognized shall present the same. It shall then be numbered and read the first time at the clerk's desk and referred to a standing committee, and be printed, and a copy placed upon the desk of each member. Every bill shall be read at length on three several days previous to its passage, unless in case of urgency two-thirds of the House shall, by vote of ayes and noes, dispense with this provision. The Speaker shall give notice at each reading, whether it is the first, second or third reading. All bills to appropriate money to contingent purposes shall be presented by the Committee on Ways and Means. The chairman or clerk of each committee of the Assembly shall notify the author of any bill or proceeding pending before such committee of the hour and place of hearing or acting upon such bill or proceeding.

Any member of the Assembly may withdraw any bill, resolution or constitutional amendment at any stage of its consideration upon unanimous consent or upon the vote of one-half of the members present."

Resolution read, and referred to Committee on Rules.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Heisinger:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Duval:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Morrison:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 129 of the Civil Code, relating to the domicile and place of residence of the parties in an action for divorce.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Wemple:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Jones:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

To amend sections 1 and 17, and to add a new section, to be numbered 17½, to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a State hospital for the insane to be located in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 940—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5, and 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917: as amended," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading —has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 751—An act to promote the development of the California canned fruit industry, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned fruit by establishing and defining certain standards for canned fruit of the varieties herein named, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture in relation hereto, including the collection of fees, creating a Board of Appeal and defining its powers and duties in relation hereto and fixing the compensation of the

members thereof, prescribing penalties for violations hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act"—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "California Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulating and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 2640 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of officers over highways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 433—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,' approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to the sale and use of veronal—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to regulate the procuring of persons to take the places of employees in anticipation of or during strikes, lockouts or other labor troubles, and repealing an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 964—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children, providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 7 thereof, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 963—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith" approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 114—An act authorizing certain improvements upon the grounds of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley, California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation as amended.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of judges of courts of record.

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to article VI of the constitution of the State, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 26 of said article, relating to an allowance to certain judicial officers after resignation; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted as amended.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Williamson, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 60—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to

provide a penalty for the violation thereof and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915.

Also: Senate Bill No. 162—An act to regulate the working hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

Also: Senate Bill No. 271—An act to amend section 628b of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Also: Senate Bill No. 146—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 15, 1915," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

Also: Senate Bill No. 314—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District based upon assessments levied by the Reclamation Board upon lands in said district," approved May 27, 1919, by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 39, said new section relating to and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 60 read first time, and referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

Senate Bill No. 162 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 271 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 146 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 314 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by amending sections 12, 13, 15, 32 and 33 thereof and by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 37, said new section relating to the disposition and application to be made of certain moneys heretofore appropriated for controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, if said moneys shall be reimbursed or released to the State of California by the federal government.

Also: Senate Bill No. 305—An act authorizing the transfer of all funds collected by any of the county treasurers of the State of California on assessments of the Sacramento Drainage District, by said county treasurers to the reclamation board to vest in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the benefit of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for general administrative purposes.

Also: Senate Bill No. 313—An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, as modified by the report of California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and providing the extent to which the State of California will contribute to the expense of executing the plan approved in said report, conditioned upon the United States assuming a corresponding obligation and further providing the purposes to which said expenditures made hereunder shall be applied;

Also: Senate Bill No. 481—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities, or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvement; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section to be numbered 38, relating to the making of re-assessments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 315 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 305 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 313 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 481 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 477—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole, or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended;

Also, Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend sections 1612*a*, 1756, and 1839 of the Political Code, relating to school taxation;

Also Senate Bill No. 135—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment, and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to hours of labor of female employees;

Also: Senate Bill No. 54—An act to amend section 862 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the power of boards of trustees in cities of the sixth class;

Also, Senate Bill No. 2—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 1 thereof, relating to the deposit of public moneys.

Also: Senate Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 1616 of the Political Code, relating to kindergartens.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 477 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 638 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 135 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Senate Bill No. 54 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 2 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 637 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, expenses, and compensation of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 226—An act to provide for the dedication by the State Board of Control to the use of the public for highway purposes of a strip of land forty feet wide and approximately one thousand one hundred fifty feet long, more particularly described hereinafter, and being a portion of the property vested in the directors of State insane asylum of the State of California located in the city of Stockton (now known as the Stockton State Hospital), and adjoining a portion of north California street, a public highway in the city of Stockton, county of San Joaquin, State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 75—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, and providing for the furnishing of food to pupils and employees of the school district at not less than actual cost.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 765—An act to open and dedicate as a public street a certain strip of submerged land one hundred fifty feet wide known as First avenue south and as Arthur avenue, extending from Third street, formerly Kentucky street, to Newhall street, in the city and county of San Francisco, and to grant said strip of land for that purpose to the city and county of San Francisco, and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 19*x*14 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment

or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 169—An act to amend section 4234 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 676—An act to prevent fraudulent operation of slot machine or coin receptacles, or making or furnishing devices to defraud owners of same, and prescribing penalties for a violation hereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 129—An act to amend section 961 of the Political Code, relating to bonds of officers.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 109—An act to amend section 19½5 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers of counties of the fifth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 301—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following constitutional amendment was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—Proposed amendment to article IX of the constitution, relative to the Director of Education.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Jacobson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 4021*a* of the Political Code relating to recall of officers of school districts.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Hornblower:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to make effective the laws of this State relating to stock without any nominal or par value.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to the citrus white fly.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Loutlit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 14.

Relative to the citrus white fly.

WHEREAS, The citrus white fly, an extremely injurious pest of citrus in Florida, occurs in a limited area in the cities of Sacramento, Marysville and Yuba City and so constitutes a serious menace to the citrus sections of the State, and

WHEREAS, The California State Association of County Horticultural Commissioners after discussion at their convention have endorsed a tentative plan for the eradication under the direction of the State Department of Agriculture of the citrus fly in California, now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California recommends the immediate appointment by the directors of agriculture of a committee of experts to decide upon a plan of eradication and estimate the cost thereof, and we urge the introduction of an appropriation bill and an enabling act empowering the State Department of Agriculture to undertake the work of eradication.

Senate Bill No. 58—An act to amend section 19½ of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 58 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumler, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 137—An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 362—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to fires;

Also: Senate Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work and to make the affidavit or verified complaint of any person as to the age of any child affected by this act, prima facie evidence of the age of such child;

Also: Senate Bill No. 471—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children, providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of 12 years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor 12 years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment;

Also: Senate Bill No. 219—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¾ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 626c of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 137 read first time, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Senate Bill No. 362 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No. 470 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Senate Bill No. 471 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Senate Bill No. 219 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 557 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 225—An act authorizing the acceptance by the State Board of Harbor Commissioners on behalf of the State of certain real property in the city and county of San Francisco bordering on Islais Creek Channel, and ratifying the act of said board in heretofore accepting conveyances of a portion of said property, and extending the jurisdiction of said board to the property so conveyed to the State;

Also, Senate Bill No. 697—An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 196—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district, and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District;

Also: Senate Bill No. 777—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego, to the city of National City, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved April 27, 1923;

Also, Senate Bill No. 738—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco," approved June 3, 1921, and adding a new section thereto to be numbered 4*a*;

Also: Senate Bill No. 730—An act concerning the acquisition by the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of lands lying seaward of the waterfront line of the city and county of San Francisco for purposes of commerce and navigation.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 225 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 697 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 196 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 777 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 738 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 730 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Hornblower moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 171 was refused passage, be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger,

Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Little, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, and Wright, S. V.—32.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Graves moved that Assembly Bill No. 171 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Motion lost.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 171 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hetsinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Little, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, and Wright, S. V.—32.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McPherson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "the" insert the word "total".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 11 of the printed bill, after the word "years" strike out the comma, and add the following: "from and after the time that authority to construct such bridge was first granted by such board of supervisors,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McPherson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1175, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McPHERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Thursday, March 12, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 12, 1925

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rabbi Harold F. Reinhart of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Byrne, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Browne, Mr. Dillinger was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, R. J., Mr. W. M. Welsh, supervisor of Shasta County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Saylor, Messrs. F. L. Sizer and C. C. Brayton of Berkeley, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Miller, J. A., Mr. Charles C. Coxe of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. Joseph H. Handlos of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. William Haman of Placer County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Prof. W. E Nelson, president Pacific Union College, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Senator John B. Curtin of Sonora, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Spalding, Judge J. R Welch of San Jose, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Levey, Hon George H. Cabaniss, superior judge, San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. William Inch of Lodi, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. H. D. Williamson of Napa, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Bernard, Mr. Allen Thompson of Tulare County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Finney, Mr. George Herrick Davis of El Centro, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Professor W. W. Ruhle of Glendale, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Rev. W. S. Martin, editor Adventists Magazines, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. O. F. Snedigar of Alameda County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. J. D. McCarty of Oakland, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. Louis C. Forbes, principal of Fair Oaks school, and the following pupils were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Marion Shannon, Willva Gregory, Annie Decetis, Ramona Kennedy, Elizabeth Hoover, Vivian Williamson, Gertrude Wagner, Elleanor Whitsell, Mary Ambrose, Jacob Ambrose, Wesley Linn, Alfred F. Fowler, Thomas Kale, Delbert Blair, Raymond Butler, Stuart Brown, Gingo Endo, William Spangle, Edwin Fulton, Hugo Jacopette, Fred Thompson, and Francis Hendershot.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all

claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners of each county in the State, for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to the membership of such board;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 132—An act confirming and validating the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 134—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 197—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 1425 of the Penal Code, relating to jurisdiction of justices' courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 2152 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, qualifications and removal of medical superintendents of State hospitals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to repeal section 2184 of the Political Code, relating to the commitment of insane persons to the Southern California State Hospital;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 2153*a* of the Political Code, relating to the duties of medical superintendents of State hospitals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 324—An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 335—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to concurrent jurisdiction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 430—An act defining the power of municipalities to establish the grades of those portions of any State or county highway lying within their boundaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 287 of the Civil Code of California, relating to how corporations may continue their existence under the code;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 628—An act to provide for the appointment of an investigator and mediator to be appointed by the superior court in counties of the first, second and third class, and defining his duties and fixing his compensation and term of office;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 3062 of the Political Code, relating to city health officials;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such claim is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the claim filed by him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1053—An act to provide for the formation and dissolution of pound districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act to amend section 461 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of the crime of burglary;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1771a, relating to the use of the estate of a wife over which a guardian has been appointed by reason of incompetency.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1195—An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring and maintain an action or actions, in the name of the people of the State of California, to determine the nature of the title by which husbands and wives own and hold community property in this State acquired at any time since the codes of California took effect on January 1, 1873, community property acquired since chapters 583 and 589 of the laws of 1917 of the State of California took effect on July 27, 1917, and community property acquired since chapter 18 of the laws of 1923 of the State of California took effect on August 17, 1923, and the respective rights and interests of husbands and wives in community property acquired during said respective periods, prescribing the character and venue of such actions and the matters to be alleged in the complaints therein, and providing for new trials and appeals in such actions.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce brokers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products, to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein, to define the powers and duties of the State Directors of Agriculture with reference thereto, to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor, to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time schools.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations of actions;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Smith:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money for the purchase, installation and maintenance of machinery and equipment for the manufacture of fabrics, twines and cordage from

jute, sisal, flax, hemp and any other raw materials except cotton at the State prisons at Folsom and San Quentin, and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, and providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of act in conflict herewith", approved January 30, 1915.

Request referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings, when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title, after the word "amend" insert the following: "section 3 of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period, insert the following:

"Section three of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food of human beings, and medicine, when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers, and providing for the indicating of quantity in the sale of commodities in respect to which there exists a definite trade custom, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 3. (a) The provisions of this act shall apply to foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food or medicine for human beings and shall apply to any commodities except grain, which shall include wheat, barley, oats and rice, when sold, offered or exposed for sale in containers.

(b) Whenever wheat, barley, oats or rice are sold in sacks, no deduction for the weight of the sack shall, in any case, be made from the gross weight."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for its violation," approved June 3, 1921, is hereby amended to read as follows.

Bill read second time.

MOTION TO AMEND.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was offered by Mr. Wright, T. M.:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out all after the figures "1921", and insert in lieu thereof a period.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 and to add a new section, to be numbered 9, relating to constitu-

tionality to an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved May 29, 1913, as amended, relating to the ventilation and sanitation of camps.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917; as amended," approved June 3, 1921; as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "packed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "repacked."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and in lieu thereof insert a comma, followed by the words, "*provided, however*, that unclassified apples of any variety shall not be required to be properly matured."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "any apples not properly matured, or."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, lines 13, 14 and 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "that all packed apples must conform to the standard herein established for "extra fancy," "fancy" or "C" grade; *provided, further*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and pro-" down to and including line 30

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", and shall not exceed three-fourths of one cent for each box of packed apples."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "issued" insert a comma, followed by the words "by any party other than the grower or shipper.".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act"

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "First" strike out the word "it" and insert in lieu thereof the word "if".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "California Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 1 of the title, strike out the word "California".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulating and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended March 6, 1925, after the word "putrid" insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, as amended March 6, 1925, after the word "eggs" insert the following: "other than those of his own production".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "animals" insert the following "or of any insect or other animal pest or plant disease or noxious weed".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the "of" after the word "sum" strike out the words and figures "two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "one thousand dollars ($1,000)".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 2640 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of officers over highways.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "of" after the word "sum", strike out the words and figures "five thousand dollars ($5,000)," and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "two thousand dollars ($2,000)".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 435—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to the sale and use of veronal.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "veronal" and the "comma" following said word.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, following line 43, of the printed bill, insert the following:

SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to be known as section 8*h*, and to read as follows:

Sec. 8*h*. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation, to sell, furnish, or give away any barbitone, diethlbarbituric acid, or veronal, or any trade marked preparation composed of any of these substances, except upon the written order or prescription of a physician duly licensed to practice in the State of California, and shall not be refilled without written order of the prescriber, and said prescription shall be at all times open to inspection by the prescriber and duly authorized officers of the law, and shall be preserved for at least three years from the date of the filing thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 4 of the title, after the word "amended" strike out the remainder of said title and insert in lieu thereof "and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 8*h*."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to regulate the procuring of persons to take the places of employees in anticipation of or during strikes, lockouts or other labor troubles; and repealing an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 964—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 7 thereof, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend" insert the following: "section 7 of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the eighth line of the title of the printed bill, after the "1919," strike out the following: "by amending section 7 thereof,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In the sixteenth line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and to make the affidavit or verified complaint of any person as to the age of any child affected by this act prima facie evidence of the age of such child

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, before the word "any" insert the following "The affidavit or verified complaint of any person as to the age of any child affected by this act shall be prima facie evidence of the age of such child.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 963—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate

plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 114—An act authorizing certain improvements upon the grounds of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley, California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2, of the title, of the printed bill, strike out the word "School" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Schools".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In section 1, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "directors of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind, are" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Department of Education of the State of California as successor to the directors of the California Schools for the Deaf and the Blind is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "law" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following "*Provided, further*, that the area excluded from the present grounds of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind by such alteration shall be and remain the property of the State of California and that the use of the same as a public street or thoroughfare may be discontinued at any time when in the judgment of the Department of Education such steps are necessary in the interest of said schools."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to boards of parole commissioners in cities and counties,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 302—An act relating to certain funds and property in the custody or control of State schools and providing for the allotment and apportionment thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 776—An act appropriating money for salaries and maintenance of the California Industrial Farm for Women,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money for the construction of buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "of" insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "county" insert the words "or counties".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "than" strike out all matter to and including line 41 and in lieu thereof insert the following "eight senatorial districts; counties of the second class, not more than seven senatorial districts; counties of the third class, not more than four senatorial districts; counties of the fourth to sixth class, both inclusive, each not less than two senatorial districts; counties of the seventh to the fifteenth class, both inclusive, each one senatorial district and the remaining counties of the state shall be apportioned into not less than ten senatorial districts in such a manner that each senatorial district shall contain not less than one county nor more than five adjoining counties; *provided, further*, that in the formation of assembly districts, counties of the first class shall contain not more than twenty-one assembly districts, counties of the second class, not more than eighteen assembly districts; counties of the third class, not more than eight assembly districts; counties of the fourth to the ninth class, both inclusive, each not less than two assembly districts; counties of the tenth to the thirtieth class, both inclusive, each one assembly district; the remaining counties shall be apportioned into not less than nine assembly districts in such a manner that each assembly district shall contain not less than one county nor more than four adjoining counties; *provided, further*, however, that in any county containing more than one incorporated city and having two or more senatorial districts not more than one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) the senatorial districts located therein shall be wholly or in part within the limits of any one city.

Provided, further, that in any county containing more than one incorporated city and having two or more assembly districts, not more than one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) the assembly districts located therein shall be wholly or in part within the limits of any one city.

Provided, further, that any county the territory of which shall be divided into two or more counties shall, together with all new counties formed by such division, be considered as a group and such group shall at the first session of the legislature following each federal census subsequent to such division, be classified in the class properly applicable by the provisions of this article to the county of largest population in the group, the county of largest population to take the designated classification and the remaining counties in such group to be designated as of the same class as the county of the largest population with the affix a, b, c, and so on appended thereto in order alphabetically and numerically according to the population of such remaining counties in such group from the largest to the smallest; *and provided, further*, that any such group of counties shall constitute no more senatorial and assembly districts than properly accrue to the county of the largest population in the group by reason of its classification in accordance with the provisions of this article, and the senatorial districts to which the group is thus entitled, shall be so formed as to be as nearly equal in population and territory

as may be and likewise the assembly districts to which such group of counties is entitled, shall be so formed as to be as nearly equal in population and territory as may be."

Amendments adopted

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution, relating to the right of suffrage.

Assembly Constitutional Amedment No. 20 read.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Williamson moved that Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried

Assembly Constituional Amendment No. 20 re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of judges of courts of record.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed amendment, strike out all of line 13 after the word "court", all of line 14, and to and including "at the same time," on line 15.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed amendment, strike out all of line 25 after the period following the word "elected", and all of lines 26 to 30, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 21 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to article VI of the constitution of the State, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 26 of said article, relating to an allowance to certain judicial officers after resignation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the title of the proposed constitutional amendment as printed, strike out the words "relating to an allowance to" and strike out all of line 6 of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "relating to a salary allowance to certain judicial officers upon the termination of their active term of office, and to their eligibility for further judicial duties."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the proposed constitutional amendment as printed, strike out all of lines 11 to 25, inclusive, and strike out all of page 2 thereof, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SEC. 26. Any justice of the supreme court, justice of the district court of appeal, or judge of the superior court, of the State of California, having served for a period aggregating not less than twenty-four years as a judge of any one or more of the above named courts, and having attained the age of sixty years, whose active term of office shall have terminated in any manner other than by impeachment, who shall file with the secretary of state a verified statement giving his name, age, residence, length of time served as such judicial officer and the name of the last court of which he was a judge, shall thereafter and during the residue of his natural life, receive from the state a salary equal to one-half of the salary received by him immediately preceding the termination of his active term of office. Said salary shall be payable out of the general fund in the state treasury, monthly, in equal installments, on the last day of each month in the same manner as salaries of state officers are payable.

Any judge herein referred to not physically or mentally incapacitated may, if otherwise qualified, sit as judge in any court in which he was eligible to sit immediately preceding the termination of his active term of office, and in any court of record inferior thereto; *provided*, that he shall perform active judicial duties only upon the request of a court or judge as provided by sections four and eight of this article. Said judge shall be entitled to receive such compensation while performing active duties, in addition to his salary hereinbefore referred to, as the legislature may by general law prescribe.

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McDowell moved that Assembly Bill No. 552 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 552 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McDowell moved that Assembly Bill No. 554 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 554 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations of actions.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McDowell moved that Assembly Bill No. 951 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 951 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce brokers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Directors of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to

declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Adams moved that Assembly Bill No. 225 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 225 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who cannot adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 372 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Cleveland—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 2152 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, qualifications and removal of medical superintendents of State hospitals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 309 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to repeal section 2184 of the Political Code, relating to the commitment of insane persons to the Southern California State Hospital.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 311 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the director of agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 454 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 454 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 2153*a* of the Political Code, relating to the duties of medical superintendents of State hospitals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 312 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Coombs gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 312 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 324—An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of

"An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 324 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California", to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 5 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—Browne, Burns, Cleveland, Coombs, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Hornblower, McDonough, Mitchell, and Wright, S. V.—11.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 335—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to concurrent jurisdiction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 335 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Browne, and Dorris—3.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1204 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Fry, Jacobson, Levey, Rosenshine, Runner, Spalding, and Wright, T. M.—7.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Williamson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1204 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 1425 of the Penal Code, relating to jurisdiction of justices' courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 267 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—Walters—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1195—An act authorizing the Attorney General of the State of California to bring and maintain an action or actions, in the name of the people of the State of California, to determine the nature of the title by which husbands and wives own and hold community property in this State acquired at any time since the codes of California took effect on January 1, 1873, community property acquired since chapters 583 and 589 of the laws of 1917 of the State of California took effect on July 27, 1917, and community property acquired since chapter 18 of the laws of 1923 of the State of California took effect on August 17, 1923, and the respective rights and interests of husbands and wives in community property acquired during said respective periods, prescribing the character and venue of such actions and the matters to be alleged in the complaints therein, and providing for new trials and appeals in such actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1195 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswarđ, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until two o'clock p m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At two o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such claim is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the claim filed by him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 820 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbrige, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 3062 of the Political Code, relating to city health officials.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 813 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1053—An act to provide for the formation and dissolution of pound districts.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1053 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Coombs moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.
Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 430—An act defining the power of municipalities to establish the grades of those portions of any state or county highway lying within their boundaries.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 430 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners of each county in the State, for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards

to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to the membership of such board.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 75 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Cloudman, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, West, and Wright, S. V.—31.

NOES—Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—35.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Coombs gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 75 was this day refused passage.

Assembly Bill No. 628—An act to provide for the appointment of an investigator and mediator to be appointed by the superior court in counties of the first, second and third class, and defining his duties and fixing his compensation and term of office.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Scofield moved that Assembly Bill No. 628 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 628 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 593 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Louttit, and Murphy—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 287 of the Civil Code of California, relating to how corporations may continue their existence under the code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 518 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris,

Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 927*q*, relating to judgment, and costs, in small claims courts—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to regulate the procuring of persons to take the places of employees in anticipation of or during strikes, lockouts or other labor troubles; and repealing an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 and to add a new section, to be numbered 9, relating to constitutionality to an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved May 29, 1913, as amended, relating to the ventilation and sanitation of camps;

Also Assembly Bill No. 963—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON ELECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names

on the ballot—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LITTLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 67—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be referred to Committee on Judiciary.

LITTLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 683—An act to amend section 1357 of the Political Code, relating to the procuring of ballots by absent voters;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 1131 of the Political Code, relating to the conduct of elections;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LITTLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 437—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges of Lassen County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 560—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*i*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in the counties of Yuba and Sutter;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Yolo;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended, and same be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 373*a* of the Penal Code, relating to public nuisances—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, relating to public works by persons convicted of failure to provide for minor children;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to establish in the State of California an educational institution for the care, supervision, education, training, discipline and employment of boys, to be known as the 'Whittier State School,'" approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to dismissals from such school.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 329—An act to add a new chapter to part III title V of the Political Code to be numbered VI, embracing sections 2330 to 2347, inclusive, relating to the State Department of Public Welfare and its powers and duties, and repealing an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Charities and Corrections, prescribing its duties and powers, and appropriating money therefor" approved March 25, 1903, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and control by the State Board of Charities and Corrections of the placing of dependent children in homes and for the supervision of all societies or organizations engaged in such work and known as 'children's home-finding societies'" approved April 24, 1911, and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, and institutions, boarding houses, and homes for the reception and care of children, by the State Board of Charities and Corrections, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1923, and repealing an act entitled "An act making it the duty of the State Board of Charities and Corrections to prescribe forms of record for the use of county hospitals and almshouses, county jails, and city prisons; and authorizing the board to furnish such records; and making the neglect or failure on the part of superintendents and jailors in charge thereof to keep such records a misdemeanor" approved June 11, 1915—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JONES, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC MORALS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 381—An act regulating the securing of wine for sacramental purposes, providing rules and regulations therefor and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, T. M., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1135—An act making an appropriation for the maintenance of prison road camps—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State Prison at Folsom without cost to the State—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 83—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 121—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the forty-fourth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend sections 3756 and 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 4262 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-third class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 643—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 871—An act to authorize the city of Riverside to sell certain lands dedicated for park purposes and to devote the proceeds thereof to the improvement of parks now existing in said city;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Coombs:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code concerning the duties, powers and salaries of county and township officers of Lake County, State of California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*m*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Nielsen:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton Boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State fair grounds.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Noyes:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 3959 and 3966 of the Political Code, relating to county boundary lines.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to national defense and oriental menace

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 read, and referred to Committee on Rules.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class,

Also: Senate Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors,

Also: Senate Bill No. 64—An act to amend section 1970 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 247—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897,

Also: Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 39 and 55 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes" approved March 31, 1897;

Also: Senate Bill No. 165—An act amending an act entitled "An act creating a State Commission on Voting Machines, defining their powers, and providing for their use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote of one or more precincts of any county, or city and county city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 21½;

Also: Senate Bill No. 344—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1608c, to authorize the governing board of school districts to rent, purchase, or build, and furnish school buildings to house pupils or employees of the school districts

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 509 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government

Senate Bill No. 253 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 64 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 247 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 615 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 165 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 344 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 564—An act to amend section 1545*a* of the Political Code, relating to the payment of interest on unpaid orders or demands against any school district;

Also: Senate Bill No. 689—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 659—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1731*a*, relating to the formation of a consolidated school district and for the government of the elementary and secondary schools therein by a board of education.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 564 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 689 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 659 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 488—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*h*, relating to fires on highways;

Also: Senate Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 19*h* of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the eighth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers, in counties of the fifty-fifth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 497—An act to amend section 19*x*29 of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved March 8, 1909, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 186—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the thirty-ninth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 488 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 65 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 381 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 148 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 653 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 106 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 63 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 530 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 497 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 186 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 129—An act to amend section 196 of the Civil Code, relating to the obligation of parents for the support and education of their children—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 780—An act to provide for the appointment of rural supervisors of schools in certain cases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following concurrent resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs. Hornblower, Burns, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Levey, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt and Williamson: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—An act relative to the California Diamond Jubilee Celebration

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Friday, March 13, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, March 13, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names.

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Father Horgan of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Miss Miller, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Roland, Mr. Croter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, Mr. Fry was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Byrne, Mr. Pierce was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. W. S. Biggs of El Dorado County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Saylor, Miss Maud Miller of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Saylor, Mrs. Frances Effinger Miller of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend section 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance.

Also Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of re-insurance companies to re-insure the business of county fire insurance companies;

Also Assembly Bill No 562—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies", Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 60—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No 315—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission *and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such* examinations and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by amending sections 7, 12, 13, 15 and 32 and by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 37, said new section relating to the disposition and application to be made of certain moneys heretofore appropriated for controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, if said moneys shall be reimbursed or released to the State of California by the federal government—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No 314—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District based upon assessments levied by the Reclamation Board upon lands in said district," approved May 27, 1919, by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 59, said new section relating to and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No 313—An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, as modified by the report of California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and providing the extent to which the State of California will contribute to the expense of executing the plan approved in said report, conditioned upon the United States assuming a corresponding obligation and further providing the purposes to which said expenditures made hereunder shall be applied—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 305—An act authorizing the transfer of all funds collected by any of the county treasurers of the State of California on assessments of the Sacramento Drainage District, by said county treasurers to the Reclamation Board to vest in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the benefit of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for general administrative purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to boards of parole commissioners in cities and counties.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 302—An act relating to certain funds and property in the custody or control of State schools and providing for the allotment and apportionment thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period, insert the following:

"Whenever any person who is a candidate for any office believes that some other person with a name which is so similar that it may be confused with his name has filed or will file a nomination paper for the same office, may at the time of filing his nomination paper or within five days after the time for filing nomination papers has expired, file with the county clerk or registrar of voters a statement which shall be in substance as follows: "I_____ believe that some other person has or will file a nomination paper for the same office for which I have filed a nomination paper whose name is so similar to mine that his name may be confused with mine and I therefore request and direct that a _____be printed with my name on the ballot as a distinguishing mark.

_____

Name.

Candidate for the office of_____

SEC. 2. The following are the designating marks which may be designated by the candidate and printed on the ballot, a diamond—◇, a bell—🔔, a star—★, a circle—◯, an anchor—⚓, or a heart—♡. The distinguishing marks shall be printed in large black face type at the left of the name as it appears on the ballot.

SEC. 3. In case two or more candidates for the same office designate the same distinguishing mark, the candidate or candidates who filed the nomination papers first shall have the mark and the other candidate or candidates who designated the same mark may file papers designating other distinguishing marks.

SEC. 4. No distinguishing marks shall be printed on the ballot unless there are two or more candidates for the same office with names so similar as to cause probable confusion."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 683—An act to amend section 1357 of the Political Code, relating to the procuring of ballots by absent voters.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 1131 of the Political Code, relating to the conduct of elections.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 373*a* of the Penal Code, relating to public nuisances.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 108—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, relating to public works by persons convicted of failure to provide for minor children.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the comma, after the word "highways" strike out the following words "or in any other public work".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 5, 15, 19 and 26, after the words "medical attendance", add the words "or other remedial care".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to establish in the State of California an educational institution for the care, supervision, education, training, discipline and employment of boys, to be known as the 'Whittier State School,'" approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to dismissals from such school.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 11 of the printed bill, after the word "superintendent" strike out the period and insert the following "with the approval of the director of institutions."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 381—An act regulating the securing of wine for sacramental purposes, providing rules and regulations therefor and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the entire bill after the words "An act" in the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following regulating the securing by priests, ministers, or other persons, of wine for use for sacramental purposes by their congregations, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows

SECTION 1. No priest, minister or officer of any church or congregation in this state authorized so to do, shall apply for or receive any wine for use for sacramental purposes by members of his congregation, without having first secured from the district attorney of the county or city and county in which such church or congregation is established and holds its services, a permit authorizing him to receive for members of his congregation wine for sacramental purposes, *provided, however*, that no such permit shall be issued by any district attorney until the permit, required in such cases under the national prohibition act, shall have been obtained from the federal prohibition director of the district in which the district attorney resides.

SEC. 2. Every request for such a permit shall be made in writing, and the district attorney is hereby required to examine the person making such application in writing under oath, or to require an affidavit by him setting forth such information relative to the location of his church and the names and residences of the members of his congregation and such additional data, as such district attorney may require. The district attorney shall issue a permit authorizing the receipt of wine for sacramental purposes by members of a congregation to any priest or minister or other officer duly authorized by such congregation to secure the same, whenever he shall be satisfied that such wine is in good faith intended, and will be used only for sacramental purposes by bona fide members of such congregation: *provided, however*, that where a church or religious denomination has a duly constituted and recognized archbishop, bishop, or other central ecclesiastical authority having jurisdiction over a certain defined ecclesiastical territory and district within this state, but one permit shall be necessary or required in the case of priests or ministers officiating under the jurisdiction of such central ecclesiastical authority, such permit to be issued by the district attorney of the county or city and county in which such central ecclesiastical authority resides, upon his proper application therefor.

SEC. 3. The district attorney shall number all permits so issued consecutively and shall keep in his office and deliver to his successor in office a record of such permits. Both the permit and the record thereof shall show the number and the date thereof, the name and address of the person to whom issued, the name of the congregation for which the wine is intended and the place such church or congregation holds its services, the amount of wine to be received and such other information as the district attorney may require.

SEC 4. Any person convicted of violating any provision of this act shall, for a first offense, be fined not more than one thousand dollars or be imprisoned not more than six months in the county jail, and for a second or subsequent offense shall be imprisoned in the state prison not less than one year nor more than five years.

SEC 5. An appeal shall lie to the superior court in and for the county or city and county in which such district attorney resides from the granting of or for any refusal to issue the permit designated herein. Appeals shall be taken within the time and in the manner required by the Code of Civil Procedure for appeals to the superior court. Any person interested or affected by the action of such district attorney in granting or refusing such permit is hereby authorized to take such appeal.

SEC 6. This act shall not be deemed or construed to apply to the use of wine for sacramental purposes by a priest or minister alone, but only to the use thereof by the members of the congregation of such priest or minister for such purposes, and nothing herein contained shall require any priest or minister to obtain from the district attorney the permit herein mentioned, before applying for or receiving wine for use by himself alone for sacramental purposes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1135—An act making an appropriation for the maintenance of prison road camps.

Bill read second time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Murphy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1135 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1135 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State Prison at Folsom without cost to the State.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 780—An act to provide for the appointment of rural supervisors of schools in certain cases.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, after the period following the figure "1", add the following: "It shall be lawful to employ rural supervisors of schools as now provided by law, *provided*, and provided only, that at least ninety days prior to such proposed employment the county board of supervisors of such county wherein the employment is contemplated shall have passed a resolution declaring it to be a public necessity that a rural supervisor of schools shall be employed in such county, and if such resolution declaring the employment of a rural supervisor of schools is a necessity shall not have been of record for at least ninety days prior to the employment of any such rural supervisor, it shall be unlawful.

SEC. 2. In the event the board of supervisors do pass and place of record in their files the resolution mentioned in section one, such resolution shall remain in effect for a period of one year."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No 329—An act to add a new chapter to part III title V of the Political Code to be numbered VI, embracing sections 2330 to 2347, inclusive, relating to the State Department of Public Welfare and its powers and duties, and repealing an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Charities and Corrections, prescribing its duties and powers, and appropriating money therefor" approved March 25, 1903, as amended; and repealing an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and control by the State Board of Charities and Corrections of the placing of dependent children in homes and for the supervision of all societies or organizations engaged in such work and known as 'children's home-finding societies'" approved April 24, 1911; and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, and institutions, boarding houses, and homes for the reception and care of children, by the State Board of Charities and Corrections, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1923, and repealing an act entitled "An act making it the duty of the State Board of Charities and Corrections to prescribe forms of record for the use of county hospitals and almshouses, county jails, and city prisons; and authorizing the board to furnish such records; and making the neglect or failure on the part of superintendents and jailors in charge thereof to keep such records a misdemeanor" approved June 11, 1915.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "authorized" and insert in lieu thereof the word "authorize".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 12, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "an".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 14, strike out the word "engagers" and insert in lieu thereof the word "engages".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 29, strike out the word "furnish" and insert in lieu thereof the word "furnished".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1175 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts,

Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 981—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 927*q*, relating to judgment in small claims courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 981 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V. Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 132—An act confirming and validating the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts of every kind and class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 132 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard; Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 134—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 134 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the District Courts of Appeal.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McDowell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 19 of the printed bill, after the word "and" strike out the word "stationary" and insert in lieu thereof the word "stationery".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On line 23 of the printed bill, strike out the first word thereof "stationary" and insert in lieu thereof the word "stationery".

Motion carried

The Speaker appointed Mr. McDowell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 364, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McDOWELL, *Select Committee.*

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, J. A., moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1771*a*, relating to the use of the estate of a wife over which a guardian has been appointed by reason of incompetency.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1158 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Cuttenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 871—An act to authorize the city of Riverside to sell certain lands dedicated for park purposes and to devote the proceeds thereof to the improvement of parks now existing in said city.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 871 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 821 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lourtit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 121—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the forty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 121 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 643—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 643 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 83 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Heisinger moved that Assembly Bill No. 142 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 142 re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Assembly Bill No. 197—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 197 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the confinement, care and reformation of delinquent women, to provide for its maintenance, conduct and government, to provide for commitment and admission thereto, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved May 3, 1913, relating to deposit of moneys.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 500 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Broughton, Miller, Eleanor; and Saylor—3

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 501—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions; to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates; or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 501 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Saylor, and Williamson—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend section 1*b* of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration of mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 856 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322e of the Political Code, relating to agriculture.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Miss Broughton moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the first word which is "arvense" and insert in lieu thereof the word "arvensis".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Miss Broughton as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 866, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BROUGHTON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a joint meeting of the Legislature.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Rules.

By Mr. Cleveland: An act relative to protective tariff on cement.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Wemple:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Merriam:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 27 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Ekward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Williamson waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1204 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1204 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Coombs waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 312 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 312 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Coombs moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 75 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 4262 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 385 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy,

Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 3 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 453*l* of the Civil Code, relating to the guarantee fund and investments of title insurance corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 63 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m., the Speaker declared the Assembly at recess for the purpose of allowing the following representatives of Nevada to address the Assembly:

Hon. Maurice J. Sullivan, Lieutenant Governor of Nevada; Hon. E. E. Roberts, Mayor of Reno; Hon. A. S. Henderson, Las Vegas, Speaker of the Assembly, Nevada; Hon. Fred Small, Director General, Nevada Transcontinental Highway Exposition; Hon. Wm. S. Limsford, Vice President, Nevada Transcontinental Highway Exposition, and Hon. Ed Walker, President, Reno Chamber of Commerce.

REASSEMBLED.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 439 of the Political Code, relating to employees in controller's office.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Senate Bill No. 300 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to disqualification of judges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 192 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 226—An act to provide for the dedication by the State Board of Control to the use of the public for highway purposes of a strip of land forty feet wide and approximately one thousand one hundred fifty feet long, more particularly described hereinafter, and being a portion of the property vested in the directors of State Insane Asylum of the State of California, located in the city of Stockton (now known as the Stockton State Hospital), and adjoining a portion of north California street, a public highway in the city of Stockton, county of San Joaquin, State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 226 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Ekswärd, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 19*x*14 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 73 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 169—An act to amend section 4234 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 169 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Mueller gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 169 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No 442—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Senate Bill No. 442 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 442 re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 676—An act to prevent the fraudulent operation of slot machine or coin receptacles, or making or furnishing devices to defraud owners of same, and prescribing penalties for a violation hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 676 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Wright, T. M.—1.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minues p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof of creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district, and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations, and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District

Also Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act, providing penalties for violation of the same, making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act and repealing an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the state board of health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17 and 25 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulating and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented out of the regular order:

By Mr. Roberts:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money to be used for the installation of a new system for the keeping of records in the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money to be used by the State Department of Health for malaria control.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Campbell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 12¾, article XIII thereof, relative to exemption from taxation of certain trees and vines.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 109—An act to amend section 19x5 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers of counties of the fifth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 109 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard Browne, Carter, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 301—An act to amend section 3773 of the Political Code, relating to land sold for taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 301 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Browne, Carter, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act to amend section 461 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of the crime of burglary.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1150 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine,

Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulation and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 898 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act."

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 897 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "California Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 896 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sco-

field, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report, and submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be, and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and per diem set opposite their respective names:

The following named person to date, from and including the fourth day of March, 1925:

E. J. Hoerst, assistant clerk..... $7 00

The following named person to date, from and including the sixth day of March, 1925.

Emmet Olmstead, assistant sergeant-at-arms..... $5 00

The following named person to date, from and including the sixteenth day of March, 1925:

Lena Heisinger, assistant engrossing and enrolling clerk..... $5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant from said funds in favor of said named persons for said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 114—An act authorizing certain improvements upon the grounds of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley, California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for its violation," approved June 3, 1921,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 433—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 8*h*,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 2640 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of officers over highways,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 2640 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of officers over highways.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 465 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 114—An act authorizing certain improvements upon the grounds of the California School for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley, California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 114 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges;

Also Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings, when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings, when

sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1061 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917; as amended," approved June 3, 1921; as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 940 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Morrison—1.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1179—An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1179 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Heisinger Johnson, Jones, Just, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—55.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Louttit—2.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. West gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1179 was this day passed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of judges of courts of record;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to article VI of the constitution of the State, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 26 of said article, relating to a salary allowance to certain judicial officers upon the termination of their active term of office, and to their eligibility for further judicial duties,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Heisinger moved that Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

Motion carried.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 re-referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 466 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Bryne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read·

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows·

By Mr. Noyes. An act to amend sections 3959 and 3966 of the Political Code, relating to county boundary lines.

By Mr. Nielsen· An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State fair grounds.

By Mr Wright, T M. An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara.

By Mr. Coombs An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of Lake County, State of California

By Mr. Smith An act appropriating money for the purchase, installation and maintenance of machinery and equipment for the manufacture of fabrics, twines and cordage from jute, sisal, flax, hemp and any other raw materials except cotton at the State prisons at Folsom and San Quentin, and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, and providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of act in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915.

By Mr. Heisinger. An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book

By Mr Duval An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture.

By Mr Morrison An act to amend section 129 of the Civil Code, relating to the domicile and place of residence of the parties in an action for divorce.

By Mr Wemple An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

By Mr. Jones An act to amend sections 1 and 17 and to add a new section to be numbered 17½ to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a State hospital for the insane to be located in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California

By Mr. Jacobson: An act to amend section 4021*a* of the Political Code, relating to recall of officers of school districts.

By Mr. Hornblower An act to make effective the laws of this State relating to stock without any nominal or par value.

By Mr. Merriam An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions.

By Mr. Wemple. An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State.

By Mr. Roberts An act appropriating money to be used for the installation of a new system for the keeping of records in the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P. An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof

By Mr. Anderson, R. J. An act appropriating money to be used by the State Department of Health for malaria control.

By Mr. Campbell. An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Schmidt moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and five minutes.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The dooors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON RULES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15—Relative to adjournment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EKSWARD, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to national defense and oriental menace—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

EKSWARD, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIXTEEN.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to national defense and oriental menace.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of the concurrent resolution, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Following the word "concurring" strike out the last paragraph and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That the use of the Assembly Chamber be granted, on the afternoon of March 18, 1925, at 3 p.m., to the said Hon. W. B. Shearer for

the purpose of informing members of the Legislature and the general public on the matter of national defense and oriental menace."

Amendment adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 ordered to print, and on file for adoption.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON RULES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Rules, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—relative to a joint meeting of the Legislature—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

EKSWARD, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17, at this time, without reference to file.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a joint meeting of the Legislature.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of the concurrent resolution, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Following the word "concurring", strike out the last paragraph and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That the use of the assembly chamber be granted on the afternoon of Thursday, March 19, 1925, at three p.m., to the Honorable Nathan Coombs and Captain Dancey for the purpose of informing the members of the legislature and the general public on Americanization."

Amendment adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 ordered to print, and on file for adoption.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—(RESUMED).

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to election precincts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LITTLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1074—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FINNEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 268—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment, fine, and imprisonment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

FINNEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 140—An act to amend section 464 of the Penal Code, relating to burglary with explosives—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FINNEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 18—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 999—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 23*a* of the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to permit for water rights;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 859—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923,

Also Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883 as amended, to be numbered 807*a* and 883*a*, providing for the filing with county clerks of certificates of election or appointment of judges of recorders' courts in cities of the fifth and sixth classes, and the certification by said county clerks of process issued by recorders' courts

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Schmidt.

The roll of absentees was called and the report of the Committee on Introduction of Bills adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekseward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A. Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61

NOES—None

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—(RESUMED).

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 6*a* of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to dental hygienists—has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1093—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to persons exempt from the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation, as amended.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2210*h*, relating to pensions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto, creating a Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee; defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof, providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures, appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued, and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to repeal section 3831 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 274—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3779, relating to certain unclaimed tax sale moneys;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 11, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 632½, relating to the protection of fish and game—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 288—An act to amend sections 4130, 4140, and 4300*c*, of the Political Code, relating to recorders and fees—has had the same under consideration,

and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 971—An act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of regional or county planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 574—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county park districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and compensation of officers in counties of the forty-first class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the twenty-ninth class,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 69—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 70—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Griffith Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 71—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Whittier against the State of California,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide for the credit on forthcoming taxes of certain life insurance companies of taxes heretofore erroneously collected from said insurance companies under the provisions of section 13 of article XIV of the constitution of the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1180—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 807—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of J. B. Enright against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 808—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H K Jandram against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

WEMPLE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing combination insurance policies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 477—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property thereon to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to reports of the department encampment of the Spanish-American War Veterans—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 109—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to boards of parole commissioners in cities and counties

Also: Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 1131 of the Political Code, relating to the conduct of elections,

Also Assembly Bill No. 302—An act relating to certain funds and property in the custody or control of State schools and providing for the allotment and apportionment thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 373*a* of the Penal Code, relating to public nuisances;

Also Assembly Bill No 683—An act to amend section 1357 of the Political Code, relating to the procuring of ballots by absent voters,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State Prison at Folsom without cost to the State,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 763—An act to amend section 4290 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county officers;

Also Senate Bill No. 123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3650½, relating to assessments,

Also Senate Bill No. 718—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of, and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 93—An act defining credit unions, providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision;

Also Senate Bill No 12—An act to amend sections 626*o* and 631*a* of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of water fowl;

Also Senate Bill No 325—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code, relating to filing permits for the adoption of children,

Also Senate Bill No 334—An act to amend section 17*b* of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the filing of reports of the probation committee;

Also Senate Bill No. 333—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to charitable, religious or benevolent societies;

Also, Senate Bill No. 437—An act to authorize the State Highway Commission to cooperate with the Federal Bureau of Public Roads in numbering and marking the road of interstate character;

Also, Senate Bill No 354—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots 10, 11, and 12 in block 4 of Diestelhorst's Addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block 5 and lots 6 and 7 in block 6 of said Diestelhorst's Addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange;

Also Senate Bill No 278—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree;

Also: Senate Bill No. 8—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 763 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 123 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Senate Bill No 718 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 93 read first time, and referred to Committee on Banking.

Senate Bill No. 12 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 325 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Senate Bill No. 334 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 333 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Senate Bill No. 437 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 354 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 278 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 8 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 384—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af* inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. P. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 384 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Noyes: Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act to amend sections 3959 and 3966 of the Political Code, relating to county boundary lines.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State fair grounds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wright, T. M.: Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Coombs: Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of Lake County, State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 1228—An act appropriating money for the purchase, installation and maintenance of machinery and equipment for the manufacture of fabrics, twines and cordage from jute, sisal, flax, hemp and any other raw materials, except cotton, at the State prisons at Folsom and San Quentin, and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price,

terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, and providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith" approved January 30, 1915.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Prisons and Reformatories.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No 1229—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act to make effective the laws of this State, relating to stock without any nominal or par value.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations

By Mr Duval: Assembly Bill No 1231—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No. 1232—An act to amend section 129 of the Civil Code, relating to the domicile and place of residence of the parties in an action for divorce.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Wemple: Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act to amend sections 1 and 17 and to add a new section to be numbered 17½ to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a State hospital for the insane to be located in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 1235—An act to amend section 4021*a* of the Political Code, relating to recall of officers of school districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Merriam: Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Wemple: Assembly Bill No 1237—An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr Roberts: Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act appropriating money to be used for the installation of a new system for the keeping of records in the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.: Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Anderson, R J. Assembly Bill No. 1240—An act to appropriate money to be used by the State Department of Health for malaria control

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Campbell: Assembly Bill No 1241—An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Messrs Weller and Graves: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17—Relative to approving the Colorado River Compact.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce a bill was presented:

By Miss Miller:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend sections 1, 15 and 18 and to add a new section to be numbered 19 to "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls; to provide for the maintenance and management of the same and to make an appropriation therefor."

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and forty minutes p m., on motion of Mr Crittenden, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Saturday, March 14, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Saturday, March 14, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m, pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Runner, Scofield, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—29.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

There being no quorum present, Mr. Easley moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and five minutes.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Runner, Scofield, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—29.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At nine o'clock and twenty minutes a m., further proceedings under call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward.

The roll of absentees was called, and a quorum was declared to be present by the following vote:

Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Melville, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Walters Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—44

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev Harley H. Gill of the First Congregational Church of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Wright, T. M., its further reading was dispensed with.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr. Schmidt, Messrs. Levey, Rosenshine, Mitchell, Williamson, Fry, Jacobson, Morrison, Oliva and Hornblower were granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Carter, Mr. Lyons was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Miller, J. A., Mr. Reindollar was granted leave of absence for the day.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced that Messrs. Hartranft, Crittenden and Mixter, the special committee to investigate the courses of study at the various State teachers colleges, be granted leaves of absence for Saturday, March 14, 1925.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend section 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 7, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Stipulations and conditions—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Hazards not covered—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Matters avoiding policy—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Matters suspending insurance—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the following "Chattel mortgage—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Fallen building clause—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Removal when endangered by fire—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Cancellation—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Assignment—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Adjustment of losses—Arbitration—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Option of company in case of loss—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 5, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Apportionment of loss—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 6, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Assessment for deficiency—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 6, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Notice of Assessment—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 6, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Action for neglect or refusal to pay assessments—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 6, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Nonwaiver by appraisal or examination—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 6, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Subrogation—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 6, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Time for commencement of action—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 6, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Definitions—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 7, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Statement on outside of policy—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 9, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Addition of clauses to standard form—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 9, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Violations of the statute a misdemeanor—".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 9, lines 34 and 35, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "(Amendment approved June 3, 1921; Stats. 1921, p. 1582)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend" strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sections sixteen and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "section" strike out the words "eighteen and one-half" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the semicolon, insert the following:

"SEC. 16 Any member of such company may withdraw therefrom by surrendering his policy for cancellation at any time during the life of the policy and while the company continues the business for which it was organized by giving notice in writing to the secretary thereof and by paying his share of all claims that may exist against the company on the day of cancellation; *provided*, that this company shall have power to cancel or terminate any policy by giving the insured ten days written notice to that effect either in person or by registered mail to his last postoffice address, or if this is not known, then to the address given upon the application blank which is a part of this policy and by returning to him in the same manner by check or otherwise any excess premium he may have paid during the term of this policy, over the cost of his insurance as measured by the rate of standard fire insurance companies doing business in this state Also, in case of cancellation by this company it must also notify in the same manner any holder of a mortgage or deed of trust whose name appears either on the signed application which is a part of this policy or upon a paster or otherwise upon this policy or the party named" to whom loss if any is payable to ——.

SEC. 2. Section eighteen and one-half of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of reinsurance companies to reinsure the business of county fire insurance companies.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, insert a period after the figure "1" and add the following "Any number of companies, not less than five, organized and operating under an act of the legislature of the State of California entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, and of the acts amendatory thereof, having risks they wish to reinsure, the total of which exceeds one hundred fifty thousand dollars, may incorporate for the purpose of mutual reinsurance against loss or damage by fire

SEC 2 *Such companies shall file with the insurance commissioners a declaration* of their intentions to incorporate for the purpose expressed in section one of this act. The declaration shall be signed by the president and secretary of each of the incorporators and shall be accompanied by a certified copy of a resolution passed by the board of directors of each of said companies to the effect that it is the desire of that company to become one of the incorporators, and shall also contain a copy of the articles of incorporation proposed to be adopted. The insurance commissioner shall examine the proposed articles of incorporation, and if they conform to this act, he shall deliver to such companies a certificate permitting them to incorporate as such reinsurance company, which shall contain a copy of the proposed articles of incorporation. Upon filing with the secretary of state, as required by section two hundred ninety-six of the Civil Code the certified copy of the articles of incorporation executed by the president or secretary of the company on behalf thereof as nearly as practicable as required by section two hundred ninety of the Civil Code, and the certificate above provided for, the secretary of state shall thereupon issue a certificate of incorporation to such reinsurance company, and upon organizing under such articles of incorporation, such reinsurance company may carry on a fire reinsurance business as hereinafter provided

SEC 3. The number of directors shall not be less than five and shall be equal to the number of companies which are members of the reinsurance company. The manner of and time for increasing or diminishing the number of member companies and of the number of directors so that they shall be equal in number to the member companies shall be fixed in the by-laws A majority of the directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business and they shall be elected (one for each member company) from three delegates who shall be elected by the member company at its last annual meeting to represent it at all meetings of the reinsurance company They shall be elected by ballot and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors have been elected and qualified The annual meeting of the members of the company shall be held on the second Monday in February of each year In the election of the first board of directors each member company shall be entitled to one vote At every subsequent election, each of the three delegates from each member company shall be entitled to as many votes as there are directors to be elected, and he may cast the same in person or by proxy, distribute them among the directors to be elected or among a less number of directors, or cumulating them upon one candidate as he shall see fit

SEC. 4. The directors of the reinsurance company shall elect, from their own number, a president and a vice-president, and an executive committee of three and shall also elect a treasurer and a secretary, who may or may not be members of the company All of such officers shall hold office for one year from the date of their election, and until their successors are elected and qualified

SEC 5 The treasurer and secretary shall give bonds to the company for the faithful performance of their duties in such amounts as shall be prescribed by the board of directors.

SEC. 6. Such corporation and its directors shall possess the usual powers, and be subject to the usual duties of corporations and directors thereof, not inconsistent with the constitution and the laws of this state, as may be deemed necessary for the management of its affairs, in accordance with the provisions of this act, also, to prescribe the duties of its officers and fix their compensation.

SEC. 7 Any county mutual fire insurance company in the State of California desiring reinsurance may become a member of the reinsurance company and shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges appertaining thereto

SEC. 8 All county fire insurance companies desiring to become members of such reinsurance company shall give their obligation to the company, binding themselves, their successors, and assigns to pay their pro rata share to the company of the necessary expenses and loss by fire which may be sustained by any member thereof during the time for which their respective policies may be written, and they shall also at the time of effecting the reinsurance pay such percentages and such

other charges as may be required by law or by the rules and by-laws of the reinsurance company

SEC 9. All such companies must classify the property reinsured therein at the time of issuing policies thereon under different rates, corresponding as nearly as may be to the several kinds of property insured.

SEC. 10 Any such company may write reinsurance on property located anywhere in the State of California that is insured in any county mutual fire insurance company organized and operating in the state No such company shall at any time write reinsurance, subject to one fire or loss, in excess of five per cent of the total amount of reinsurance on its books at the time of accepting the risk.

All definitions as to "distances," "city or town block," "closely built up district," "one risk," and "clear space," by laws governing county mutual fire insurance companies shall be binding upon this company and shall prevail in the writing of all reinsurance.

SEC. 11. Every member of such company who may sustain loss or damage by fire shall immediately notify the president or secretary thereof, stating the amount of damage or loss sustained or claimed, and if not more than one thousand five hundred dollars, then the president and secretary shall proceed to ascertain the amount of such loss or damage and adjust the same. If the claim for damage or loss be for an amount greater than one thousand five hundred dollars, then the secretary shall forthwith convene the executive committee, whose duty it shall be when convened, acting with the president and secretary, to ascertain the amount of such damage or loss and adjust the same. If in any case there is a failure of the parties to agree upon the amount of such damage or loss they may submit the question of the amount of such loss to arbitration, and in that event the president of the company shall appoint one disinterested person to act as an arbitrator, and the claimant or insured shall appoint another, and if two such arbitrators fail to agree upon the amount of such loss, then they shall select a third disinterested person to act with them, and such arbitrators so appointed shall have full authority to examine witnesses and to do all other things necessary to the proper determination of the amount of loss sustained by the claimant, and shall make their award in writing to the president of the company, and to the insured and such award so as aforesaid made, shall be final as to the amount of the loss sustained. The pay of said committee shall be five dollars per day for each day's services so rendered, and five cents for each mile necessarily traveled in the discharge of their duties, which shall be paid by the claimant unless the award of such committee shall exceed the sum offered by the company in liquidation of such loss or damage, in which case such expense shall be paid by the company; *provided, however*, the president and secretary may secure the services of an adjuster to represent the company on any loss, subject to confirmation by the executive committee.

SEC. 12 When the amount of any loss shall have been ascertained, which exceeds in amount the cash funds of the company, the president shall convene the directors, who shall make an assessment upon all of the property to the amount for which each several piece of property is insured, taken in connection with the rate of premium under which it may be classified; except when the amount of such loss or losses does not exceed one-eighth of one per cent of the total amount of insurance in force then and in such event the directors may, by resolution in writing, signed by two-thirds of said directors in meeting assembled, borrow in the name of the company and give the company's note or other evidence of indebtedness therefor, an amount or amounts whose total shall not exceed at any time one-eighth of one per cent of the total amount of insurance in force in said company. The term of said loan or loans shall not be for a greater period than twelve months nor shall the date of maturity be in excess of thirty days beyond the date of the annual meeting of said company; *provided, further*, that the board of directors may at their annual meeting levy an assessment not to exceed twenty-five cents on the one hundred dollars of reinsurance, and said sum so raised shall constitute a reserve fund to be used in emergency cases only and another assessment for this fund shall not be made while this reserve fund remains intact.

SEC 13. It shall be the duty of the secretary, whenever such an assessment shall have been made, immediately to notify every company holding a reinsurance risk in such company, by registered letter addressed to the secretary at his usual postoffice address, of the amount of such loss, and the sum due from such company as its share thereof, and of the time and to whom such payment is to be made, but such time shall not be less than thirty days, nor more than ninety days from the date of such notice.

SEC 14 An action may be brought against any member of such company who shall neglect or refuse to pay any assessment made upon it by the provisions of this act, or other liabilities due the company, and the directors of any company so formed who shall wilfully refuse or neglect to perform the duties imposed upon them by law or by the by-laws of the company shall be liable in their individual capacity to the company sustaining such loss. An action may also be brought and maintained against any such company by members thereof for losses sustained if

payment is withheld after the amount of such losses have been determined, and is due by the terms of the policy.

SEC. 15. It shall be the duty of the secretary to prepare an annual statement, showing the condition of such company on the thirty-first day of December, and a supplemental report of the business of the company to January 31, and present the same at the annual meeting

SEC. 16. Any member of such reinsurance company may cancel any policy or policies by surrendering such policy or policies for cancellation at any time while the organization continues the business for which it was organized, by giving ten days' notice in writing to the secretary thereof, and paying its share of all claims that may exist against such company; *provided*, that the reinsurance company shall have power to cancel or terminate any policy by giving the insured ten days' written notice to that effect, and returning to it any excess of premium it may have paid during the term of the policy over the cost of its reinsurance as measured by the rules or methods of standard fire insurance companies doing business in this state

SEC. 17. It shall be the duty of the president and secretary within thirty days after the first day of January in each year, to prepare, under their own oath, and *transmit to the insurance commissioner, a statement of the condition of the company* on the last day of December of the preceding year If, upon examination, the insurance commissioner finds that such company is doing business correctly, in accordance with the provisions of this act, he shall thereupon furnish the company his certificate, which shall be deemed authority to continue business during the ensuing year, subject, however, to the provisions of this act For such examination and certificate the company shall pay ten dollars. Each company shall pay, at the time of organization, fifty dollars to the insurance commissioner, for all services which he shall render in the matter of organization

SEC. 18. Any such company may be proceeded against and dissolved in the manner and upon the same conditions as provided in case of other insurance companies incorporated in this state"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 562—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend" add the following: "section six of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

After the enacting clause add the following

"SECTION 1. Section six of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 6. Such corporation and its directors shall possess the usual powers, and be subject to the usual duties of corporations and directors thereof, and may make such by-laws not inconsistent with the constitution and the laws of this state, as may be deemed necessary for the management of its affairs, in accordance with the provisions of this act. Also to prescribe the duties of its officers and to fix their compensation, and to alter and amend its by-laws when necessary. It may also become a member of a mutual re-insurance company organized within the state for the purpose of re-insuring the risks of county mutual fire insurance companies."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 60—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to election precincts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "precincts" insert the word "last".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "for", strike out the words "the last".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "election", insert the word "purposes".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1074—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words Section 1, insert the following: Section one hundred ninety of the Penal Code is hereby amended to read as follows

190. Every person guilty of murder in the first degree shall suffer death, or confinement in the state prison for life, at the discretion of the jury trying the same; or, upon a plea of guilty, the court shall determine the same; and every person guilty of murder in the second degree is punishable by imprisonment in the state prison not less than five years; *provided, however*, that the death penalty shall not be imposed or inflicted upon any person for murder committed before such person shall have reached the age of eighteen years; *provided, further*, that the burden of proof as to the age of said person shall be upon the defendant.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 268—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment, fine, and imprisonment.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 140—An act to amend section 464 of the Penal Code, relating to burglary with explosives.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, in the title of the printed bill, between the words "with" and "explosives" insert the words "acetylene torch, electric arc or",

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, between the words "of" and "nitroglycerine" insert the words "acetylene torch or electric arc or".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 999—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "county of Los Angeles" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "state director of institutions"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "to" add the following: "grant to the county of Los Angeles the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "use" add the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the colon following the word "purposes" add the following: "That portion of California Reform School tract as per map recorded in deed map book five hundred sixty-two, page one hundred eighty-seven, and of State Reform School tract as per map recorded in deed map book seven hundred twenty-four, page two hundred sixty-six, all being records of Los Angeles county, California, including within the following description: A thirty-foot strip of land lying adjacent to and on the southwesterly side of a county road known as Whittier boulevard extending from the southeasterly line of Sorenson avenue, said line also being the northwesterly line of said California Reform School tract, in a southeasterly direction to the northerly line of King Road, also known as Evergreen street, which line is also the southerly line of said State Reform School tract, the southwesterly line of said thirty-foot strip being parallel with and distant fifty-five feet southwesterly from the center line of said Whittier boulevard."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 23*a* of the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to permit for water rights.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts,

and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this state, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 807*a* and 883*a*, providing for the filing with county clerks of certificates of election or appointment of judges of recorders' courts in cities of the fifth and sixth classes, and the certification by said county clerks of process issued by recorders' courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 6*a* of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to dental hygienists.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1093—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to persons exempt from the provisions hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: "Section one of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. 1. When used in this act the following terms are defined as herein specified: The term "person" means and includes any individual, company, society, association, corporation, manager, contractor, subcontractor or their agents or employees.

2. The term "employment agency" means and includes the business of conducting, as owner, agent, manager, contractor, subcontractor, or in any other capacity an intelligence office, domestic and commercial employment agency, theatrical employment agency, teachers employment agency, general employment bureau, shipping agency, nurses' registry, or any other agency or office for the purpose of procuring or attempting to procure help or employment or engagements for persons seeking employment or engagements, or for the registration of persons seeking such help, employment or engagement, or for giving information as to where and of whom such help, employment or engagement may be procured, where a fee or other valuable consideration is exacted, or attempted to be collected, directly or indirectly, for such services, whether such business is conducted in a building or on the street or elsewhere.

3. The term "theatrical employment agency" means and includes the business of conducting an agency, bureau, office or any other place for the purpose of procuring or offering, promising or attempting to provide engagements for circus, vaudeville, theatrical and other entertainments or exhibitions or performances, or of giving information as to where such engagements may be procured or provided, whether such business is conducted in a building, or on the street or elsewhere.

4. The term "theatrical engagement" means and includes any engagement or employment of a person as an actor, performer or entertainer in a circus, vaudeville, theatrical and other entertainment, exhibition or performance.

5. The term "emergency engagement" means and includes an engagement which has to be performed within twenty-four hours from the time when the contract for such engagement is made.

6. The term "fee" means and includes any money or other valuable consideration paid or promised to be paid for services rendered or to be rendered by any person conducting an employment agency of any kind under the provisions of this article. Such terms includes any excess of money received by any such person over what has been paid out by him for the transportation, transfer of baggage, or board and lodging for any applicant for employment, such term also includes the difference between the amount of money received by any such person who furnishes employees, performers or entertainers for circus, vaudeville, theatrical and other entertainments, exhibitions or performances, and the amount paid by him to the said employees, performers or entertainers whom he hires or provides for such entertainments, exhibitions or performances.

7. The term "privilege" means and includes the furnishing of food, supplies, tools or shelter to contract laborers, commonly known as commissary privileges.

8. The term "commissioner of labor" means commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics.

9. Nothing herein contained shall apply to any person, who is the personal representative of not to exceed fifteen other persons, each of whom is earning an average income of five thousand dollars per annum.

SEC. 2. Section two of said act approved June 3, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 2. A person shall not open, keep, maintain or carry on any employment agency, as defined in the preceding section, unless he shall have first procured a license therefor as provided in this article from the commissioner of labor. Such license shall be posted in a conspicuous place in said agency. Any person who shall open or conduct such an employment agency without first procuring said license shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished as hereinafter provided.

Nothing herein contained shall apply to any person, who is the personal representative of not to exceed fifteen other persons, each of whom is earning an average income of five thousand dollars per annum."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill after the period, insert the following: "Section four thousand forty-one *f* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4041*f*. Any county may provide and maintain (1) a home or homes for veteran soldiers, sailors and marines who have served the United States honorably in any of its wars; (2) buildings, memorial halls, or meeting places for the use of patriotic

fraternal and benevolent associations of such persons For these purposes the board of supervisors of any county shall have jurisdiction and power.

(*a*) To purchase, receive by donation, take by condemnation, lease or otherwise acquire, real or personal property necessary for such building or buildings, and to improve, preserve, take care of, manage and control the same.

(*b*) To purchase, construct or lease, build or rebuild, furnish or refurnish, or repair any and all such buildings, and to provide all necessary custodians, employees, attendants and supplies for the proper maintenance of the same

(*c*) To levy in any year a special tax not to exceed three mills on the one dollar of assessed valuation on all the taxable property in the county, such tax to be in addition to all other taxes provided for and the fund so created to be expended for the purposes hereof.

(*d*) To establish a fund or funds for the purpose hereof, and to transfer from the general fund to such fund or funds, from time to time, such moneys as the board may deem necessary.

(*e*) To incur, in the manner provided by law, a bonded indebtedness on behalf of the county for any of the purposes hereof

(*f*) To combine with any incorporated city within its own boundaries, in the accomplishment of the above named purposes and to that end to hold jointly with any such city any property acquired as above provided, and to expend money in conjunction with any said city in accomplishing the above named objections.

SEC 2. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered four thousand four hundred eight *a*, and to read as follows

4408*a*. Any city may provide and maintain (1) a home or homes for veteran soldiers, sailors and marines who have served the United States honorably in any of its wars, (2) buildings, memorial halls, or meeting places for the use of patriotic, fraternal and benevolent associations of such persons. For these purposes the common council of any city shall have jurisdiction and power

(*a*) To purchase, receive by donation, take by condemnation, lease or otherwise acquire, real or personal property necessary for such building or buildings, and to improve, preserve, take care of, manage and control the same.

(*b*) To purchase, construct or lease, build or rebuild, furnish or refurnish, or repair any and all such buildings, and to provide all necessary custodians, employees, attendants and supplies for the proper maintenance of the same

(*c*) To levy in any year a special tax not to exceed three mills on the one dollar of assessed valuation on all the taxable property in the county, such tax to be in addition to all other taxes provided for and the fund so created to be expended for the purposes hereof.

(*d*) To establish a fund or funds for the purposes hereof, and to transfer from the general fund to such fund or funds, from time to time, such moneys as the common council may deem necessary.

(*e*) To incur in the manner provided by law, a bonded indebtedness on behalf of the city for any of the purposes hereof

(*f*) To combine with the county in which it is situated in the accomplishment of the above named purposes and to that end to hold jointly with such county any property acquired as above provided, and to expend money in conjunction with said county in accomplishing the above named objects."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after "forty-one *f*" insert the following: "four thousand four hundred eight *a*".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2210*h*, relating to pensions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 17, after the word "the" first appearing on said line, strike out the word "auditor" and insert in lieu thereof the words "officer having custody of the record thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 18, after the word "supervisors" insert the words "or other governing board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 18, after the word "attorney" insert a comma and the words "city attorney or legal advisor of said board;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 23, after the word "state" insert the words "or other subdivision".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 25, after the word "state" insert the words "or other subdivision".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In line 26, after the word "state" insert the words "or other subdivision".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 27, strike out the word "recorder" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the officer having custody of the record thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "3084*a*" and insert in lieu thereof "3804*a*".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to repeal section 3831 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 274—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3779, relating to certain unclaimed tax sale moneys.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 632½, relating to the protection of fish and game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after "632½", strike out all of line 4 beginning with the word "Every", and strike out all of lines 5 to 14, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "It shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch or kill with a spear any salmon or steelhead trout in any of the waters of this state, and possession of any spear on any stream shall be prima facie evidence of the intent of the person so possessing such spear to violate this section, *provided*, it shall be lawful for any person in district one and one-half to take, catch or kill with a spear net more than five salmon per day between August first and October fifth, both dates inclusive."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 971—An act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of regional or county planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 3 to 13, inclusive, and in lieu thereof insert the following "of a county planning commission. Such planning commission shall be appointed by the board of supervisors and shall consist of at least five citizens of the county as may be determined by ordinance of said board. The members shall be appointed for terms of two years, except that, of the members first appointed, as near half the number as may be shall be appointed for terms of two years, and the remainder shall be appointed for terms of one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, following the word "county" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the words "three miles of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "exterior".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 574—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county park districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "composed of unincorporated territory and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the period and add the words "organized under the provisions of this act may be formed into a county park district as in this act provided."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "unincorporated".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, before the word "should" insert the words "organized under the provisions of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "district" and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 25, and on page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "which said boundaries, so far as practicable, shall" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Such boundaries may be the exterior boundary lines of school districts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, add the following: "Said district as created may include either unincorporated territory or both incorporated and unincorporated territory. The incorporated territory included in any such park district may include the whole or part of one or more incorporated cities, *provided, however*, that less than the whole of any incorporated city shall not be included in such district except by consent of the governing body of such city, given by resolution adopted by majority vote of such governing body."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "made" insert the following "by five per cent of the qualified electors residing within the proposed district,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "cast" insert the following: ", or, if the proposed district contains incorporated territory, if a majority of the votes cast in the proposed district and in each incorporated city, the whole or part of which is included in the proposed district,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "needed" following the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "structures" insert the following: "necessary or convenient to recreational or civic purposes, and to lease same".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "company" insert the following: "or of a water district or of an incorporated city".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 3, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "protection".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, lines 46 to 49, of the printed bill, strike out "fifty or more freeholders and residents of such district, or by a majority of such freeholders and residents if there are less than one hundred freeholders and residents in such district" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "at least ten per cent of the qualified electors residing within such district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 4, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following "*provided, however*, that no territory included within the boundaries of any incorporated city shall be annexed to any park district organized under the provisions of this act without the consent of the governing body of such incorporated city, given by resolution adopted by majority vote of such governing body."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the words "one thousand eight hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, lines 8 and 9, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the words "two hundred dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "seven hundred and fifty dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "six hundred."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 36, after the word "of" strike out the words "one thousand eight hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand four hundred."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, after the words "one thousand" strike out the word "ninety" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 22, of the printed bill, after the words "one thousand" strike out the words "twenty five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and compensation of officers in counties of the forty-first class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and in lieu thereof insert the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "and" strike out the words "one deputy recorder" and in lieu thereof insert the words "two deputy recorders".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "Auditor" strike out the words "seven hundred fifty" and in lieu thereof insert the words "one thousand".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the twenty-ninth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: Section four thousand two hundred fifty-eight of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4258 In counties of the twenty-ninth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit

1. The county clerk, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand three hundred twenty dollars per annum. The salary of said deputies to be payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of the other county officers are paid *provided, further, however*, that in each year in which a new and complete registration of voters is required by law the county clerk may appoint an additional deputy or deputies whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed four hundred dollars in any one year; *and provided, further*, that the county clerk shall file with the county auditor a certified statement showing in detail the amount and persons to whom said compensation is paid. Such salaries of such deputies shall be paid out of the same fund as the salaries of the other county officers are paid

2 The sheriff, three thousand dollars per annum and all fees for the service of process issued without his county. One bailiff at a salary of eighty dollars per month One deputy at a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, and two deputies at a salary of one thousand three hundred fifty dollars per annum each, which offices are hereby created. The salary of said deputies payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of the other county officers are paid.

3 The recorder, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which office is hereby created, one copyist at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and one copyist for three months of each year at a salary of one hundred

dollars per month. The salaries of said deputy and copyist payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

4. The auditor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum and one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred sixty dollars per annum, and one deputy for two months of each year at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, the salary of said deputies payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid

5 The treasurer, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum

6 The tax collector, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. He shall have one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per year and two deputies for four months of each year at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each, which offices are hereby created, the salary of said deputies payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

7. The assessor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one chief deputy assessor, at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month, one deputy assessor, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month for seven months in each year, from January first to August first one copyist, for five months in each year, from March first to August first, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, the salaries of said chief deputy assessor, deputy assessor and copyist payable in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of the other county officers are paid.

The assessor shall appoint such field deputies as he may require, *provided*, that the compensation of such additional deputies shall not exceed in all the sum of three thousand dollars in any one year, *and provided*, that said field deputies shall file monthly with the assessor and county auditor a verified statement showing in detail the amount of time consumed in actual assessment work, the salaries of said field deputies shall be paid by the county monthly, in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of the other county officers are paid Said salary of the assessor shall be in full for all services rendered by him, and he shall pay all fees received into the county treasury.

8. The district attorney, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum and one stenographer at an annual salary of one thousand two hundred dollars, which office is hereby created It is hereby found as a fact that the salaries provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in compensation and the same shall apply immediately to incumbents.

9 The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter provided by law.

10 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter provided by law

11 The superintendent of schools, two thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy, at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly in the same manner as the salary of other county officers are paid, *provided*, that in counties of this class the county superintendent of schools shall receive and retain for his own use the sum of five dollars per diem for each and every day he attends the meetings of the county board of education, and shall also be allowed his actual and necessary traveling expenses in visiting the schools of the county.

12. The surveyor, *ten dollars per day and actual reasonable and necessary* expenses when engaged in the field or in the office in the discharge of his official duties in the county.

13 Supervisors, each the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum in full for all services performed by them as supervisors, and as members of the board of equalization, and road commissioners, and in any and every capacity.

14 Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in all cases, in townships having a population of seven thousand or more, one thousand eight hundred dollars per year, in townships having a population of less than seven thousand and more than three thousand, eighty dollars per month, in townships having a population less than three thousand and more than seven hundred fifty, fifty dollars per month; in townships having a population of less than seven hundred fifty, ten dollars per month.

15. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in all cases, in townships having a population of seven thousand or more, one thousand eight hundred dollars per year, in townships having a population of less than seven thousand and more than three thousand, eighty dollars per month, in townships having a population of less than three thousand and over seven hundred fifty, fifty dollars per month, in townships having a population of less than seven hundred fifty, ten dollars per month. Constables shall also be allowed mileage of eight cents per mile each way for necessary mileage traveled within the county, in the performance of their official duties, both civil and criminal.

16. Grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior court shall receive for each day's attendance per day the sum of three dollars. In justices' courts in civil and criminal cases, the jurors sworn to try the case shall receive for each day's

attendance per day the sum of two dollars. All jurors shall receive for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from his residence to the place of service the sum of fifteen cents per mile *provided*, that in justice courts mileage shall be allowed only to those sworn to try the case.

17. The county librarian shall receive one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide for the credit on forthcoming taxes of certain life insurance companies of taxes heretofore erroneously collected from said insurance companies under the provisions of section 13 of article XIV of the constitution of the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, insert the following:

An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section fourteen of article thirteen of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of the insurance commissioner and of the board of equalization with respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows

SECTION 1. It having been determined by the supreme court of the State of California that certain taxes heretofore assessed against and collected from life insurance companies doing business in this state were so assessed and collected by reason of an erroneous construction of the provisions of section fourteen of article thirteen of the constitution, adopted November 8, 1910, and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, whereby there was denied to such companies the right to deduct from the premiums stipulated in their respective policies dividends or coupon reductions credited or paid to said policyholders, when ascertaining and fixing the gross premium receipts of such companies for purposes of taxation, there is hereby granted to such life insurance companies a credit upon their forthcoming taxes equal in amount to the aggregate of the sums heretofore erroneously assessed against and collected from each of them respectively as aforesaid; but without costs or interest on any part thereof; *provided, however*, and upon the express condition that at or before the time of applying for such credit, or any part thereof, but in any event not later than the fourth Monday prior to the first Monday in July, A. D. 1925, each such life insurance company so applying shall file with the state board of equalization a written admission of liability, past and future, for taxes levied upon the gross premiums received upon its business done in this state, without deducting therefrom matured endowments or surrender values.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the insurance commissioner to certify to the state board of equalization so soon as may be practicable after this act takes effect, and in no event later than the fourth Monday prior to the first Monday in July, A. D. 1925, the name of each life insurance company from which taxes have been heretofore erroneously collected as above set forth and the aggregate amount so erroneously collected from each of them.

SEC. 3. Upon receipt of the foregoing certification from the insurance commissioner and of the written admission of liability in the manner and within the time mentioned in section one hereof, the board of equalization shall, upon the application of any life insurance company entitled thereto under the provisions of this act, prior to completing its record of assessments for each of the years 1925, 1926 and 1927, allow as a credit and as an advance payment upon the tax which otherwise would be assessed against such company for each of said years an amount equal as nearly as may be to one-third of the sum so certified by the insurance commissioner to have been erroneously collected from such company, and shall, during each of said years, and such further time as may be necessary to completely credit said taxes so erroneously collected, deduct the amount of such credit and advance payment from the tax which otherwise would

be assessed against such company for such year, prior to delivering to the controller of state the record of assessments for such year.

SEC 4. This act, being an act providing for a tax levy, shall take effect immediately, pursuant to the provisions of article one of section four of the constitution.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing combination insurance policies.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the printed amended bill, beginning on line 25, strike out the bracket and the words "Any person, cor-" and all of lines 26 and 27.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by amending sections 7, 12, 13, 15 and 32 thereof and by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 37, said new section relating to the disposition and application to be made of certain moneys heretofore appropriated for controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, if said moneys shall be reimbursed or released to the State of California by the federal government.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 12, line 48, of the printed amended bill, after the word "All" insert the following: ", or any part of,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 12, line 48, of the printed amended bill, after the word "reimbursed" insert the following: "or released".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 12, line 50, of the printed amended bill, after the word "heretofore" insert the following: "or hereafter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 12, line 51, of the printed amended bill, strike out the words "under and pursuant to" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "in compliance with".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 13, of the printed amended bill, strike out commencing with the word "and" on line 3, and ending with the figure "1925," on line 7.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 13, line 7, of the printed amended bill, after the word "amounts" insert the following: "which the State of California has already appropriated or is now obligated to appropriate and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 13, line 8, of the printed amended bill, after the word "be" insert the following: "reimbursed or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 13, of the printed amended bill, strike out commencing with the word "which" on line 9 and ending with the word "spent" on line 11.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 13 of the printed amended bill, strike out commencing with the word "in" on line 13 and ending with the word "made" on line 20.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 13, line 20, of the printed amended bill, after the word "shall" insert the following: ", unless otherwise provided by the act of congress under which reimbursement shall be made,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 314—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District based upon assessments levied by the reclamation board upon lands in said district," approved May 27, 1919, by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 59, said new section relating to and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed amended bill, after the word "be" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed amended bill, after the word "board" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 4, of the printed amended bill, after the word "bidder", strike out the word "or".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 313—An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, as modified by the report of California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and providing the extent to which the State of California will contribute to the expense of executing the plan approved in said report, conditioned upon the United States assuming a corresponding obligation and

further providing the purposes to which said expenditures made hereunder shall be applied.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 305—An act authorizing the transfer of all funds collected by any of the county treasurers of the State of California on assessments of the Sacramento Drainage District, by said county treasurers to the Reclamation Board to vest in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the benefit of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for general administrative purposes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 477—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 39f thereof, relating to the payment of tolls and charges for the use of water and making the same a lien upon the lands upon which such water is used and making the same a part of the annual assessment levied by said district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific Ocean, unless such dwellings or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 196—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations, and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District,

Also: Senate Bill No. 225—An act authorizing the acceptance by the State Board of Harbor Commissioners on behalf of the State of certain real property in the city and county of San Francisco bordering on Islais Creek Channel, and ratifying the act of said board in heretofore accepting conveyances of a portion of said property, and extending the jurisdiction of said board to the property so conveyed to the State,

Also: Senate Bill No. 697—An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 730—An act concerning the acquisition by the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of lands lying seaward of the waterfront line of the city and county of San Francisco for purposes of commerce and navigation,

Also Senate Bill No. 738—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco," approved June 3, 1921, and adding a new section thereto to be numbered 4*a*;

Also: Senate Bill No. 777—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of National City, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved April 27, 1923,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*q*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Coombs moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 75 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Mueller moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 169 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. West moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1179 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 12, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 123—An act to add three new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 3066, 3066*a*, and 3066*b*, relating to liens of sellers of feed for poultry and other live stock—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21½, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the dairy control fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the registration, branding and labeling of the same, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of the act, providing penalties for violation of the same, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the state board of health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Duval moved that Assembly Bill No. 699 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 699 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State Prison at Folsom without cost to the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1206 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley,

Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Noyes, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At ten o'clock and fifteen minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Monday, March 16, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 16, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Jones, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Cloudman, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Ralph H. Lesher of Minneapolis, Minn., was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Messrs. R. W. Colburn, R. O. Church and L. H. Wood of Burbank, Cal., were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Mr. W. M. Bowen, Vice President of Board of Directors of Sixth District Agriculture Association,

was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Mixter, Hon. Chas. A. Barlow, former Congressman of California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dayton, Mr. Bert M. Carner, Principal Gonzales Union High School, Monterey County, and Mr. Wm. Boswell, and the following pupils were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Thelma Tholcke, Mary Sneible, Clarice Mills, Bernice Cochran, John Garrison, Charles Drake, Laurence Binsacca and Leo Juri

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 685—An act to amend section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens and filing of the same for record—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 543 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to garnishment in aid of attachment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to regulate the practice of public accounting in the State of California; to establish a State Board of Accountancy and to prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for the admission to practice as and the licensing of certified public accountants and to prohibit the unlawful use of any words, letters, abbreviations, symbols or other means of identification by unauthorized persons indicating that they are certified public accountants under this act; to provide penalties for the violation of its provisions; and to repeal an act approved March 23, 1901, entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualified applicants, with the designation of certified public accountant, and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions thereof"—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, to be numbered 13, relating to inclusion and exclusion of territory in public cemetery districts.

Also Assembly Bill No 899—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision and

licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner' and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to contempts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish stations for the inspection and certification of cotton seed, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California, prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 166—An act to provide for the eradication of citrus white fly in California by providing for the establishment by proclamation of citrus white fly districts declaring all host plants of the citrus white fly within such citrus white fly districts to be a public nuisance, providing for the destruction or treatment of such host plants, defining the powers and duties of the director of the Department of Agriculture and of the county horticultural commissioners in relation to the provisions of this act and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the growing of one variety or species of cotton, to wit, Acala, in certain prescribed and defined districts in the State of California, to prohibit the picking or harvesting of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts, to prohibit the possession within such district for the purpose of planting any seeds or plants of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the ginning of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such district; defining such districts, and fixing the penalty for a violation of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DUVAL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to appropriate money to be used as a revolving fund by the Sixth District Agricultural Association for the purpose of creating, installing and maintaining special expositions at Exposition Park, Los Angeles," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the disposition of funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384*b*, relating to the protection of the California poppy—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 964—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work and to make the affidavit or verified complaint of any person as to the age of any child affected by this act prima facie evidence of the age of such child—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 60—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 807*a* and 883*a*, providing for the filing with county clerks of certificates of election or appointment of judges of recorders' courts in cities of the fifth and sixth classes, and the certification by said county clerks of process issued by recorders' courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, relating to public works by persons convicted of failure to provide for minor children;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 268—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment, fine, and imprisonment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 274—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3779, relating to certain unclaimed tax sale moneys;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to establish in the State of California an educational institution for the care, supervision, education, training, discipline and employment of boys, to be known as the 'Whittier State School,'" approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to dismissals from such school;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 381—An act regulating the securing by priests, ministers, or other persons, of wine for use for sacramental purposes by their congregations, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to repeal section 3831 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 23*a* of the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to permit for water rights;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 780—An act to provide for the appointment of rural supervisors of schools in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 6*a* of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to dental hygienists;

Also Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2210*h*, relating to pensions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the district courts of appeal.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*c* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a joint meeting of the Legislature—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce a bill was presented:

By Mr. Brock:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 39*f* thereof, relating to the payment of tolls and charges for the use of water and making the same a lien upon the lands upon which such water is used and making the same a part of the annual assessment levied by said district.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific Ocean, unless such dwellings, or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: No dwelling, cabin, or other place of human habitation shall be erected, constructed, or maintained upon any beach bordering upon the Pacific ocean within the State of California, within a distance of one hundred feet from the mean high tide line of the Pacific ocean, unless such dwelling, cabin or other place of human habitation shall be provided with adequate means for the sanitary disposal of sewage at some point at a greater distance than one hundred feet from the mean high tide line of the Pacific ocean; *provided, however*, that nothing in this act shall be construed as applying to any tent temporarily erected upon any beach.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*g*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 123—An act to add three new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 3066, 3066*a* and 3066*b*, relating to liens of sellers of feed for poultry and other live stock.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the third line of the title of the printed bill after the words "to liens of" strike out the word "sellers" and insert in lieu thereof the word "vendors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out the fourth line of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of feed for live stock and poultry."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill strike out all of lines 4 to 24 inclusive and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"3066 Every person who furnishes feed for a herd of live stock or flock of poultry shall have a lien upon such herd of live stock or flock of poultry to the extent of the value of such feed, as hereinafter provided, and for all costs of filing and enforcing such lien, whether furnished at the instance of the owner or of any other person having lawful possession of such herd of live stock or flock of poultry, and any person in the lawful possession of such herd of live stock or flock of poultry shall be held to be the agent of the owner for the purpose of the succeeding sections.

The words "herd of live stock", as used in sections three thousand sixty-six, three thousand sixty-six *a*, and three thousand sixty-six *b* of the Civil Code shall be construed to mean a number of cattle, horses, mules, sheep, goats or swine assembled together.

The word "flock", as used in this section and in sections three thousand sixty-six *a* and three thousand sixty-six *b*, of the Civil Code, shall be construed to mean a number of poultry assembled together.

SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to the Civil Code, to be numbered three thousand sixty-six *a*, and to read as follows:

3066*a*. Every person claiming the benefit of the above section at any time while furnishing such feed and until sixty days after he has ceased to furnish such feed, may file for record, with the county recorder of the county or counties or city and county in which said herd of live stock or flock of poultry is situated, a claim of lien containing a statement of his demand after deducting all just credits and offsets; the name of the owner or reputed owner and the person in possession of such herd of live stock or flock of poultry at the time of furnishing such feed, a general statement of the kind of feed furnished by him and a general description of the herd or flock sought to be charged with the lien, and the location thereof at the time the feed was furnished, and, if such herd or flock, or any part thereof, has been removed, the location of the same at the time of filing the lien, and a statement of the time within which such feed was furnished, which claim of lien must be verified by the oath of claimant or some other person.

The recorder must record the claim in a book kept by him for that purpose, which record must be indexed as other encumbrances upon personal property are required by law to be indexed, and for which he may receive the same fees as are allowed by law for recording like encumbrances.

Such lien shall not bind any property for a longer period than ninety days after the same has been filed unless proceedings be commenced in a proper court within that time to enforce the same, and in case such proceedings be not prosecuted to trial within one year after commencement thereof, the court may, at its discretion, dismiss the same for want of prosecution, and in all cases the dismissal of such action, or a judgment rendered therein that no lien exists, shall be equivalent to the cancellation and removal from the record of such lien.

The court must also allow, as a part of the costs, the money paid for verifying and recording the lien.

Whenever feed shall have been furnished for a herd of live stock or flock of poultry, such feed shall not be subject to attachment, execution or other legal process to enforce any debt due by the purchaser of such feed, except a debt due for the purchase money thereof, so long as in good faith the same is reasonably necessary to provide feed for such herd of live stock or flock of poultry for a period not exceeding ninety days.

Nothing contained herein shall be construed to impair or affect the right of any person to whom any debt may be due for feed furnished to maintain a personal action to recover said debt against the person liable therefor, and the person bringing such personal action may take out an attachment therefor notwithstanding his lien, and his affidavit to procure an attachment need not state that his demand is not secured by a lien, but judgment, if any, obtained by the plaintiff in such personal action, shall not be construed to impair or merge any lien held by the plaintiff in such action, provided only that any money collected on said judgment shall be credited on the amount of such lien in any action brought to enforce the same, in accordance with the provisions herein contained.

SEC. 3. A new section is hereby added to the Civil Code, to be numbered three thousand sixty-six *b*, and to read as follows:

3066*b*. The lien provided for in the above two sections shall be preferred to any lien, mortgage or other encumbrance not recorded in the office of the recorder of the county or counties or city and county in which said herd of live stock or flock of poultry is situated, for any feed furnished within ninety days prior to the recording of such mortgage or encumbrance.

The lien provided for herein is not to attach for an amount of feed necessary for such herd of live stock or flock of poultry for a period in excess of ninety days immediately preceding the date of recording such claim of lien.

No mistake or errors in the statement of the demand, or of the amount of credits and offsets allowed, or of the balance asserted to be due to claimant, nor in the description of the property against which the claim is filed, shall invalidate the lien, unless the court finds that such mistake or error in the statement of the demand, credit and offsets, or of the balance due, was made with the intent to defraud, or the court shall find that an innocent third party, without notice, direct or constructive, has since the claim was filed become a bona fide owner of the property liened upon, and that the notice of claim was so deficient that it did not put the party upon further inquiry in any manner.

The judgment of the court in any action brought to enforce such lien shall provide for the sale of so much of the live stock or poultry as may be necessary to satisfy the judgment, and whenever, on the sale of the property subject to such lien, under the judgment or decree or foreclosure of such lien, there is a deficiency of proceeds necessary to satisfy said judgment, a judgment for the deficiency may be docketed against the party personally liable therefor in like manner and with like effect as in actions for the foreclosure of chattel mortgages."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 20, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21½, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the dairy control fund.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "as".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the word "act" and insert in lieu thereof the word "section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the words "A quarterly" and insert in lieu thereof the words "An aggregate."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 196—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 225—An act authorizing the acceptance by the State Board of Harbor Commissioners on behalf of the State of certain real property in the city and county of San Francisco bordering on Islais Creek channel, and ratifying the act of said board in heretofore accepting conveyances of a portion of said property, and extending the jurisdiction of said board to the property so conveyed to the State.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 697—An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 730—An act concerning the acquisition by the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of lands lying seaward of the waterfront line of the city and county of San Francisco for purposes of commerce and navigation.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 738—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled, "An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco," approved June 3, 1921, and adding a new section thereto to be numbered 4*a*.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 777—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of National City, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved April 27, 1923.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a joint meeting of the Legislature.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 17.

Relative to a joint meeting of the Legislature.

WHEREAS, The Honorable Nathan Coombs, Department Commander, State of California of the American Legion and Captain S. N. Dancey, Americanization Officer of the State Department, will visit the city of Sacramento on Thursday, March 19, and

WHEREAS, Captain Dancey has a message which has been eloquently and effectively delivered to over eleven thousand meetings throughout this country; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the use of the Assembly Chamber be granted on the afternoon of Thursday, March 19, 1925, at three p.m., to the Honorable Nathan Coombs and Captain Dancey for the purpose of informing the members of the Legislature and the general public on Americanization.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(OUT OF ORDER).

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to national defense and oriental menace

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 16 read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 finally adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P Bernard, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartiantt, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lattle, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Rumner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Adams—1.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 16.

Relative to national defense and oriental menace.

WHEREAS, Honorable W. B. Shearer who is making a nationwide campaign to keep our people informed on the national defense and oriental menace will be available for an address on Wednesday, March 18, 1925, and

WHEREAS, The subject aforementioned is of peculiar interest and importance at this time; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the use of the Assembly Chamber be granted on the afternoon of March 18, 1925, at 3 p m, to the said Honorable W. B. Shearer for the purpose of informing members of the Legislature and the general public on the matter of national defense and oriental menace.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Rosenshine moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty-two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty-three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Rosenshine as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 253, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROSENSHINE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 364 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*c* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 866 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Millet, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 746 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to boards of parole commissioners in cities and counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 109 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—Campbell—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 209 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 683—An act to amend section 1357 of the Political Code, relating to the procuring of ballots by absent voters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 683 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 1131 of the Political Code, relating to the conduct of elections.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 120 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 373*a* of the Penal Code, relating to public nuisances.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 634 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—Browne, Cleveland, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—4.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, relating to public works by persons convicted of failure to provide for minor children.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 108 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger,

Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to establish in the State of California an educational institution for the care, supervision, education, training, discipline and employment of boys, to be known as the 'Whittier State School,'" approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to dismissals from such school.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 300 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 381—An act regulating the securing of wine for sacramental purposes, providing rules and regulations therefor and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Levey, the further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 381 was made a special order for Friday, March 20, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

Assembly Bill No. 268—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment, fine, and imprisonment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 268 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 23*a* of the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to permit for water rights.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 558 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1192 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 87—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 807*a* and 883*a*, providing for the filing with county clerks of certificates of election or appointment of judges of recorders' courts in cities of the fifth and sixth classes, and the certification by said county clerks of process issued by recorders' courts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 87 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell,

Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 6*a* of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to dental hygienists.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 815 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1185—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2210*h*, relating to pensions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1185 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to reports of the department encampment of the Spanish-American War Veterans.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt,

Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 11.

Relative to reports of the department encampment of the Spanish-American War Veterans

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That there shall be printed as a public document five hundred copies of the session of the department encampment of California of the Spanish-American War Veterans for the year 1925, and of each succeeding department encampment, together with illustrations, copies of general orders of the department and of the official roll, two hundred fifty copies for the use of the Senate and two hundred fifty copies for the use of the Assembly. Annual cost not to exceed $600, payable from legislative printing appropriation.

Senate Bill No. 129—An act to amend section 961 of the Political Code, relating to bonds of officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 129 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 329—An act to add a new chapter to part III title V of the Political Code to be numbered VI, embracing sections 2330 to 2347, inclusive, relating to the State Department of Public Welfare and its powers and duties, and repealing an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Charities and Corrections, prescribing its duties and powers, and appropriating money therefor" approved March 25, 1903, as amended; and repealing an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and control by the State Board of Charities and Corrections of the placing of dependent children in homes and for the supervision of all societies or organizations engaged in such work and known as 'children's home-finding societies'" approved April 24, 1911; and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, and institutions, boarding houses, and homes for the reception and care of children, by the State Board of Charities and Corrections, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1913, and repealing an act entitled "An act making it the duty of the State Board of Charities and Corrections to prescribe forms of record for the use of county hospitals and almshouses, county jails, and city prisons; and authorizing the board to furnish such records; and making the

neglect or failure on the part of superintendents and jailors in charge thereof to keep such records a misdemeanor" approved June 11, 1915.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 329 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, relating to the course of study in elementary schools and the age of admission of children into the elementary schools and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1662*a*, relating to the registration of minors.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to teachers, principals and supervisors.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1519*a*, of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State for and furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 15, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 289—An act to amend sections 408 and 409

of the Political Code, relating to the Secretary of State—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 481—An act to amend section 2178 of the Political Code, relating to hospital funds

Also: Assembly Bill No 912—An act to amend section 389 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Insurance Commissioner and salary of the deputy insurance commissioner,

Also Assembly Bill No 207—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*a*, relating to the duties of the Department of Public Works,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 922—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2526*a*, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners,

Also, Assembly Bill No 449—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to the fees of the Secretary of State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 17 of "the California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 10 of the "California Warehouse Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 744—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, with reference to the powers and duties of the commissioner of the said bureau and his deputies, so as to enlarge his power with reference to issuing subpoenas by making it a misdemeanor offense to wilfully ignore same, to add to the enumerated places of labor to which it shall be a misdemeanor offense to refuse him admission, or to furnish him statistics or information regarding, to provide for the collection of costs from defendants in official actions brought by the commissioner for wages and penalties due claimants, to give the said commissioner and his representatives the right to file in his own name preferred labor claims and "stop orders" on behalf of workers, and the right to apply directly to the courts for warrants for the violation of any of the labor laws delegated to him for enforcement, and to prosecute the criminal actions so instituted, with or without the consent and assistance of the district attorney of the county in which such actions are brought, and providing for the transfer by the commissioner of trust money uncalled for within one year by the claimants on whose behalf it was collected to the State Treasurer to be held by him in a "labor bureau fund" and to be paid out by him to the rightful claimants, or their successors and assigns, if they appear—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for professional engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 470—An act to establish a Department of Mines and Minerals for the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 626r, relating to protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 927—An act to repeal section 636c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 928—An act to repeal section 626d (one) of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to repeal section 632b of the Penal Code, relating to the use of salmon or steelhead roe as bait;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to repeal section 632b of the Penal Code, relating to protection of Sacramento perch and to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 933—An act to repeal section 628i of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to repeal section 626½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to repeal section 626p of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of black sea-brant;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to repeal section 636½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 626g of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of

market milk—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act, to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend sections 16 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 7, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy insurance;

Also Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and compensation of officers in counties of the forty-first class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of the Insurance Commissioner and of the Board of Equalization with respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted;

Also Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of reinsurance companies to reinsure the business of county fire insurance companies;

Also Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 4041*f*, 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. West:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to high school taxes and funds.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Miss Broughton:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Badham:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds", approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

By Mr. Sewell.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of re-establishing the said school elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Approving the charter of the city of Monterey, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Monterey at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the ninth day of March, 1925.

Also Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 read, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Eksward moved that the Journals of Monday, March 2, 1925; Tuesday, March 3, 1925; Wednesday, March 4, 1925; Thursday,

March 5, 1925; Friday, March 6, 1925; Saturday, March 7, 1925; Monday, March 9, 1925, and Tuesday, March 10, 1925, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Coombs waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 75 was refused passage.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Mueller moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 169 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. West waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 1179 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1179 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 21—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of judges of courts of record.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 21 read

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswurd, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Whitsell, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—59.

NOES—Cleveland, Graves, Louttit, and Mr. Speaker—4.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 21 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 21.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of judges of courts of record

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-sixth session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to amend section 17 of article VI of the constitution to read as follows

Sec. 17. The justices of the Supreme Court and of the district courts of appeal and the judges of the superior courts, shall severally, at stated times during their continuance in office, receive for their service such compensation as is or shall be provided by law. The salaries of the judges of the superior court, may be increased or diminished after their election or during the term for which they have been elected, and the Legislature may by general laws, provide for such salaries.

Upon the adoption of this amendment the salaries then established by law shall be paid uniformly to the justices and judges then in office. The salaries of the justices of the Supreme Court and the district courts of appeal shall be paid by the State. One-half of the salary of each superior court judge shall be paid by the State, and the other half thereof shall be paid by the county for which he is elected.

Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land.

Bill read third time

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Miss Broughton moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "obtained" strike out the word "written".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, after the word "lands" insert "or his agent, or the person in lawful possession thereof".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Miss Broughton as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 542, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BROUGHTON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend section 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 7, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Assembly Bill No. 434 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 434 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 812—An act to amend sections 6, 7, 9, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 812 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Bernard, Brockett, Broughton, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Deuel, Fry, Jacobson, Miller, J A, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—16.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 889—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 and to add a new section, to be numbered 9, relating to constitutionality to an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved May 29, 1913, as amended, relating to the ventilation and sanitation of camps.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cloudman moved that Assembly Bill No. 889 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 889 re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Assembly Bill No. 780—An act to provide for the appointment of rural supervisors of schools in certain cases.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Anderson, R. J., moved that Assembly Bill No. 780 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 780 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 433—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to the sale and use of veronal.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 433 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—60.

NOES—Burns, Fry, Lyons, Morrison, Reindollar, and Williamson—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Miss Miller moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, after the words "medical attendance", insert the words "or other remedial care."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Miss Miller as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 127, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MILLER, ELEANOR, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of reinsurance companies to reinsure the business of county fire insurance companies.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Assembly Bill No. 561 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 561 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1203 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 723 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell,

Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 164 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Ekswald, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended and to add a new section thereto to be known as section 8*h*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 443 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the twenty-ninth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 182 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller,

Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to national defense and Oriental menace—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. West, Spence and Burns as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 39*f* thereof, relating to the payment of tolls and charges for the use of water and making the same a lien upon the lands upon which such water is used and making the same a part of the annual assessment levied by said district.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 971—An act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of regional or county planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1093—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to persons exempt from the provisions hereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 999—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los

Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County.
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Anderson, R. J., moved that Assembly Bill No. 780 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 780 re-referred to Committee on Education.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 753—An act to provide for the approval of plans for the construction or alteration of county jails by the Immigration and Housing Commission;

Also Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act known as the "Water Commission Act" and entitled "An act to regulate the use of water which is subject to such control by the State of California, and in that behalf creating a State Water Commission, specifying and providing for the appointment of the members of said commission; fixing the terms of office and compensation of the members of said commission, fixing the powers, duties and authority of said commission and its members; providing for the filling of vacancies in the membership of said commission; providing for the removal from office of the appointed members of said commission, providing for the cooperation of courts with said commission; providing that certain courts shall take judicial notice of certain acts of the State Water Commission; specifying the duties of all persons summoned as witnesses before said commission or any of its members; appropriating money for carrying out the provisions of this act, providing for the payment of the indebtedness and expenses of said commission, its members and employees, declaring what water is unappropriated, providing for the utilization of water and the works necessary to such utilization to the full capacity of streams or of such portion or portions of such capacity as the public good may require; declaring what water may be appropriated; declaring that the nonapplication for ten consecutive years of any portion of the waters of any stream to lands riparian to such stream shall be conclusive presumption that the use of such nonapplied water is not needed on said riparian lands for a useful or beneficial purpose; declaring that such nonapplied water shall be deemed to be in the use of the State and subject to appropriation; declaring the duties of those who desire to appropriate water; declaring the periods for which water may be appropriated and the conditions under which water may be appropriated; providing for the payment of fees and charges by the applicants for permission to appropriate water and by the appropriators of water; providing for the ascertainment and adjudication of water rights, providing for the bringing of actions by certain persons, or, upon the direction of the State Water Commission, by the Attorney General, for the quieting of title to water rights; specifying certain duties of the claimants, possessors or users of water or water rights; declaring water rights forfeited under certain conditions, regulating the appropriation of water, excepting cities, cities and counties, municipal water districts, irrigation districts and lighting districts from certain provisions of this act; defining certain words and terms used in this act; repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act; declaring how this act shall be known; making legislative declaration concerning those parts of this act which may not be declared unconstitutional," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 7, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 39 thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 139—An act to amend section 360*d* of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction of the Department of Finance;

Also: Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 753 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 239 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 139 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No 212 read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 68—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipal improvement districts where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such districts voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness;

Also. Senate Bill No. 476—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities, for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such districts to meet the cost of such improvements, and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements," approved April 20, 1915, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 11½, providing for the disposition of money raised by the sale of bonds under said act, whenever it has by resolution been declared to be no longer necessary to expend said money for the purpose for which the bonds were voted by reason of the fact that such purpose has been accomplished by other means;

Also. Senate Bill No 473—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains, and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements, to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 68 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No 476 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 473 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 67—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization of municipal improvement districts and declaring the urgency of said act;

Also Senate Bill No 254—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 255—An act to validate and legalize all bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold by municipal utility districts where authority for such issuance has already been given by vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such districts voting at an election held for that purpose, and declaring the urgency of said act

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 67 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 254 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 255 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in the State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921;

Also: Senate Bill No. 213—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*a*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines;

Also: Senate Bill No. 508—An act to amend sections 598 of the Civil Code, relating to property of religious corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 591 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations for the formation of chambers of commerce, boards of trade, mechanics' institutes, and other kindred associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 776—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions on devises for charitable uses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 433—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1054*a*, relating to the postponement of a trial and the extension of time within which an act is to be done when the attorney of record in or the party to any action is in attendance upon a session of the Legislature as a member thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 3465 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed salt marsh and tidelands;

Also: Senate Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Senate Bill No. 540—An act to amend section 626*p* of the Political Code, relating to the protection of beaver;

Also: Senate Bill No. 533—An act to enable the Electro Metals Company, a trust organization, or its trustees or officers to sue the State of California

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 422 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 213 read first time, and referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

Senate Bill No. 508 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 418 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 776 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 433 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 779 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 81 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 540 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 533 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Murphy:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*xy*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Siskiyou.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 17, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 17, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Robert B. McAulay of the Fremont Presbyterian Church of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Anderson, R. J., its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Cloudman, Mr. Scofield was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Messrs. F. S. Cairns and C. E. Brown of St. Helena, Napa County, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Duval, Mr. Raymond B. Dunlap and daughters, Misses Dorothy and Marjorie, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Miller, J. A., Mr. W. Gerehls of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Roland, Mr. T. J. Mitchell of Oakland, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr Oliva, Mr. Victor A. Sbragia of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Miller, J. A., Mr. and Mrs. Louis Strohl of San Francisco were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 4—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 15 of article XIII thereof, relating to the taxation of publicly owned utilities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 766—An act to amend section 737*h* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges of the county of Santa Barbara;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assemsembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action;

Also Assembly Bill No 88—An act to amend section 496 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for receiving stolen property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend section 19*x*27 of the "Juvemile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers.

Also Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 581*a*, relating to returns on writs of attachments

Also Assembly Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment;

Has had the same under consideration, and respecttully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to service of writs, notices and other process in justices' courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 286—An act to amend sections 2959, 2965 and 2966 of the Civil Code, relating to mortgages on personal property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 288—An act to amend sections 4130, 4140 and 4300*c*, of the Political Code, relating to recorders and fees;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

LOUTTIT, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing combination insurance policies—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to election precincts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 140—An act to amend section 464 of the Penal Code, relating to burglary with acetylene torch, electric arc or explosives;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 562—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 632½, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1074—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce a bill was presented:

By Mr Hartranft:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

The following report of the joint committee appointed to investigate and report upon the conditions at Delhi was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

To the Members of the Senate and Assembly.

In January, 1925, this Legislature adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9, which provides as follows:

"WHEREAS, It appears that considerable refinancing of the State Land Settlement at Delhi will be asked at this forty-sixth session of the Legislature and that it is advisable that this Legislature have full first hand information as to the conditions at Delhi, therefore

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That a committee of six members, consisting of three members of the Assembly and three members of the Senate, be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly and the President of the Senate, respectively, to visit Delhi during the constitutional recess and to fully inquire into the situation at Delhi and to report back its findings to this Legislature soon after its reconvening February 24, 1925."

The undersigned, constituting the joint committee appointed under this resolution, pursuant to its terms, visited the Delhi Settlement during the constitutional recess and made a careful investigation of the existing conditions

Your committee went over a considerable part of the land of the settlement, called upon a number of the settlers, discussed their problems, held informal hearings at which a number of the settlers appeared and gave their views We also had a formal hearing at which all settlers, who requested it, were permitted to testify and at which representatives of the former and present administrations of the settlement testified orally and filed as exhibits elaborate statements of the financial conditions and needs of the settlement A stenographic report of these formal proceedings together with said exhibits, is filed herewith

Your committee's findings as to the conditions at Delhi are as follows:

(1) That the State purchased the Delhi land consisting of about 8400 acres, and installed an irrigation system, utilizing underground concrete pipe, during the period of high prices that prevailed in 1919 and for a few years thereafter.

(2) That it sold more than half of the land to settlers during the same period on long term contracts on a first payment of five per cent of the purchase price. The remaining portion of said land is still unsold, and consists of approximately 3300 acres.

(3) That the average size of each settler's farm is about 26 6 acres and the average price per acre agreed to be paid is about $229. This includes land, water right and main pipe line, but not individual pipe.

(4) That the average date of existing contracts with settlers is about October 1, 1921.

(5) That the average cost to the settler in planting his land, erecting buildings, residence and other improvements is about $3,762 56, or about $141 60 per acre.

(6) That the amount required each year to meet payments to the State, taxes, irrigation taxes and irrigation maintenance is about $33 49 per acre.

(7) That the average initial capital of these settlers was about $3,000, though many were accepted who had much less

(8) That a great part of the acreage has been planted to fruit, which will not produce for several years. That 38% of the farms have produced no income to date, and for those that have, the average has been $451 20 per farm, or an average of about $17 per acre

(9) That State funds for Delhi have been depleted. The loans promised to settlers for use on their farms have not been made in many instances.

(10) That Delhi settlers have suffered in common with all other agricultural interests due to well known economic conditions affecting farmers in general

(11) That a large number of the settlers have invested their original capital in this land and improvements and a large number have borrowed money from the

State for improvements and equipment. Their only property interests consist of equities in the lands and equipment and they are unable to borrow from private sources, consequently a large number of these settlers are unable to meet their obligations to the Land Settlement Board.

(12) The project as a whole has been, and now is, a financial failure. The settlers were led to expect too much, in several instances they were granted greater loans than the Land Settlement Act permitted

In a number of instances chattel mortgages were made by settlers to the board securing loans made by the board. Later the mortgaged chattels were sold by the mortgagors and the loans were not repaid to the board

Furthermore, in addition to the general expectation of more help than is economically sound or larger loans than was financially or legally proper, many of the settlers came to the colony with the distinct belief that the State would act as a sort of guardian angel or Santa Claus and "see them through", as they expressed it.

The final consideration of this problem has led your committee to recommend that the State of California should never enter into another land settlement scheme.

(13) The above mentioned conditions demonstrating the general failure of the plan, added to the fact that the settlers have been unable to meet their obligations to the Land Settlement Board and to the further fact that a portion of the land purchased was of nominal value only, has prevented the Land Settlement Board from making the payments due by it to the State according to the terms of the Land Settlement Act. All of these facts and conditions have tended to raise the average price of the land sold as well as those lands to be sold and have materially aided in preventing the sale of more tracts of land

(14) That many of the settlers are not able to finance themselves and, unless the State will finance them, as they were led to believe, when they agreed to purchase this land, they will undoubtedly abandon their contracts and the State will have the partially developed land on its hands.

(15) That the reduction in farm values has been so great, averaging 33⅓% or more since the purchase and improvement of these lands by the State, that a corresponding change in its prices will necessarily have to be made if the unsold lands are to be sold and the sold lands are to remain sold

(16) That the present expense of administration has been reduced to practical necessities only, except that the State still pays the chairman of the Land Settlement Board an annual salary of $6,000.00. This expense is not now necessary

(17) That the present administration of the settlement is highly efficient and economical

As a conclusion from these findings your committee recommends legislation as follows

(1) An appropriation of $250,000 to pay existing obligations and operating expenses, to be repaid to the State with interest.

(2) An appropriation of $350,000 for the Land Settlement Board with which to pay to the State its arrears in interest, which is merely a method of balancing the books of the Land Settlement Board

(3) An amendment to the Land Settlement Act authorizing a reduction in price of unsold lands and a revision of existing contracts with settlers to meet present price conditions.

(4) An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Land Settlement Act and providing that no interest shall be charged to the Land Settlement Board from the first day of July, 1925, or from the date the act takes effect, in case the latter date is subsequent to July 1, 1925, and up to June 30, 1930.

Your committee has prepared and offered bills for the above purposes It believes that the suggested legislation offers the best solution of the Delhi problem, and it is the opinion of your committee that if the legislation herewith proposed is enacted that no further appropriation to or on behalf of the Delhi settlers and Land Settlement Board will be necessary and no such further appropriations should ever be allowed.

Respectfully submitted.

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HOLLISTER.
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BROCK.
CLOUDMAN.
ANDERSON, R. J.

The Speaker ordered the above report referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 685—An act to amend section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens and filing of the same for record.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 543 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to garnishment in aid of attachment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

Upon application of the plaintiff or his attorney at any time after the filing of a complaint and the issuance of a writ of attachment and during the pendency of an action, the clerk must, in addition to the summons provided for in Section 406 of this Code, issue a garnishment summons, which garnishment summons so issued shall be under the seal of the court signed by the clerk and shall be substantially in the following form

Title of the cause, number and the words garnishment summons: The people of the State of California, to _____, garnishee defendant, greeting,

You are hereby required to appear in the above entitled cause as a garnishee defendant, and to answer this summons within ten days, exclusive of the day of service if served within this county, and within thirty days if served outside of this county, which answer shall be made fully to each of the following questions, under oath,

First Are you in any manner indebted to the defendant? State the facts fully

Second Have you in your possession any moneys, credits or other personal property belonging to the defendant or in which he has an interest?

And you are further notified to keep and hold any and all moneys, credits or other personal property belonging to or in which the defendant has an interest in your possession until the further order of this court in the premises.

If you shall fail to answer this garnishment summons within the time prescribed herein, the plaintiff will take judgment against you as garnishee defendant for the amount allowed him as judgment in said action

Upon receiving such a garnishment summons, the sheriff must serve upon the garnishee defendant named therein, a copy of said garnishment summons together with a copy of the writ.

Upon the filing by the garnishee defendant of his answer to said garnishment summons, the plaintiff may traverse or deny the facts stated in the answer of the garnishee defendant, and on serving a copy of such traverse or denial on the garnishee defendant, or on his attorney, the plaintiff, on proper notice may have such issue set down for hearing before the court, and upon the plaintiff successfully contesting the answer of the garnishee defendant he shall have judgment against the garnishee defendant for the delivery to the sheriff of the amount of moneys, or the delivery of the credits or other personal property in the hands of the garnishee defendant belonging to or in which the defendant has an interest; said moneys, credits or other personal property to be held and applied by the sheriff to the satisfaction of plaintiff's judgment. If, however, the garnishee's answer be sustained by the court, he shall have judgment against the plaintiff for his costs expended in that behalf.

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, to be numbered 13, relating to inclusion and exclusion of territory in public cemetery districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "cause", insert the following: "a"

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title after the word "amend", insert the following: "Section three"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In the twelfth line of the title after the word "amended", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "relating to the powers and duties of the real estate commission."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

In line 1 of the printed bill, following the period after the figure "1" insert the following: "Section three of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a state real estate department and the office of real estate commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of real estate commissioner and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act,' approved May 27, 1919, as amended," is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 3. There is hereby created a state real estate department. The chief officer of such department shall be the real estate commissioner. He shall be appointed by the governor and hold office at the pleasure of the governor. He shall receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars, to be paid monthly out of the state treasury upon a warrant of the controller. He shall within fifteen days from the time of notice of his appointment take and subscribe to the constitutional oath of office, and file the same in the office of the secretary of state and execute to the people of the State of California a bond in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars executed by two or more sureties, or by a surety company duly authorized to do business in this state, to be approved by the governor of the state, for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office. The real estate commissioner shall have full power to regulate and control the issuance and revocation, both temporary and permanent, of the licenses to be issued under the provisions of this act, and to perform all other acts and duties provided in this act and necessary for its enforcement. The real estate commissioner shall publish or cause to be published on or about March first and August first of each year a directory or list of licensed brokers and salesmen and may publish therewith such matter as he may deem pertinent to the act, and shall mail one copy of such directory to each licensed broker without charge. The real estate commissioner shall employ such deputies, clerks and assistants as he may need to discharge in proper manner the duties imposed upon him

by law. Neither the real estate commissioner, nor any of his deputies, clerks or assistants shall be interested in any real estate company or real estate broker as director, stockholder, officer, member, agent or employee. The real estate commissioner shall also publish or cause to be published semi-annually, bulletins containing statistical or descriptive matter concerning real estate conditions and the agricultural and other attractions of the various districts of the State of California, to be mailed to real estate brokers and home-seekers without charge, and may employ such deputies, clerks and assistants as he may deem necessary for all research work required for this purpose, provided the total expense of such work and the issuing of such bulletins shall not exceed the sum of twenty million dollars for each fiscal year. Such deputies, clerks and assistants shall perform such duties as the real estate commissioner shall assign to them. The real estate commissioner shall fix the compensation of such deputies, clerks and assistants, which compensation shall be paid monthly on a certificate of the real estate commissioner and on the warrant of the controller out of the state treasury. Each deputy shall, after his appointment, take and subscribe to the constitutional oath of office and file the same in the office of the secretary of state."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and all but the last two words of line 15.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following ", which would tend to deprive the litigant of any substantial right."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, after the word "court", insert the following "unless made in the immediate presence of such court".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code, in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "recorded", insert the following: "No resolution of acceptance of any deed or grant conveying real estate or any interest therein, or easement thereon, shall be necessary, when such deed or grant of real estate or any interest therein, or easement thereon, is made to the "veterans welfare board" of the State of California."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed; defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof; authorizing the Director of Agriculture to

establish stations for the inspection and certification of cotton seed, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California; prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Murray moved that Assembly Bill No. 168 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 168 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the growing of one variety or species of cotton, to wit, Acala, in certain prescribed and defined districts in the State of California; to prohibit the picking or harvesting of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the possession within such district for the purpose of planting any seeds or plants of any variety of species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the ginning of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such district; defining such districts; and fixing the penalty for a violation of this act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to appropriate money to be used as a revolving fund by the Sixth District Agricultural Association for the purpose of creating, installing and maintaining special expositions at Exposition Park, Los Angeles," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384*b*, relating to the protection of the California poppy.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, relating to the course of study in elementary schools and the age of admission of children into the elementary schools and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1662*a*, relating to the registration of minors.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1120—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to teachers, principals and supervisors.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 327—An act to amend section 1519*a*, of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public

high schools of the State for and furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 481—An act to amend section 2158 of the Political Code, relating to hospital funds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 6, after the period after the word "month", add the following "*provided*, that nothing in this section shall affect in any manner the funds known as the industrial or amusement funds."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 912—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Insurance Commissioner and salary of the Deputy Insurance Commissioner.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Amend title by striking out after the words "salary of the insurance commissioner" the words "and salary of the deputy insurance commissioner".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*i*, relating to the duties of the Department of Public Works.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "sixty-three *i*" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sixty-five *d*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "Department of Public Works" and insert in lieu thereof the words "California Highway Commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sixty-three *i*" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sixty-five *d*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, lines 4 and 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Department of Public Works" and insert in lieu thereof the words "California Highway Commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Department" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Department of Public Works" and insert in lieu thereof the words "California Highway Commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Department" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Commission".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2526*a*, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to the fees of the Secretary of State.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 17 of "the California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 10 of the "California Warehouse Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, with reference to the powers and duties of the commissioner of the said bureau and his deputies, so as to enlarge his power with reference to issuing subpoenas by making it a misdemeanor offense to wilfully ignore same, to add to the enumerated places of labor to which it shall be a misdemeanor offense to refuse him admission, or to furnish him statistics or information regarding, to provide for the collection of costs from defendants in official actions brought by the commissioner for wages and penalties due claimants, to give the said commissioner and his representatives the right to file in his own name preferred labor claims and "stop orders" on behalf of workers, and the right to apply directly to the courts for warrants for the violation of any of the labor laws delegated to him for enforcement, and to prosecute the criminal actions so instituted, with or without the consent and assistance of the district attorney of the county in which such actions are brought, and providing for the transfer by the commissioner of trust money uncalled for within one year by the claimants on whose behalf it was collected to the State Treasurer to be held by him in a "labor bureau

fund" and to be paid out by him to the rightful claimants, or their successors and assigns, if they appear.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a state board of registration for professional engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read second time, ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 626*v*, relating to protection of game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 927—An act to repeal section 636*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 928—An act to repeal section 626*d* (one) of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the use of salmon or steelhead roe as bait.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 932—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of Sacramento perch and to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 933—An act to repeal section 628*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to repeal section 626½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to repeal section 626*p* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of black sea-brant.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to repeal section 636½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law" of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of line six and insert in lieu thereof the following: "any hospital to its patients, or by any hotel, boarding house, restaurant or dining car".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California." approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "other", insert the word "material".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 4, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "branch", strike out the word "therefor" and insert in lieu thereof the word "thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 9, of the printed bill, after the comma, strike out the numerals "1923" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "1925".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 19, of the printed bill, after the comma, strike out the numerals "1923" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "1925"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 36, of the printed bill, after the comma, strike out the numerals "1923" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "1925"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 470—An act to establish a Department of Mines and Minerals for the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

An act establishing a state department of mines and mineral resources, creating the office of director of said department, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof, providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the state mining bureau, including the department of petroleum and gas;

creating a state mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a state mining bureau, creating the office of state mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties, to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a state mining bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the state mining bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the state mining bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said state mining bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a state mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the state mining bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows

SECTION 1. This act shall be known and cited as the "Department of mines and mineral resources act."

SEC. 2. There is hereby created and established a state department of mines and mineral resources. The chief officer of such department shall be the director, which office is hereby created.

SEC 3. Wherever the term "mine" is used in this act it shall include all mineral-bearing properties of whatever kind and character, whether underground, quarry, pit, well, spring or other source from which any mineral substance is or may be obtained. The term "mineral" shall include any and all mineral products, both metallic and non-metallic, solid, liquid, or gaseous, and mineral waters of whatever kind or character, that are now or may hereafter become of economic value. "Director" shall mean the director of the state department of mines and mineral resources. "Department" shall mean the state department of mines and mineral resources.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the governor of the State of California and he is hereby empowered to appoint a citizen and resident of this state, having a practical and scientific knowledge of mining and geology, to the office of director. Said director shall hold his office at the pleasure of the governor. He shall be a civil executive officer. He shall take and subscribe the same oath of office as other state officers. He shall receive for his services a salary of three hundred dollars ($300) per month, to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of other state officers. He shall also receive his necessary traveling expenses when traveling on the business of his office. He shall give bonds for the faithful performance of his duties in the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000), said bond to be approved by the governor of the State of California.

SEC 5. Said director shall employ competent geologists, field assistants, qualified specialists and office employees when necessary in the execution of his plans and operations of the department and fix their compensation, subject to the approval of the state board of control. The said employees shall be allowed their necessary traveling expenses when traveling on the business of said department.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of said director to make, facilitate, and encourage special studies of the mines, geology, mineral resources and mineral industries of the state. It shall be his duty: to collect statistics concerning the occurrence and production of the economically important minerals and the methods pursued in making their valuable constituents available for commercial uses, to make a collection of typical geological and mineralogical specimens, especially those of economic and commercial importance, such collections constituting the museum of the department; to provide a library of books, reports, drawings, bearing upon the mineral industries, and sciences of mineralogy and geology, and arts of mining and metallurgy, such library constituting the library of the department, to make a collection of models, drawings and descriptions of the mechanical appliances used in mining and metallurgical processes; to preserve and so maintain such collections and library as to make them available for reference and examination, and open to public inspection at reasonable hours; to maintain, in effect, a bureau of information concerning all the mineral industries of this state, to consist of such collections and library, and to arrange, classify, catalogue, and index the data therein contained, in a manner to make the information available to those desiring it; to issue from time to time such bulletins as he may deem advisable concerning the statistics and technology of the mineral industries of this state.

SEC. 7. It is hereby made the duty of the owner, lessor, lessee, agent, manager or other person in charge of each and every mine and mineral property of whatever kind or character, within the state, to forward to the director of the state department

of mines and mineral resources, upon his request at his office not later than the thirty-first day of March, in each year, a detailed report upon forms which will be furnished showing the character of the mineral property, the number of men then employed, the method of working such mineral property and the general condition thereof, the total mineral production for the past year with its value, and such owner, lessor, lessee, agent, manager or other person in charge of any mineral property within the state must furnish whatever information relative to such mineral property as the director may from time to time require for the proper discharge of his official duties. Any owner, lessor, lessee agent, manager or other person in charge of each and every mineral property of whatever kind and character within the state, who fails to comply with the above provisions shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 8. The state mineralogist now performing the duties of the office of state mineralogist shall perform the duties of the office of director as in this act provided until the appointment and qualification of his successor as in this act provided.

SEC. 9. The said director shall take possession, charge and control of the offices now occupied and used by the state mineralogist and the museum, library and laboratory of the state mining bureau located in San Francisco as provided for by a certain act of the legislature approved June 16, 1913, and hereafter referred to in section sixteen (16) hereof, and shall maintain such offices, museum, library, laboratory, and all branch offices, for the purpose provided in this act.

SEC. 10. Said director or qualified assistant shall have full power and authority at any time to enter or examine any and all mines and mineral properties, mills, reduction works, refining works, or other mineral-working plants in this state in order to gather data to comply with the provisions of this act, said authority and that conferred in section seven hereinbefore provided being hereby declared as necessary in the exercise of the police power of the state, in order to protect and promote the development of the mineral resources within the State of California.

SEC. 11. The director shall make a biennial report to Governor on or before the fifteenth day of September next preceding the regular session of the legislature

SEC. 12 All moneys received by the state department of mines and mineral resources (except such as may be paid to them by the state for disbursement) shall be receipted for by the director or other officer authorized by him to act in his place and at least once a month accounted for by him to the state controller and paid into the state treasury to the credit of a fund which is hereby created and designated "state mineral resources fund" All the moneys now in the possession of the state mining bureau or any officer thereof received from any source whatsoever shall be immediately paid over to the director and by him accounted for to the controller and paid into the state treasury to credit of said fund. Said fund shall be used for printing publications of the department and is hereby appropriated, in addition to any other moneys appropriated, for the use of said department at the discretion of the director subject to the approval of the state board of control in carrying out the purposes of this act.

SEC. 13. The said director is hereby authorized and empowered to receive on behalf of this state, for the use and benefit of the department, gifts, bequests, devises and legacies of real or other property and to use the same in accordance with the wishes of the donors, and if no instructions are given by said donors, to manage, use, and dispose of the gifts and bequests and legacies for the best interests of said department and in such manner as he may deem proper

SEC 14 The director may, whenever he deems it advisable prepare a special collection of ores and minerals of California to be sent to or used at any world's fair or exposition in order to display the mineral wealth of the state.

SEC 15 The director is hereby empowered to fix a price upon and to dispose of to the public at such price, any and all publications of the department, including reports, bulletins, maps, registers or other publications Such price shall approximate the cost of publication and distribution Any and all sums derived from such disposition, or from gifts or bequests made, as hereinbefore provided must be accounted for by said director and turned over to the state treasurer to be credited to the "state mineral resources fund" as provided for in section twelve. He is also empowered to furnish without cost to public libraries the publications of the department, and to exchange publications with other geological surveys and scientific societies, etc.

SEC 16 The director provided for by this act shall be the successor in interest of the state mineralogist, under and by virtue of that certain act, entitled "An act establishing a state mining bureau, creating the office of state mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties, providing for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution for defrauding swindling and cheating therein, creating a state mining bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the state mining bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the state

mining bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said state mining bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a state mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the state mining bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913, and all books, papers, documents, personal property, records, and property of every kind and description obtained or possessed, or held or controlled by the said state mineralogist, and the clerks and employees thereof, under the provisions of said act of June 16, 1913, or any act supplemental thereto or amendatory thereof, shall immediately be turned over and delivered to the said director herein provided for, who shall have charge and control thereof.

SEC 17 The director provided for by this act shall be the successor in interest of the state mineralogist, under and by virtue of that certain act, entitled: "An act establishing and creating a department of the state mining bureau for the protection of the natural resources of petroleum and gas from waste and destruction through improper operations in production, providing for the appointment of a state oil and gas supervisor; prescribing his duties and powers, fixing his compensation, providing for the appointment of deputies and employees; providing for their duties and compensation, providing for the inspection of petroleum and gas wells; requiring all persons operating petroleum and gas wells to make certain reports; providing procedure for arbitration of departmental rulings, creating a fund for the purposes of the act; providing for assessment of charges to be paid by operators and providing for the collection thereof; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved June 10, 1915, and all acts amendatory thereof which are expressly continued in force; and all books, papers, documents, personal property, records and property of every kind and description obtained or possessed, or held or controlled by the state mineralogist, and the clerks and employees thereof, under the provisions of said act of June 10, 1915, or any act supplemental thereto, or amendatory thereof, shall immediately be turned over and delivered to the said director herein provided for, who shall have charge and control thereof and wherever in said act of June 10, 1915, and all acts amendatory thereof the words "state mining bureau" appear they shall mean the "state department of mines and mineral resources", and wherever the words "state mineralogist" appear they shall mean the "director".

SEC. 18. When the state corporation commissioner shall receive any application for permit to sell or issue securities as defined by the "Corporate Securities Act", in a mining, oil, or other mineral property, it shall be the duty of the state corporation commissioner to advise the director of the state department of mines and mineral resources relative to such application. Said director shall thereupon furnish to said commissioner such necessary data and information on said mineral property as may be on file in the records of the department, together with such additional data and facts as may be required through specific examination of the mineral property involved; said data as furnished by the director to the corporation commissioner shall be regarded as confidential between said departments and shall be used by said commissioner in his consideration of such applications for permits.

SEC 19. It shall be the duty of the director of qualified assistant to examine for mineral classification such state lands as are administered by the state surveyor general under that certain act entitled "An act to reserve all minerals in state lands; to provide for examination, classification and report on the mineral and other character of state lands, to provide for the granting of permits and leases to prospect for and take any such minerals; to provide for the rents and royalties to be paid, and granting certain preference rights; to provide for the making of rules, regulations and contracts necessary to carry out the purposes of this act; and repealing acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith providing for an appropriation to defray the cost of administering this act," approved May 26, 1921, and the director shall furnish to the said surveyor general such data and information as he may require in determining upon the leasing or other disposal of said state mineral-bearing lands.

SEC. 20 That certain act entitled "An act establishing a state mining bureau, creating the office of state mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties, providing for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and prosecution for defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a state mining bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the state mining bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the state mining bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said state mining bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties and compensation of a state mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the state mining

bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1923, is hereby repealed

SEC 21. If any clause, sentence, paragraph or part of this act shall for any reason be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which said judgment shall have been rendered. The legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act irrespective of the fact that any clause, sentence, paragraph or part thereof shall be declared unconstitutional.

SEC. 22 All acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 15—Relative to adjournment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON MINES AND MINING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 137—An act to provide for the regulation, control, and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens, to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DILLINGER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows

By Mr. Brock An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds

By Mr. Anderson, D P. An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools.

By Mr. West: An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to high school taxes and funds.

By Miss Broughton: An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools

By Mr. Badham An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities

By Mr. Sewell: An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the

property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of re-establishing the said school elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale.

By Mr. Murphy: An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*xy*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Siskiyou.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Eksward moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Bernard moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 999—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 999 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 859—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 859 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 562—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Assembly Bill No 562 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 562 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 140—An act to amend section 464 of the Penal Code, relating to burglary with explosives.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 140 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Loutit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1093—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power

to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to persons exempt from the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Little moved that Assembly Bill No. 1093 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1093 re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 971—An act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of regional or county planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 971 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Williamson—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH

At ten o'clock and fifteen minutes a. m., further proceedings under the call of the House was dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward.

The roll of absentees was called, and the report of the Committee on Introduction of Bills adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartiantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Minter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 39*f* thereof, relating to the payment of tolls and charges for the use of water and making the same a lien upon the lands upon which such water is used and making the same a part of the annual assessment levied by said district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 320 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Jost, and Williamson—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Weller moved that Assembly Bill No. 1083 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Corporations.

The question being on re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1083 to the Committee on Corporations.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Foster, Scudder, McDowell, Badham and Weller, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the question of re-referring Assembly Bill No. 1083 to Committee on Corporations.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 1083 to Committee on Corporations passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Easley, Graves, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Rosenshine, Runner, Sewell, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—23.

Assembly Bill No. 1083 ordered re-referred to Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McPherson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 13 and 14 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

2 If within seven years from the time that authority to construct the bridge, wharf, chute, or pier was granted by the board of supervisors, or within such further time as said board may lawfully grant the bridge, wharf, chute, or pier is not

completed; *provided, however,* that the board of supervisors may from time to time by order extend the time of completion beyond seven years, if the actual and physical work of constructing such bridge, wharf, chute, or pier has been diligently prosecuted from the time of commencement thereof up to the time that application for such extension or extensions beyond seven years is presented to the board of supervisors.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McPherson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1176, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McPHERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to article VI of the constitution of the State, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 26 of said article, relating to an allowance to certain judicial officers after resignation.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25 read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—Cleveland, and Runner—2

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 25.

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to article VI of the constitution of the State, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 26 of said article, relating to a salary allowance to certain judicial officers upon the termination of their active term of office, and to their eligibility for further judicial duties.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California, that article VI of the constitution of the State of California be amended by adding to said article VI a new section, to be known as section 26 of said article VI, and to read as follows:

SEC. 26. Any justice of the Supreme Court, justice of the district court of appeal, or judge of the superior court, of the State of California, having served for a period aggregating not less than twenty-four years as a judge of any one or more of the above named courts, and having attained the age of sixty years, whose active term of office shall have terminated in any manner other than by impeachment, who shall file with the Secretary of State a verified statement giving his name, age, residence, length of time served as such judicial officer and the name of the last court of which he was a judge, shall thereafter and during the residue of his natural life, receive from the State a salary equal to one-half of the salary received by him immediately preceding the termination of his active term of office. Said salary shall be payable

out of the general fund in the State Treasury, monthly, in equal installments on the last day of each month in the same manner as salaries of State officers are payable.

Any judge herein referred to not physically or mentally incapacitated may, if otherwise qualified, sit as judge in any court in which he was eligible to sit immediately preceding the termination of his active term of office, and in any court of record inferior thereto, *provided*, that he shall perform active judicial duties only upon the request of a court or judge as provided by sections 4 and 8 of this article. Said judge shall be entitled to receive such compensation while performing active duties, in addition to his salary hereinbefore referred to, as the Legislature may by general law prescribe.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 the following Senators, Sharkey, Canepa, and Christian, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 477—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 477 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 196—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 196 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 225—An act authorizing the acceptance by the State Board of Harbor Commissioners on behalf of the State of certain real property in the city and county of San Francisco bordering on Islais Creek Channel, and ratifying the act of said board in heretofore accepting conveyances of a portion of said property, and extending the jurisdiction of said board to the property so conveyed to the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 225 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to national defense and Oriental menace—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Sharkey, Canepa, and Christian, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

WEST,
SPENCE,
BURNS,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Coombs, Davis, and Dayton as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 697—An act empowering and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss or damage by

fire or other disaster the property of the State of California located on the water front of San Francisco, California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 697 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Deuel, Dillinger, Heisinger, Louttit, Murphy, Runner, Smith, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—12.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

In explanation of my vote against Senate Bill No. 697, authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to insure against loss by fire or other disaster the property of the State located on the water front of San Francisco:

First, I desire to say that the policy of the State has been in the past to carry its own risks in such matters and this bill sets aside that policy.

Second, nearly all the large private concerns in our country carry their own risks much more cheaply than can be done through insurance companies and our State with its many millions of dollars worth of property surely can do as well in the future as it has done in the past.

Third, if our Board of Control should find that we should have such risks specially provided for, in my opinion it should recommend to the Legislature, legislation as would provide against such risks which in my judgment should be money reserves set aside regularly to meet such contingencies.

Fourth, if this bill is approved by the Governor, I fear it will be the opening wedge which will cause other legislation along this same line until all of our institutions will be insured by the big foreign insurance companies to the detriment and financial loss to our State.

S. L. HEISINGER.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 the following Senators: Inman, Jones, and Tubbs, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relative to national defense and Oriental menace—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Inman, Jones, and Tubbs, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following

That Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 be amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8."

COOMBS,
DAVIS,
DAYTON,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendment.

The roll was called, and the report and amendment adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eskward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to amend section 1547 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices of sale;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476b, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to arson;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to liability of innkeepers:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 977—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualifications of judges.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 794—An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, by the State Board of Health, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act to amend sections 1 and 17 and to add a new section to be numbered 17½ to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a State Hospital for the Insane to be located in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BROCK, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class—, has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 565—An act to amend section 3454 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed, salt marsh and tidelands—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends it do pass as amended

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER, Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district, and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the state in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations, and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21½, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the dairy control fund;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 574—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county park districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific Ocean, unless such dwellings or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Browne:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to validate the proceedings on organization and formation and the organization and formation of Round Valley Irrigation District, an irrigation district organized and existing under the California Irrigation District Act.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mrs. Dorris:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60 and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q* and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors, and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Roland:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlements by executors and administrators.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Brock: Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Anderson, D. P.: Assembly Bill No 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. West: Assembly Bill No 1244—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to high school taxes and funds.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Badham: Assembly Bill No 1245—An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within the municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grade of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of re-establishing the said school elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 1247—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ry*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Siskiyou

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Broughton: Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Spalding: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to protective tariff on cherries.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 32—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED)

Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 127 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15—Relating to adjournment—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 123—An act to add three new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 366, 366*a*, and 366*b*, relating to liens of vendors of feed for live stock and poultry;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the growing of one variety or species of cotton, to wit, Acala, in certain prescribed and defined districts in the State of California, to prohibit the picking or harvesting of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts, to prohibit the possession within such district for the purpose of planting any seeds or plants of any variety of species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the ginning of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such district; defining such districts; and fixing the penalty for a violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1519*a*, of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to the fees of the Secretary of State;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to appropriate money to be used as a revolving fund by the Sixth District Agricultural Association for the purpose of creating, installing and maintaining special expositions at Exposition Park, Los Angeles," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the disposition of funds;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 626*r*, relating to protection of game;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 10 of the "California Warehouse Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens and filing of the same for record;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, relating to the course of study in elementary schools and the age of admission of

children into the elementary schools and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1662*a*, relating to the registration of minors;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 542 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Loutlit, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 253—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais Creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Rosenshine moved that Assembly Bill No. 253 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No 253 re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Mueller waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 169 was finally passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to election precincts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 90 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 574—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county park districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright, S. V, moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "districts" insert a "period".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, lines 2 and 3, of the printed bill, after the word "districts" strike out the following: "be the exterior boundary lines of school districts".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Wright, S. V, as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 574, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, S. V., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 75—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1610*a*, and providing for the furnishing of food to pupils and employees of the school district at not less than actual cost.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 75 was refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—37

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Jones, Jost, Levy,

Little, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Roland, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, and Wright, T. M.—33.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Smith gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 75 was this day refused passage.

Senate Bill No. 777—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of National City, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved April 27, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 777 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Johnson asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Bill No. 878, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

Assembly Bill No 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21½, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the dairy control fund.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Johnson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 16, 1925, after the word "California" add the following, "approved June 15, 1923".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, lines 14 and 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "contained in cartons, packages or containers in the shape of perfect cubes" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "delivered to the customer in cartons or packages in which packed by the manufacturer".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Johnson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 878, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JOHNSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

ADJOURNMENT.

At two o'clock and forty-five minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Wednesday, March 18, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 18, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—80

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Wright, S. V., its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. R. A. Lee, principal, and Miss G. Medros, teacher, of Lincoln Union High School, and the following pupils were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Junior class—Evelyn Ahart, George Hutman, Anna Hutman, Doris Mariner, Elaine Beerman, Ethel Ahart, Helen Seydel, Albra Manuel, Barbara McCrary, Jean Osborne, Edgar Sparks, Arthur Carr, Floyd Cliek, Leroy Vannatta, Rose Vi McMaine, Bertha Geffery, Charlotte Harold, George Kaneho, Ivan Tafft, Robert Rulan, Vernon Hoffing, Raymond Lytes, Ted Lavalle, and Lucy Stevens.

Senior class—Lila Newcomb, Charles Newcomb, Francis Dobas, Abie Beninghoff, Dolores Ahart, Mabel Bedigan, Virginia Fitz Bullen, David Koeller, Perry Ten Eyck, Joseph Mendes, Laurence Berry, Robert Seydel, Donald Crowell, Eugene Lavalle, Robert Stewart, Earldon Ryan, Clifford Voght, Walter Pemberton, Ethel Abbott, and Kathryn Leavel

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mary F. Tracy, teacher, and the following pupils of Fremont school, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Alice May Earp, Dorothy Helen King, Virginia McKee, Edna Lillian Pyatt, Laura Johnston, Irma Josephine Butler, Irme Louise Freyslaben, Margaret Miller, Melbo Hornberg, Ursula V. Wygant, Hazel Westlake, Bryan Wakefield, Henry Edward Hess, Dan Preston Menefee, Harry Childs, Elva Margorie Finch, Robert George Dunn, William Edward Ladve, George Joseph Filpi, Tommy Summers, Harold H. Curron, Robert Ernest Court, Charles Colfax Hughes, Jr., Billie Lawrence Buckingham, Arthur Thomas Wallace, Joseph Francis Curtis, Helmouth Joseph Stefanizzi, Robert Mormard Hubner, Earl Robert Wharton, Robert William Titherington, Allison Johnson, and Arthur W. Hunt.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Anita Nielsen, teacher, and the following pupils of the Roseville High School, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Dora Bell, Lleyllyn Keehner, Delbert Bailey, Gerald Ricksecken, Janet Cirby, Myrtle Trowbridge, Ruth Clopton, Viola Astill, Francis Henderson, Ena Bailey, Doroth McCall, Bertha Buddecke, Harriett Kendrie, Marcus Aronson, Evan Bourdon, Fieda E. Watson, Harford Nobel, Anna Osella, Elizabeth Favors, George Walton, Victor Palace, Al Harmon, Leo Velasquez, Aliene Gerry, Katharine Cornin, Ruth Tremp, Irene Rieder, Archie Muir, Mila Schmieske, Dorothy Ross, Kenneth McRue, Lyle Ridley, Joseph Dixon, Nelson Jick, Earl Donaldson, Morris Kinhlman, Harold Johnson, and Leo Riordan.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Miss Cartherine E. Gloster, grand president of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were received and ordered printed in the Journal:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL,
SAN FRANCISCO, March 16, 1925.

Honorable Frank C. Weller,
Chairman, Assembly Judiciary Committee,
Assembly Chamber, Sacramento, California

MY DEAR MR. WELLER On Wednesday evening of last week your committee had under consideration a resolution relative to the case of People of the State of California vs. John Vail, which case arose in Shasta County and was transferred to the United States District Court, where the same is now pending.

Before further proceedings can be had in such case it becomes necessary to determine if the district attorney of Shasta County, Honorable Jesse W. Carter, has "become disqualified from conducting" the prosecution, within the meaning of such term as the same is used in section 472 of the Political Code.

Prior to the hearing by your committee, I had given the matter some consideration, but had not been able to reach a conclusion as to the disqualification of the

district attorney However, through the disclosure made at such hearing, and from further information obtained directly at a conference with Mr Carter on the following day, I became entirely satisfied that the district attorney is legally disqualified to further represent the people in this case, and as result it becomes the duty of this office to represent the people therein. Having reached this conclusion I have felt it my duty to convey this information to you and to your committee.

Whether further proceedings in the case will be conducted directly by this office or through "special counsel" employed, as provided in said section 472, has not been determined However this particular matter will be given further consideration and such action taken as the facts warrant.

Very truly yours,

U. S. WEBB, Attorney General.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL.
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, March 18, 1925.

Honorable B S. Crittenden, Assembly Chamber

DEAR MR CRITTENDEN At your request I have examined the provisions of Senate Bill No. 313 with a view to ascertaining whether or not it is an appropriation bill, prohibited passage in advance of the final enactment of the budget bill under the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution.

As a result of such examination, I conclude, and so advise you, that the bill itself makes no appropriation and that it is not within the prohibited class above mentioned. As I construe this bill, it is in the nature of a declaration of policy to be pursued by the State in future, contingent upon the adoption of a similar policy by the government of the United States, whereby each will, through the medium of specific appropriations to be made in future, assume and pay equal shares of the cost of constructing the works contemplated by the report of the California Debris Commission, as modified under date of January 5, 1925

Very truly yours,

U. S WEBB, Attorney General.
By R. T McKISICK, Deputy.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No 17—Approving the charter of the city of Monterey, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Monterey at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the ninth day of March, 1925—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

SEWELL, Chairman

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 927—An act to repeal section 636c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No 928—An act to repeal section 626*d* (one) of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the use of salmon or steelhead roe as bait

Also Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of Sacramento perch and to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No 933—An act to repeal section 628*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to repeal section 626½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Assembly Bill No 938—An act to repeal section 626*p* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of black sea-brant

Also Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to repeal section 636½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to teachers' principals and supervisors,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384b, relating to the protection of the California poppy.
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON BANKING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act relating to the liquidation of banks by the Superintendent of Banks, empowering him to levy assessments against the members and stockholders of any bank in process of liquidation by him to an amount which he may determine to be necessary to promptly pay the creditors of such bank in full, to enforce such assessments by suit and empowering the superior court to determine the equities of the members and stockholders of any such bank to any surplus which may remain after the payment of the creditors of such bank in full and to award and distribute the same accordingly," approved May 17, 1917—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SPALDING, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 725—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 15, 15a, 21a, 62, 65, 80, 83, 96, 101, 123, 130, 132 and 138, and by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 16, 16a, 16b, 16c, 16d, 16e and 104, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SPALDING, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 619—An act to amend the Building and Loan Commission act by adding thereto two new sections relating to building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 641 of the Civil Code, relating to guarantee stock surplus of building and loan associations,

Also: Senate Bill No. 623—An act to amend section 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations;

Also, Senate Bill No. 626—An act to amend an act known as "the Building and Loan Commission Act" approved April 5, 1911, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 15b, which section relates to the furnishing of bonds by certain officers and employees of building and loan associations;

Also Senate Bill No. 627—An act to amend section 642 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the withdrawing of shares of stock and investment certificates issued by building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 628—An act to amend section 643 of the Civil Code, relative to building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund; selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations;

Also Senate Bill No 111—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also: Senate Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also Senate Bill No. 184—An act to amend sections 7, 10, 11, 14, 15, and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 26, 1921.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 619 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No. 624 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No 623 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 626 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No. 627 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No 628 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No. 630 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No. 111 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 112 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 184 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No 682—An act to regulate the sanitation and maintenance of auto camps, to provide for the licensing, inspection and supervision of the same, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 682 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 138—An act to provide proper sanitary conditions at terminals for the preservation of the health of employees.

Also Senate Bill No. 393—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to poisons.

Also Senate Bill No. 407—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act authorizing counties to improve or assist in the improvement of streets lying in municipalities," approved April 30, 1923, amending the provisions thereof relative to the aid to be given by counties in the improvement of city streets and relative to the funds from which such aid may be given.

Also Senate Bill No. 408—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 10, 16 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relative to maps, to the contribution by the municipality to the expense of the improvement, the overruling of protests, condemnation proceedings, the date of valuation and the payment of compensation;

Also Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for

the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, so as to permit the improvement of rights of way and property of which a municipality has possession.

Also Senate Bill No 410—An act to authorize and empower legislative bodies of municipal corporations to establish, maintain, use and reimburse revolving funds in connection with or incident to the laying out, construction or improvement of streets or other public work or the acquisition of lands, rights of way or other property necessary therefor;

Also Senate Bill No. 782—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Santa Barbara subject to certain trusts;

Also Senate Bill No 621—An act to amend section 15a of the Building and Loan Commission Act approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to building and loan associations.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 138 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Senate Bill No. 393 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 407 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 408 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 409 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 410 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Senate Bill No 782 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No 621 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 431—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to superior court;

Also Assembly Bill No 149—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident.

Also Assembly Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 172a of the Civil Code, relating to the management, control, and transfer of real property.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused to adopt Assembly Joint Resolution No 11—Relative to memorializing Congress to adopt a bill now pending for the barring from transmission through the mails of revolvers and other concealable weapons

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mrs Dorris:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 1912 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 496 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for receiving stolen property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend section 19*x*27 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 531*a*, relating to returns on writs of attachments.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to service of writs, notices and other process in justices' courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 286—An act to amend sections 2959, 2965 and 2966 of the Civil Code, relating to mortgages on personal property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 288—An act to amend sections 4130, 4140, and 4300*c*, of the Political Code, relating to recorders and fees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to amend section 1547 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices of sale.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "posting of public auction sale notice"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to arson.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or" the first word in the line, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "for a term of five years" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "during the life of the judgment."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to liability of innkeepers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "losses" insert the following "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "depository" and insert the following, "depositary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "contents" insert the following: "ten dollars for each box, bundle or package and contents."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "placed by his guests, boarders or lodgers under his care".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 11, strike out the words "so placed under his care."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 977—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualifications of judges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, insert the following:

170. Disqualification of judges. No justice, judge, or justice of the peace shall sit or act as such in any action or proceeding

1. Interest. To which he is a party or in which he is interested.

2. Relationship. Waiver of. When he is related to either party, or to an officer of a corporation which is a party, or to an attorney, counsel, or agent of either party, by consanguinity or affinity, within the third degree, computed according to the rules of law; *provided, however*, that if the parties to the action, or the executor, or administrator of the estate, or the guardian of the minor or incompetent person, or the receiver, or the commissioner, or the referee, or the attorney for a party in all special proceedings of a civil or criminal nature, shall sign and file in the action or matter, a stipulation in writing waiving the disqualification herein, the judge or court may proceed with the trial or hearing with the same legal effect as if no such disqualification existed;

3. Having acted as attorney. When in the action or proceeding, or in any previous action or proceeding involving any of the same issues, he has been attorney or counsel for either party; or when he has given advice to either party upon any matter involved in the action or proceeding;

4. Bias or prejudice. When any party to, or attorney appearing in, such action or proceeding makes and files an affidavit that the judge before whom the action is pending is prejudiced against such party or attorney, or in favor of the opposing party or parties or his or their attorney or attorneys, so that such party or attorney making and filing such affidavit cannot, or believes he cannot, have a fair and impartial trial before such judge, and if there be but one judge in the county, then the judge shall forthwith secure the services of a judge of some other county to preside at the trial of said action or proceeding, when there is more than one department of the superior court in said county or in a city and county, the presiding judge shall forthwith transfer the said action or proceeding to another department thereof, and it shall be tried therein as if originally assigned to such department. If there be more than one department in the county or city and county, said affidavit shall be filed with the presiding judge; if but one judge, then with that judge. Such affidavit must be filed at least five days before the day set for the trial of said action or proceeding; and in no one cause or proceeding can more than one such change of judges be had. But this provision of this section shall not apply to the arrangement of the calendar, or to the regulation of the order of business, nor the power of transferring the action or proceedings to some other court;

5. Proceedings against reclamation board or any reclamation, levee, swamp land or drainage district. In an action or proceeding brought in the superior court or justice's court by or against the reclamation board of the State of California, or any reclamation, levee, swamp land or drainage district, or any public agency, or trustee, officer or employee thereof, affecting or relating to any real property or any easement or right of way, levee, embankment, canal, or any work provided for or approved by the reclamation board of the State of California, the judge of the superior court of the county, or justice of the peace of the township in which such real property, or any part thereof, or such easement or right of way, levee, embankment, canal or work, or any part thereof is situated shall be disqualified to sit or act, and such action, if brought in the superior court, shall be heard and tried by some other judge of the superior court requested to sit therein by the governor, or if brought in the justice's court, by some other justice of the peace requested to sit therein by the governor; unless the parties to the action shall sign and file in the action or proceeding a stipulation in writing, waiving the disqualification in this subdivision of this section provided, in which case such judge or justice of the peace may proceed with the trial or hearing with the same legal effect as if no such legal disqualification existed. If, however, the parties to the action shall sign and file a stipulation agreeing upon some other judge of the superior court or justice of the peace to sit or act in place of the judge or justice disqualified under the provisions of this subdivision, the judge or justice agreed upon shall be called by the judge or justice of the peace so disqualified to hear and try such action or proceeding; *provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as preventing the judge of the superior court of such county from issuing a temporary injunction or restraining order, which shall, if granted, remain in force until vacated or modified by the judge designated by the governor as herein provided.

Right to change of venue not affected. Nothing in this section contained shall affect a party's right to a change of the place of trial in the cases provided for in title four, part two of this code.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the figure "1097" strike out all of said printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "When any person in whom the title to real property has been vested thereafter conveys, or has heretofore conveyed, such real property, under a name different from that under which he acquired title or signs his name to any conveyance thereof in a manner different from that under which he acquired title to said real property, any person interested in said real property may file in the superior court of the county where said real property, or any part thereof, is situated, a verified petition setting forth those facts particularly describing the land and his interest therein, and praying that the identity of the person so conveying, or who has so conveyed, such real property be established.

The clerk must set the petition for hearing by the court and give notice thereof by causing notices of the time and place of hearing to be posted in at least three public places in the county, one of which must be at the place where the court is held, at least ten days before the hearing. At any time before the date fixed for such hearing, any person interested in said property may answer said petition and deny any of the matters contained therein.

At the time fixed for the hearing, or such time thereafter as may be fixed by the court, the court must hear the proofs offered by the petitioner and by any persons answering the same, and must make a decree conformable to the proofs. Such decree shall be prima facie evidence of the matters therein adjudged."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 794—An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, by the

State Board of Health, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act to amend sections 1 and 17 and to add a new section to be numbered 17½ to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a State hospital for the insane to be located in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: "Section four thousand two hundred fifty-five of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4255 In counties of the twenty-sixth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit:

1. The county clerk three thousand dollars per annum, and shall be allowed in addition the sum of six hundred dollars a year for every year that an election is held throughout the State of California, he shall be allowed in addition the sum of ten cents per name for each voter registered in the county, which shall be in full for all service required in registering voters and making up the great register and performing all other acts incident to or pertaining to elections, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county clerk, two deputies and one copyist, who shall be appointed by the county clerk, and who shall be paid the following compensation, one at one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and one at nine hundred dollars per annum. All deputies and copyists shall be paid in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the county clerk is paid.

2. Sheriff, three thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that there shall be and there is hereby allowed to said sheriff an under sheriff who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy sheriff, who shall act as night jailer, at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and three deputy sheriffs who shall receive salaries of one hundred eighty dollars each per annum, also one deputy sheriff who shall receive a salary of twenty-four hundred dollars per annum, two who shall receive salaries of twenty-four hundred dollars per annum and two deputies for eight months out of each year who shall receive salaries of two hundred per month each for each month so employed. Each of the last named five deputy sheriffs shall provide his own motorcycle while employed as such deputy and they shall also provide all necessary gas and oil while so employed. The said under sheriff and the said deputies to be appointed by the sheriff and the salaries of whom shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the sheriff is paid, *and provided, further*, that in addition thereto, the sheriff shall receive and retain for his own use and benefit all of the fees, per diem, mileage and expenses which are now or which may hereafter be allowed by law; and the fees and commissions for the service of all papers whatsoever issued by any court in the state outside of the county in and for which the sheriff is elected. It is hereby found as a fact that the provisions in this section do not work an increase in compensation of the office and is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent.

3. The recorder two thousand four hundred dollars per annum and he shall be allowed the following deputies who shall be appointed by said recorder and shall be paid salaries and compensation as follows: One deputy salary of eighteen hundred dollars per annum, one index deputy at a salary of fifteen hundred dollars per annum, one comparing deputy at a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum.

Said recorder may also employ as many copyists as may be required for the recording of all papers, notes or documents in his office and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars

4. The auditor three thousand dollars per annum, *provided, further*, in counties of this class the auditor shall be allowed one deputy at one hundred dollars per month and he shall be allowed the further sum of six hundred dollars for extra help. The deputy to be appointed by the auditor and be paid out of the same fund as the auditor's salary is paid.

5. In counties of this class the treasurer shall be tax collector and he shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum He shall be allowed one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of twelve hundred dollars, and such extra help as may be necessary, not to exceed three hundred dollars in one calendar year.

6. The assessor, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class the assessor shall be allowed one office deputy at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; one draftsman and deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and one expert rural appraiser who would be employed the entire year at an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars and necessary equipment to perform the duties of his office. Said deputies and draftsmen shall be appointed by said assessor and their salaries shall be paid by the county at the same time, and in the same manner, and out of the same fund, as the salary of the assessor is paid, *and provided, further*, said deputy and said draftsman shall be appointed by said assessor and said salaries shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the assessor is paid: *and provided, further*, that said assessor shall be allowed such field deputies, assistants, clerks and copyists as he may require and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars in any one year. Said field deputies, assistants, clerks and copyists shall be appointed by the said assessor and their salaries shall be paid by said county, in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the assessor is paid, upon the assessor duly certifying to the county auditor, the names of, the position filled and the amount due to each. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in compensation for the officer, and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents

7. The district attorney twenty-four hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, in counties of this class there shall hereby be allowed to the district attorney, two deputies, each to receive a salary of six hundred dollars per year, *provided*, that one of these deputies shall be employed in a place other than the county seat In addition to the two deputies the district attorney shall be allowed a clerk and stenographer who shall be paid an annual salary of twelve hundred dollars. All the salaries herein provided shall be paid in monthly installments out of the same fund as the district attorney's salary is paid The said stenographer shall perform all services required by the district attorney in his official capacity in civil and criminal actions in which the county is interested The deputies shall be admitted to practice law.

8. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

9. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. The superintendent of schools, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools, a deputy which office is hereby created, at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and who shall be appointed by the superintendent of schools. The salary of said deputy herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid.

11. The county surveyor shall receive three thousand dollars per annum.

12. Board of supervisors, each member of the board of supervisors one hundred twenty-five dollars per month and no mileage, which shall be in full for all services and expenses incurred within the county, *provided*, that whenever it shall be necessary for any member of the board of supervisors to leave the county in and for which he is elected for the purpose of performing any of his duties, that then and in that event, said supervisor shall be allowed his actual expenses

The supervisors while acting as road commissioners shall give their personal attention to the repair, maintenance, construction and improvement of all roads under their supervision. The supervisors in addition to the meetings otherwise provided by law shall meet on the first Monday of each month and on the first Monday on or after the fifteenth day of each month for the purpose of allowing claims.

13 In counties of this class there shall be two judicial townships and the board of supervisors shall on or before the first day of July 1926 so designate and fix the boundaries thereof Townships which shall contain a city of the fifth class

shall be a township of the first class and the other shall be a township of the second class. In townships of the first class the justice of the peace shall receive a salary of three thousand dollars per annum and clerical help not to exceed three hundred dollars in each year, *provided, however*, that the two justices now holding office in townships of the first class shall each be allowed clerical help in the sum not to exceed six hundred dollars in one year. It is found as a matter of fact that this does not work an increase in their compensation and shall apply immediately. In townships of the second class the justice shall be paid a salary of fifteen hundred dollars per annum and the board of supervisors shall provide him with the necessary office room.

14. In each of the townships herein provided for, there shall be one constable who shall receive a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that in addition to the salaries herein allowed, each constable shall be paid out of the general fund of the county for traveling expenses incurred for the services of the warrant of arrest or any other process in a criminal case (where said service is in fact made) his actual expenses each way for each mile traveled outside of the county both going to and returning from the place of arrest or other services of process; also the transportation of prisoners to the county jail, the constable shall be allowed his actual expenses each way. In addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed, each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for services rendered by him in civil cases, and also all fees now allowed him by law for the arrest of violators of the fish and game laws.

15. The official reporter of the superior court shall receive the fees allowed by law.

16. In fixing the compensation of the above named officers in the amounts hereinabove specified, it is hereby expressly provided that the salaries and fees above provided shall be in full compensation for all services of every kind and description rendered by the officers named herein, either as officers or ex officio officers, their deputies and assistants; and it is hereby further expressly provided, that all of the fees, commissions, per diem and expenses provided for in section four thousand two hundred ninety of the Political Code of the State of California, and all other moneys coming into the hands of the county and township officers, no matter from what source derived or received, shall belong to and be the property of the county, in counties of this class, and shall be paid into the county treasury by said officers at the same time and in the same manner that other moneys are required by law to be paid into the county treasury by him; *save and except, however*, that the provisions of this subdivision shall not apply to the offices of sheriff, treasurer, district attorney, county surveyor and superintendent of schools, and they are expressly exempted from the provisions of this subdivision, and as to said offices herein last named, to wit, sheriff, treasurer, district attorney and superintendent of schools, they shall receive the salaries, fees and commissions provided for by law, and as provided for in subdivisions two, three, five, seven and ten of this act.

17. All officers who are allowed extra compensation for carrying out the work of their offices shall certify to the auditor the names of the persons to whom the money is paid and the amount, but in no event shall any person be allowed a greater per diem than three dollars for office work.

18. In counties of this class grand jurors, and trial jurors in the superior court, shall each receive for each day's attendance, per day the sum of three dollars and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from their residence to the county seat, in going only, the sum of fifteen cents per mile, such mileage to be allowed but once during each session such jurors are required to attend."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 3454 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed, salt marsh and tide lands.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "construction" and in lieu thereof insert the word "constructing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "motion", strike out the word "on" and in lieu thereof insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "resolution", strike out the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following "or in which he is directly or indirectly interested."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 137—An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the third line of the title of the printed bill, following the comma after the word "purchasing" strike out the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the fourth line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "sale" insert a comma and add the following 'and persons selling,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "by" strike out the word "himself" and insert in lieu thereof the words 'such owner"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, lines 17 and 18, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, lines 22 and 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words 'state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, before the word "larceny" strike out the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 32 and insert in lieu thereof the following, "or receiving stolen property,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the word "From" and insert in lieu thereof the following "An appeal from'

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state' and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, lines 46 and 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "same" strike out the words "by writ of certiorari or writ or error".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 3, lines 22 and 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 3, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 3, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 3, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the word "relating" and insert in lieu thereof the word "applicable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 3, lines 41 and 42, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 48 and insert in lieu thereof the following "prior to the date of its expiration,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 3, lines 50 and 51, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 4, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "delivered" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "thereof" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 4, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "cured" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 16 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"*Fourth*—The name and the signature of the party delivering the same;

Fifth—The date of the delivery; and

Sixth—Whether the party making the delivery is a lessee, superintendent, foreman, or workman in such mine.

Such book shall be open for inspection to the said state mineralogist, his deputies, officers, and agents, on".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 4, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 4, line 31, of the printed bill, after the word "issue" strike out the words "under his" and insert in lieu thereof the words "a permit".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, at the beginning of line 32, strike out the words "hand and seal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 4, line 32, of the printed bill, after the word "person" strike out the words "a permit".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 4, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 4 of the printed bill, beginning with the word "herein" in line 41, strike out all to and including the word "act" in line 42, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "provided in section eight of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 4, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "provided" strike out the words "for a violation" and insert in lieu thereof the words "in section eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 4, line 50, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "license" add the following:

"Sec. 6. Any person who shall knowingly make any false statements concerning any of the facts required to be stated in section four of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE

On page 4 of the printed bill, at the beginning of line 51, strike out the following: "Sec. 6.", and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 7."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 5, lines 2 and 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 5, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 5, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 5, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 5, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 5, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 26 to 29, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 30 and 31 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"Sec. 8. Any violation of sections one, four, and five of this act shall be punishable by a fine of not less than".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 5, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 5, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 5, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15—Relating to adjournment.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—Anderson, R. J.—1.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 15.

Relating to adjournment.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the forty-sixth session of the California Legislature do adjourn sine die, at twelve o'clock noon Wednesday, April 15, 1925

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 read.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 15.

Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the states of California, Colorado, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah and Wyoming, have heretofore approved the Colorado River Compact, signed by the commissioners for said states and the state of Arizona, and approved by Herbert Hoover, as the representative of the United States of America, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, November 24, 1922, and notice of the approval by the legislature of each of said approving states has been given by the governor thereof to the governors of the other signatory states, and to the President of the United States, as required by article eleven of said compact; and

WHEREAS, The said compact has not been approved by the legislature of the state of Arizona, nor by the Congress of the United States. Now, therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the Legislature of the State of California, jointly, at its forty-sixth session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, a majority of all the members elected to each house of said Legislature voting in favor thereof that the provisions of the first paragraph of article eleven of the said Colorado River Compact, making said compact binding and obligatory when it shall have been approved by the legislature of each of the signatory states are hereby waived and said compact shall become binding and obligatory upon the State of California, when by act or resolution of their respective legislatures at least six of the signatory states, which have approved or which may hereafter approve said compact, shall consent to such waiver and the Congress of the United States shall have given its consent and approval; *provided, however*, that said Colorado River Com-

pact shall not be binding or obligatory upon the State of California by this or any former approval thereof, or in any event until the President of the United States shall certify and declare (*a*) that the Congress of the United States has duly authorized and directed the construction by the United States of a dam in the main stream of the Colorado River, at or below Boulder Canyon, adequate to create a storage reservoir of a capacity of not less than twenty million acre-feet of water; and (*b*) that the Congress of the United States has exercised the power and jurisdiction of the United States to make the terms of said Colorado River Compact binding and effective as to the waters of said Colorado River.

That certified copies of the foregoing preamble, and resolution be forwarded by the governor of the State of California to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State of the United States, and the governors of the states of Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Finney, the further consideration of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 was made a special order for Thursday, March 19, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m

Assembly Bill No. 60—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 60 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*g*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dayton moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One, to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "request" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following "*provided* that nothing in this section shall apply to counties or cities operating under charters which maintain Dairy Inspection Bureaus under Civil Service provisions."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dayton as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 654, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DAYTON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the twelfth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mrs. Dorris moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 line 7, of the printed bill, before the word "dollars", strike out the words "three thousand six hundred", and insert in lieu thereof "five thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, beginning with the comma after the word "annum", strike out to and including the word "registered" in line 9.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "clerk", add the following "It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in compensation for this office, and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars" insert the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 48, 49, and 50, and the word "dollars" in line 51, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Two thousand seventy dollars per annum, two deputies at a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars each per annum, two copyists at a salary of one thousand three hundred twenty dollars each"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill strike out the word "ninety" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 24, of the printed bill, following the period after the word "compensation" add the following "It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this subdivision do not work an increase in compensation of this office, and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, at the beginning of line 30 of the printed bill, strike out the figure "1" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7 at the beginning of line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "*b*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 7, at the beginning of line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "*c*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 7, at the beginning of line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "4" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "*d*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 9 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 33 and 34, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"15 The county librarian shall receive three thousand dollars per year".

Motion carried

The Speaker appointed Mrs. Dorris as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 616, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DORRIS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theatres and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for its violation," approved June 3, 1921, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 223 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Denel, Graves, and Little—4.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title Mr. Wright, T. M., moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title, after the words "an act" strike out the remainder of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theatres and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof".

Amendment adopted.

Title read as amended, and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Levey moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the growing of one variety or species of cotton, to wit, Acala, in certain prescribed and defined districts in the State of California; to prohibit the picking or harvesting of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the possession within such district for the purpose of planting any seeds or plants of any variety of species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the ginning of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such district; defining such districts; and fixing the penalty for a violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 167 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce Reindellar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384*b*, relating to the protection of the California poppy.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1200 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—38.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—30.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Reindollar gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1200 was this day refused passage.

Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1519*a*, of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hartranft moved that Assembly Bill No. 327 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 327 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to the fees of the secretary of state.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Adams moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 3, inclusive

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Adams as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 449, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ADAMS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 10 of the "California Warehouse Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 604 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 927—An act to repeal section 636c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 927 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 388—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 388 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A.,

Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to repeal section 3831 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 389 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 274—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3779, relating to certain unclaimed tax sale moneys.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 274 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State and for furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks;

Also Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, with reference to the powers and duties of the commissioner of the said bureau and his deputies, so as to enlarge his power with reference to issuing subpœnas by making it a misdemeanor offense to wilfully ignore same to add to the enumerated places of labor to which it shall be a misdemeanor offense to refuse him admission, or to furnish him statistics or information regarding, to provide for the collection of costs from defendants in official

actions brought by the commissioner for wages and penalties due claimants, to give the said commissioner and his representatives the right to file in his own name preferred labor claims and "stop orders" on behalf of workers, and the right to apply directly to the courts for warrants for the violation of any of *the labor laws delegated to him for enforcement, and to prosecute the criminal* actions so instituted, with or without the consent and assistance of the district attorney of the county in which such actions are brought, and providing for the transfer by the commissioner of trust money uncalled for within one year by the claimants on whose behalf it was collected to the State Treasurer to be held by him in a "labor bureau fund" and to be paid out by him to the rightful claimants, or their successors and assigns, if they appear,

Also Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2526*a*, relating to the powers of the board of State Harbor Commissioners,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State for and furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks

Bill read third time

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hartranft moved that Assembly Bill No. 463 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 463 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, with reference to the powers and duties of the commissioner of the said bureau and his deputies, so as to enlarge his power with reference to issuing subpoenas by making it a misdemeanor offense to wilfully ignore same, to add to the enumerated places of labor to which it shall be a misdemeanor offense to refuse him admission, or to furnish him statistics or information regarding, to provide for the collection of costs from defendants in official actions brought by the commissioner for wages and penalties due claimants, to give the said commissioner and his representatives the right to file in his own name preferred labor claims and "stop orders" on behalf of workers, and the right to apply directly to the courts for warrants for the violation of any of the labor laws delegated to him for enforcement, and to prosecute the criminal actions so instituted, with or without the consent and assistance of the district attorney of the county in which such actions are brought, and providing for the transfer by the commissioner of trust money uncalled for within one year by the claimants on whose behalf it was collected to the State Treasurer to be held by him in a "labor bureau fund" and to be paid out by him to the rightful claimants, or their successors and assigns, if they appear.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 744 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward,

Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, relating to the course of study in elementary schools and the age of admission of children into the elementary schools and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1662*a*, relating to the registration of minors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 853 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M. and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Anderson, R. J—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mrs. Dorris: An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

By Mr. Browne: An act to validate the proceedings on organization and formation and the organization and formation of Round Valley Irrigation District, an irrigation district organized and existing under the California Irrigation District Act.

By Mr. Hartranft: An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

By Mr. Roland: An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlement by executors and administrators.

By Mrs. Dorris: An act to amend section 19*c*12 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Minster, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Dodge, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Scudder:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients at the State hospital at Agnew, California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Fry:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, as amended, relating to powers of the districts.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act to validate the proceedings on organization and formation and the organization and formation of Round Valley Irrigation District, an irrigation district organized and existing under the California Irrigation District Act.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

By Mr. Hartranft: Assembly Bill No 1251—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Roland: Assembly Bill No 1252—An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlement by executors and administrators.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to amend section 19*x*12 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended, relating to the salary of probation officers in counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 504—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to common carriers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

SMITH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 533—An act adding a new section to the Civil Code of this State, to be numbered section 2205, and relating to the liability of stage lines, transfer companies and other common carriers operating over public highways for loss or damage to baggage—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

SMITH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BAIDHAM, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIBRARIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Libraries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 379—An act for the government of the "Sutro Library"—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

MURPHY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 11—An act to amend sections 7 and 8*g* of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 5*a*.

Also Senate Bill No 162—An act to regulate the working hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes; prohibiting the use of second hand boxes for packing such pastes, prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation, compounding, packing, selling, or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored alimentary pastes, vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 732—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious diseases, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposal of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 373, relating to the dumping or deposit of garbage, offal, excreta or other refuse upon the beaches or shores of the Pacific Ocean,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1240—An act appropriating money to be used by the State Department of Health for malaria control—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to provide for an investigation of economical and efficient treatment and disposal of sewage and industrial wastes; describing the

duties of the State Board of Health with respect thereto, providing for the fixing of compensation of employees in making such investigation and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 88—An act to amend section 496 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for receiving stolen property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 286—An act to amend sections 2959, 2965 and 2966 of the Civil Code, relating to mortgages on personal property

Also Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property;

Also Assembly Bill No 288—An act to amend sections 4130, 4140 and 4300c, of the Political Code, relating to recorders and fees;

Also Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 537a, relating to returns on writs of attachments,

Also Assembly Bill No 473—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment;

Also Assembly Bill No 474—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment,

Also Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to service of writs, notices and other process in justices' courts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof,

Also Assembly Bill No. 794—An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, by the State Board of Health, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend section 19a27 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act to amend sections 1 and 17 and to add a new section to be numbered 17½ to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a state hospital for the insane to be located in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No 574—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county park districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof,

Also Assembly Bill No 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk;

Also Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21¼, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the dairy control fund

Also Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a joint meeting of the Legislature.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1074—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1074 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 928—An act to repeal section 626*d* (one) of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 928 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the use of salmon or steelhead roe as bait.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 931 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller,

Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of Sacramento perch and to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 932 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—Runner—1.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 933—An act to repeal section 628*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 933 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotер, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—Runner—1

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to repeal section 626*p* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of black sea-brant.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 938 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to repeal section 636½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 939 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 936 passed by the following vote

AYES—Badham, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to repeal section 626½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 937 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to regulate the procuring of persons to take the places of employees in anticipation of or during strikes, lockouts, or other labor troubles; and repealing an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Hornblower moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and fifteen minutes.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 123—An act to add three new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 3066, 3066*a*, and 3066*b*, relating to liens of sellers of feed for poultry and other live stock.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Carter moved that Assembly Bill No. 123 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 123 re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Assembly Bill No. 685—An act to amend section 1187 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens and filing of the same for record.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 685 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—Fry, Jacobson, Rosenshine, Scudder, Smith, and Williamson—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Smith moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 75 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—Cleveland, Coombs, Deuel, McDonough, Morrison, and Wemple—6

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Badham moved that Senate Bill No. 75 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 75 re-referred to Committee on Education.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE

At three o'clock and thirty-three minutes p.m. Mr. Smith moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Levey, Reindollar, Williamson, and Louttit, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to dispense with the call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion to dispense with the call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Little, Melville, Mixter, Pierce, Roland, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, and Weller—23

NOES—Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 574—An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county park districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 574 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—Cleveland—1

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 543 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to garnishment in aid of attachment

Also Assembly Bill No 267—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 365*d*, relating to the duties of the California Highway Commission;

Also Assembly Bill No 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921 to be numbered thirteen, relating to inclusion and exclusion of territory in public cemetery districts

Also Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith

Also Assembly Bill No. 470—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of director of said department, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof, providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the Department of Petroleum and Gas; creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties, to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913;

Also Assembly Bill No 481—An act to amend section 2158 of the Political Code, relating to hospital funds,

Also Assembly Bill No 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No 899—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Real Estate Commission,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 912—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Insurance Commissioner;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON BANKING

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1086—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 9*a*;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SPALDING, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Ward's ferry, thence to Groveland, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for a survey;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the west side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same;

Also: Assembly Bill No 15—An act relating to the Piute Pass State highway, appropriating money for the survey, location and estimate of cost of the State highway to be known as the Piute Pass road, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution, relating to the right of suffrage—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution by adding a new section to article VI thereof to be numbered section 4¾, relative to courts of appellate jurisdiction—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the

people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 603—An act authorizing and directing the State Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Oxnard to a point to be selected by the State Highway Commission upon the State highway extending from Los Angeles to Ventura, such point to be at or near the town of El Rio, Ventura County;

Also, Assembly Bill No 21—An act declaring the public highway extending from Irwin street within the corporate limits of the city of San Rafael, in Marin County, California, to Point San Quentin, in Marin County, California, to be a State highway

Also Assembly Bill No 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 363—An act ceding and turning over to the State of California certain improved county highways in Napa County at a point where the same intersects the State highway in Napa County leading to Sacramento, thence southerly to the northerly end of the city of Vallejo, in Solano County, and continuing from the southerly boundary of the city of Vallejo in a southerly direction to the straits of Carquinez, and including such parts of the road along said route owned by private persons in Solano County providing that all of said highways and roads shall be placed under the supervision of the State Highway Commission;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce a bill was presented:

By Mr. Schmidt:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 2524 of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction, powers and duties of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 2196 of the Political Code, relating to the care and treatment of mental defectives in private sanitariums.

Also Senate Bill No 56—An act to amend section 1208 of the Political Code, relating to illiterate or helpless voters.

Also Senate Bill No 447—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers.

Also Senate Bill No 466—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of Boards of Supervisors.

Also Senate Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 3366 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of boards of supervisors, city councils and town trustees, in their respective counties, cities and towns to impose a license tax;

Also Senate Bill No 448—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State;

Also Senate Bill No 70—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December

24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23, and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 260 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 56 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 447 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 466 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 524 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 448 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 70 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to the planting of trees in memory of Clara Barton.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 686—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties;

Also Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirtieth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, compensation, and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-ninth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to repeal section 4099 of the Political Code, relating to joint statements of auditor and treasurer

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1076—An act to amend section 846 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to alias summons;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury;

Also Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and inclusion thereof, within municipal corporations;

Also Assembly Bill No 331—An act providing for the survey and subdivision of lands belonging to the State of California to be sold or leased, and the recording of maps of surveys and subdivisions

Also Assembly Bill No. 107—An act granting to the city of South San Francisco the salt marsh, tide and submerged lands of the State of California, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of South San Francisco, and regulating the management, use and control thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1062*a*, and relating to the trial of actions for declaratory relief;

Also Assembly Bill No 226—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 396—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-third class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 543 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to garnishment in aid of attachment.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Little moved that Assembly Bill No 99 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 99 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No 304—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act; to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof; providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California." approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 304 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Burns, Fry, and Oliva—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 470—An act to establish a Department of Mines and Minerals for the State of California.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Dillinger moved that Assembly Bill No 470 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 470 re-referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows

By Mr. Scudder. An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients at the State hospital at Agnew, California.

By Mr. Fry (by request) An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, as amended, relating to powers of the districts

By Mr. Schmidt: An act to amend section 2524 of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction, powers and duties of the board of State Harbor Commissioners.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor: Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Scudder: Assembly Bill No 1254—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients at the State hospital at Agnew, California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Fry (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1255—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, as amended, relating to powers of the districts

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Schmidt: Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend section 2524 of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction, powers and duties of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At four o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Hornblower.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 250 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—42.

NOES—Badham, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, and Mr. Speaker—36

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. Wright, T. M., moved that Mr. Anderson, D. P. be excused for Thursday, March 19, 1925.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Louttit, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Thursday, March 19, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 19, 1925

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Campbell, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Miss I. D. Bishop, teacher, and the following pupils of Courtland Union High School, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Eleanor Bishop, Vera Connor, Alice Pylman, Margaret Weidmann, Christine Chew, Marie Nielsen, Roy Hicks, Melvin Quinn, Rico Besso, Norman Bunnell, Albert Pylman, Benjamin Mason, Elis Collins, Bayard Miller, Paul Myers, George Thisby, Mary Reid, Dorthy Thomas, and Mary Jane Thisby.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Anderson, R. J., Mr. F. B. Wood of Berkeley, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Judge Price, superior judge of Alpine County, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. Frank E. Russell of San Francisco, department commander, State of California, United Spanish War Veterans, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. E. Snapper Ingram, grand chief 40-8 Society, Department of California, the American Legion, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INSURANCE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of reinsurance companies to reinsure the business of county fire insurance companies;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 562—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend sections 16 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 7, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCUDDER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act relating to the liquidation of banks by the Superintendent of Banks; empowering him to levy assessments against the members and stockholders of any bank in process of liquidation by him to an amount which he may determine to be necessary to promptly pay the creditors of such bank in full; to enforce such assessments by suit and empowering the superior court to determine the equities of the members and stockholders of any such bank to any surplus which may remain after the payment of the creditors of such bank in full and to award and distribute the same accordingly," approved May 17, 1917.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to common carriers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 533—An act adding a new section to the Civil Code of this State, to be numbered section 2205 and relating to the liability of stage lines, transfer companies and other common carriers operating over public highways for loss or damage to baggage.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "fifty".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, following the word "provided", strike out the balance of line 22 and all of lines 23 and 24 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"Nothing in this act contained shall apply to or affect the transportation of perishable or semi-perishable agricultural, horticultural or viticultural products, or empty carriers or containers therefor, to or between any of the following places, namely, farms, packing houses, canneries, driers, viners, cold storage plants, ice houses, local assembling or shipping points and creameries."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 379—An act for the government of the "Sutro Library."

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "given to the state by the heirs of the late Adolph Sutro".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the comma (,) following the word "control" and insert in lieu thereof a period (.).

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, strike out lines 5 and 6, and the word "law" in line 7 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "funds" add the following: "The state board of control shall set aside _____ per cent of the funds apportioned to the state library funds for the maintenance of said Sutro library."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes; prohibiting the use of second hand boxes for packing such pastes; prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation, compounding, packing, selling, or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored alimentary pastes; vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 732—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious diseases, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposal of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend" insert the following: "sections two, three, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, and twenty-four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the seventh line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amended" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "relating to the powers and duties of the state board of embalmers."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" insert the following:

"Section two of an act entitled "An act to establish a state board of embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health,

preventing the spread of contagious diseases, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposal of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec. 2. The members of said board shall be residents of the State of California, all of whom shall have had at least five years experience in the practice of embalming and the preparation and disposition of the dead. The governor shall have power to remove from office any member of the board for incompetency or improper conduct. All members of said board shall receive ten dollars per diem when actually in attendance upon board meetings, together with all expenses incurred in the regular performance of their duty. The secretary shall receive as compensation for services rendered, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, together with actual expenses incurred in the conduct of his office All moneys provided in excess of the fees herein shall be paid into the general fund of the state.

SEC. 2 Section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 3. The board at their annual meeting shall elect a president and vice president, secretary and treasurer from the members of said board, and the secretary and treasurer shall furnish such a bond as shall be required of them by the board. All officers shall serve for one year or until their successors shall be elected and qualified

SEC. 3. Section five of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5 The board shall adopt a common seal. The president of said board is hereby authorized to administer oaths to witnesses testifying before said board Said board shall hold at least three meetings annually for the purpose of examining applicants for licenses, one of which meetings shall be held in the city of San Francisco, one in the city of Los Angeles and the other in the city of Sacramento, with the power to adjourn from time to time, until its business is concluded; *provided, however*, that examination for applicants for licenses may in the discretion of the board be conducted in any part of the state designated by the board. Notice of each meeting shall be given twice a week for two weeks next preceding each meeting, in one daily paper published in the city of San Francisco, one published in the city of Los Angeles, and one published in the city of Sacramento, which notice shall also specify the time and place of holding the examination of applicants. Three members of the board shall constitute a quorum. At no time shall the board contract expense in excess of the amount in the fund now designated as the embalmers' fund.

SEC. 4 Section six of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 6. For the purpose of this act the term "embalming" shall be construed to mean the disinfection and preservation, or the attempted disinfection and preservation of the dead human body by the application of chemicals or agents externally or internally

SEC 5. Section seven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec 7 The said board shall establish and maintain a standard of efficiency, and all persons who are practicing the profession of embalming, or who profess to be engaged in such profession, and who hold themselves out to the public as embalmers, shall be required to possess a certificate showing that they are licensed embalmers in the State of California, and that no dead human bodies shall in any way be embalmed except by a regularly licensed embalmer of the State of California.

SEC 6 Section eight of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 8 Every person over twenty-one years of age who wishes to practice the profession of embalming in the State of California shall make written application to the secretary of the state board of embalmers for a license, same to be accompanied with a license fee of ten dollars All applications must be in the hands of the secretary of said board at least thirty days prior to the time fixed for holding such examinations, at which time the applicant shall then present himself or herself before said board, and shall be examined as to his or her knowledge of embalming, sanitation, anatomy, and all educational subjects pertaining to embalming and the disinfection of bodies of deceased persons and apartments wherein same may be found, the clothing, excreta, and other things likely to be infected in case of death from communicable disease, all in accordance with the rules and regulations of the state board of health, the state board of embalmers, and the laws of the State of California. All examinations are to be both written and oral. The written examination shall consist of not less than ten questions on the subject of sanitation, and disinfection, not less than twenty questions on the subject of embalming and funeral management, and ten questions on the subject of anatomy. The oral examination shall consist of twenty questions and shall all relate to the aforesaid subjects The state board of embalmers shall select all questions to be used for examining applicants for licenses. All examination papers shall be kept on file by the said board of embalmers, and if applicant be of good moral character, and shall have completed a full prescribed course in a duly credited high school, or a course of education equivalent thereto, and has had one year of actual practical training and instruction as an apprentice under a regularly licensed and practical embalmer, and in addition to the above has attended a regular twelve weeks' course of instruction in a recognized school of embalming, which has been approved by the state board of embalmers, having at least four hundred twenty-five hours devoted to the following

subjects anatomy, physiology, chemistry, the principles and methods of embalming, bacteriology, public health and sanitation, laws and rules regulating the transportation of dead human bodies, funeral management and a practical experience from having embalmed, under proper supervision, at least fifty bodies, or, having served a two years apprenticeship under a regularly licensed and practicing embalmer, and attended a continuous six weeks' course of instruction in a reputable college of embalming, of not less than one hundred fifty hours, and having embalmed, under proper supervision, at least fifty bodies, and having passed a creditable examination in accord with the rules and regulations of such board, then said board of embalmers shall issue applicant a license to practice the profession of embalming in the State of California. If at the end of any license term fixed by the board the licensee shall desire a renewal of such license for a succeeding year, the board shall grant and issue the same, except for good cause shown, and a renewal fee of not less than three dollars shall be charged and collected. Such license when issued shall be properly signed by the president and secretary of the said board and shall bear the official seal of said board

All persons receiving licenses under the provisions of this act shall register the fact at the health office of the city or county, in the jurisdiction of which it is proposed to carry on such practice, and shall display such license in a conspicuous place in the office of the licentiate

SEC. 7 Section nine of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 9 Within thirty days after any person shall have begun his preliminary instruction and training under a licensed and practicing embalmer, as provided in section eight of this act, he shall file a verified statement with the board of embalmers, showing the date upon which his preliminary instruction and training begun, and the name and location of the licensed and practicing embalmer under whom he is receiving his instruction and training If, during the course of the instruction he shall receive instruction and training from more than one licensed and practicing embalmer, he shall give the date of ending with the first and the date of beginning with the second instructor like as specified for the first

SEC 8 Section ten of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 10 The state board of embalming and schools for the teaching of embalming shall have the same privileges extended them as to the use of bodies for dissecting, demonstrating and teaching, as those granted in this state to medical colleges.

SEC 9 Section eleven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 11 It shall be unlawful to manufacture, sell or distribute embalming fluids or preparations within this state which contain mineral poisons All labels shall contain the statement "no mineral poison" and shall state the per cent of formaldehyde contained in the fluid or preparation

SEC 10 Section twelve of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 12. All funeral directors, morticians, or embalmers, who pay a license as such, shall be exempt from jury service.

SEC 11. Section thirteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 13 The secretary of the state board of embalming shall keep a record of all licenses issued, the dates upon which they were issued, the name and address of the person issued to, and shall furnish such list to all licensed embalmers within the state, and to all transportation companies within the state, and to the state board of health

SEC. 12 Section fourteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 14. The state board of embalming shall, from time to time, adopt rules and regulations not inconsistent with the laws of this state or of the laws of the United States, which rules shall, under proper publication, serve to regulate the duties of said board and the practice of embalming dead human bodies, and to supervise the granting of licenses to practice the profession of embalming within the state, and the enforcement of this act.

SEC 13 Section fifteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 15. Licenses of other jurisdiction having substantially equal requirements and recognizing licenses granted by this state, may be recognized as sufficient evidence of the necessary qualifications and the holder thereof granted a license to practice in this state, providing the applicant is of good moral character and has resided in the State of California for a period of six months preceding his application for such license, and upon payment of a fee of ten dollars

SEC 14. Section sixteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 16. Whenever the state board of embalming shall have reason to believe that any person to whom a license has been issued, has become unfitted to practice embalming and disinfection, or has violated any provision of this law, or any rule or regulation prescribed by the state board of embalmers, or whenever a written complaint of a licensed embalmer, sustained by an affidavit thereto, charging the holder of the embalmers' license with a violation of the law, rules or regulations pertaining to embalming, is filed with said board, it shall be the duty of the state board of embalmers to notify the person so charged that it has reasons to believe he has violated the provisions of the law and that his license should be revoked; which notice shall be served upon him either by registered mail or personal service; *provided*, that when a written complaint against any such person is filed with the

board, either by a member thereof, or a licensed embalmer, a copy thereof shall be attached to the notice served upon such person. The said notice shall set forth in what particulars it is claimed there has been a violation of the law, or for what reason the person is believed to be unfitted to longer follow the profession of an embalmer. The said board shall in such notice definitely fix a time and place where it will be in session for the purpose of considering such person's case, which time shall not be less than twelve days after the serving of notice upon such person. Such person shall have the right to appear before the board at such time and place and dispute and disprove the charge made in said notice. If, after considering all facts and circumstances, the board shall have sufficient reason to believe there has been a violation of any rule or regulation prescribed by the board governing the preparation and transportation of any dead human body, or that such person is unfitted to remain a licensed embalmer in this state, the board shall have the right to revoke and cancel the license theretofore granted to such person.

SEC. 15. Section seventeen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 17. The state board of embalmers shall provide a course of lectures and practical demonstrations on the latest and improved methods of embalming, the same to be held at different centralized cities in the State of California, and it is hereby made the duty of each licensed embalmer within the State of California, to attend such lectures and demonstrations at least once in every three years. The secretary of the state board of embalmers shall mail a notice to every licensed embalmer to his last known address thirty days prior to the date of said lecture stating the time and place where such course is to be given, and all those attending these lectures shall produce a correct record of the same and forward to the secretary of the state board of embalmers. If any licensed embalmer within the state fails or refuses to attend such a course of lectures and demonstrations once in three years as herein set out, such action shall constitute sufficient cause for the revocation of his or her license. Should sickness or other cause make it impossible for any licensed embalmer to attend such course he shall make sworn affidavit and present same to the board who shall be sole judge as to the reasonableness of such claim and if the board find justification for the claim they may, at their discretion, grant suspension of attendance for one year. The state board of embalmers is hereby authorized to engage said lecturer and demonstrator and affix compensation for same.

SEC. 16. Section eighteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 18. Nothing in this act shall apply to, or in any way interfere with the duties of any officer of any local or public institution or any duly credited medical college, nor shall this act apply to any one engaged only in the furnishing of burial receptacles for the dead but shall apply only to persons engaged in the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposition of the dead.

SEC. 17. Section nineteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19. It shall be unlawful for any person, railroad, express company, or common carrier to receive for transportation any dead human body, unless said body has been prepared by a regularly licensed embalmer, in accordance with the rules prescribed by the state board of embalmers.

SEC. 18. Section twenty of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 20. It shall be unlawful to embalm a dead human body when a fact within the knowledge of the embalmer is sufficient to arouse suspicion of crime in connection with the cause of death of the deceased, until permission of the coroner or justice of the peace (if there be no coroner) has first been obtained. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than twenty-five dollars.

SEC. 19. Section twenty-one of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 21. Non-residents living along the border of the State of California doing business within this state, may make application for a special license, provided they can comply with the rules and regulations governing applicants for a license, and furnish a certificate from their state certifying that the applicant holds a valid license, and upon the payment of a fee of twenty dollars, with a yearly renewal fee of five dollars.

SEC. 20. Section twenty-two of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 22. When an embalmer has allowed his license to lapse, for any reason whatever, his license and number may be reinstated by the proper application of such embalmer, said application to be accompanied by a fee of ten dollars and all back dues to date, whereupon the board may reinstate such applicant, provided such lapse shall not have been over two years.

SEC. 21. Section twenty-three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 23. The state board of embalmers is authorized to enter into an agreement with the proper authorities for the purpose of establishing a school of embalming in connection with any state educational institution of university grade maintained by a city, city and county, or school district in the state for the purpose of instructing students in the art of embalming and the sanitary care of the dead. The

board shall be empowered to employ instructors, secure paraphernalia, lay out a course of instruction and requirements for graduation to require fees for same, which said fees shall be deposited in the state treasury in a fund which shall be known as the "embalmers' school fund" which fund is hereby created, all moneys paid into such fund are hereby appropriated to the use of such school this school is to be in no way an expense to the state Upon graduation a diploma thereupon shall entitle the holder to be admitted to practice within the state.

SEC. 22 Section twenty-four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC 24 All licensed embalmers shall use yellow pasters to be furnished by the state board of embalmers, said pasters to be approved by the state board of health No railroad, express company or other common carrier shall accept for transportation any dead human body unless said body is accompanied with said yellow shipping paster'

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 373, relating to the dumping or deposit of garbage, offal, excreta or other refuse upon the beaches or shores of the Pacific Ocean.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "373" add the following

No person, firm or corporation shall dump deposit, or throw or cause to be dumped, deposited or thrown, any garbage, sewage offal, excreta, or other similar refuse material upon any beach or shore of the Pacific ocean generally used for bathing purposes in the State of California *provided, however*, that nothing in this section shall be construed as preventing the discharge of sewage offshore into the waters of the Pacific ocean from any sewage disposal outfall which is now or may hereafter be legally operated and maintained Violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend Assembly Bill No. 851 by inserting after section 1, in line 1, of the printed bill the following

Section nine of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 9 No bank of this state, or any officer or director thereof, shall hereafter open or keep an office other than its principal place of business, without first having obtained the written approval of the superintendent of banks to the opening of such branch office, which written approval may be given or withheld in his discretion, and shall not be given by him until he has ascertained to his satisfaction that the public convenience and advantage will be promoted by the opening of such branch office, *provided*, that no bank or any officer or director thereof, shall open or maintain any such branch office unless the capital of such bank, actually paid in, in cash, shall exceed the amount required by this act by the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for each branch office opened and maintained in the place where its principal business is transacted, *and provided*, that for each branch office opened or maintained by any bank, other than a bank transacting only the business described in section six of this act, in any place in this state other than the place where the

principal business of such bank is transacted, the capital of such bank, actually paid in, in cash, shall exceed the amount required by this act in the sum required by this act for every bank hereafter organized in the place where each branch office is to be opened or maintained, exclusive of the capital required for a trust department; *and provided also*, that for each branch office opened or maintained by any corporation which has power to transact only such business as is described in section six of this act or in section four hundred fifty-three *x* of the Civil Code, in any place in this state other than the place where the principal business of such corporation is transacted, the capital of such corporation, actually paid in, in cash, shall exceed the amount required by this act in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars; *and provided, further*, that no branch office may be discontinued without the previous written approval of the superintendent of banks.

Every bank, before it opens a branch office, shall obtain the certificate of authority of the superintendent of banks for the opening of each of said branch offices. The applicant shall pay for such certificate a fee of fifty dollars; *provided, however*, that, in order to encourage saving among the children of the schools of this state, a bank may, with the written consent of and under regulations approved by the superintendent of banks and, in the case of public schools, by the board of education or board of school trustees of the city or district in which the school is situated, arrange for the collection of savings from the school children by the principal or teachers of such schools or by collectors. The principal, teacher or person authorized by the bank to make collections from the school children shall be deemed to be the agent of the bank and the bank shall be liable to the pupil for all deposits made with such principal, teacher or other person, the same as if the deposits were made by the pupil directly with the bank. Every bank and every such officer or director violating the provisions of this section shall forfeit to the people of the state the sum of one hundred dollars for every day during which any branch office hereafter opened shall be maintained without such written approval.

If a corporation or bank applying for a certificate to do a banking business, or if a bank applying for the opening of a "branch" or "office" or "branch office", or applying for the purchase of, or merger with, another bank to be operated as "branch" or "office" or "branch office", is affiliated with another bank or banks or another institution or institutions through stock ownership, interest, or stock control, either direct or indirect, or whether whole or partial, through any medium, entity, or interest, and if in the opinion of the superintendent of banks such affiliation or community of interest, ownership, or control, might tend to menace or to be *injurious to the stability of the bank or banks in such community of interest or* control, or might tend to menace or to be injurious to the State of California, or any part thereof, the superintendent of banks may refuse to grant such certificate to do a banking business or to approve the opening of such "branch" or "office" or "branch office".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1086—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 9*a*.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend Assembly Bill No. 1086 by inserting after "Sec. 9*a*" in line 5 of the printed bill the following:

"Any bank organized and existing under the laws of this state and having the capital or capital and surplus required by this act, and being in a solvent condition and desiring to open, establish and keep a branch office within the state in any city or city and county having a population of not less than five hundred thousand persons as shown by the last preceding United States census, regardless of where its principal place of business within this state may be, may make written application to the superintendent of banks of this state that he give his written approval to the opening of a branch office within this state in said city or city and county.

Such application shall be verified by said bank before a notary public or any officer, authorized under the laws of California to administer an oath, by a duly authorized officer of said bank, and shall set forth the name and address of the applicant bank, the specific location of the proposed branch office, and shall inform the superintendent of banks, by a proper description, the particular locality or

district that it desires and intends to serve, which description shall be set forth in clear terms in the application.

Such locality or district may include the whole of any number of voting precincts within any city or city and county having a population of not less than five hundred thousand persons, as shown by the last preceding United States census, and lying wholly or partly in an area extending not less than one-eighth of a mile in any direction from the specific location of the proposed branch office, *provided*, that said locality or district shall include not less than one thousand (1000) persons who are registered voters whose names shall appear on the great register of the county or city and county within the locality or district described

Such application shall be supported by petition or petitions signed and verified by registered voters within said district not less in number than twenty (20) per centum of the total registered voters of such locality or district.

Any person, whose name appears on said great register as being a person entitled to vote within said locality, or district in this state, may make written petition to the superintendent of banks of this state that he give his written approval to, and that he grant and approve in writing any such application by a bank for the opening of a branch office within this state by any bank organized and existing under the laws of this state and having the capital or capital and surplus required by this act and being in a solvent condition

Said petition shall be verified by each petitioner before a notary public or any officer authorized under the law to administer an oath and shall set forth the name and address of the petitioner, and shall be substantially in the following form:

_____, California, _____, 19____.

To the Superintendent of Banks of the State of California.

I, the undersigned, do hereby petition you to give your written approval to the opening by the _____ a banking corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California and having its principal place of business in the City of _____, County of _____, State of California, of a branch office to be located at_____ in the _____ of _____, County of _____, State of California, and designed to serve a locality or district described as follows:

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I am a registered voter of said district; I reside at_____

_____;

my occupation is _____.

It is my intention and desire to transact business with such branch office of said bank, if established, and I verily believe and aver that the public convenience and advantage of the locality or district wherein it is sought to establish such branch office will be promoted thereby.

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Subscribed and sworn to —

etc.,

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Said petitions and a copy of the application to the superintendent of banks herein provided for, shall be submitted by the applying bank to the county clerk of the county or the registrar of voters of the city and county, who shall examine said petitions and issue a certificate certifying as follows:

1. That no part of the outer boundary of the locality or district mentioned in said application is less than one-eighth of a mile from the specific location of the proposed branch.

2. The total number of registered voters contained in the precinct within the locality or district mentioned in the application of the applying bank.

3. The total number of voters registered within the locality or district mentioned in said application, who signed and verified the petition accompanying said application.

The county clerk or the registrar of voters shall, within ten (10) days after said petitions and copy of application have been filed with him by the applying bank, attach his certificate to said petitions, and transmit said petitions, certificate and copy of application to the superintendent of banks of the State of California

The certificate of the county clerk or registrar of voters shall be accepted by the superintendent of banks as conclusive with regard to the matters in this section required.

In the event that an application and the necessary supporting petitions as in this section provided for are in the form herein prescribed, and are signed and verified in the manner and by a sufficient number of persons as herein provided and accompanied by a certificate of the county clerk or registrar of voters as herein provided, then and in that event it shall be conclusively presumed that said bank desiring said branch office has proved and established that the public convenience and advantage will be promoted by the opening of such branch office.

Within twenty (20) days after the receipt by the superintendent of banks of any application, petitions and certificate as aforesaid, the superintendent of banks shall determine whether or not the said application and petitions are substantially in the form as herein prescribed, and signed and verified in the manner and by a sufficient number of persons as herein provided for, as shown by the certificate of the county clerk or registrar of voters, and shall within said twenty (20) days announce said determination in writing, and communicate the said determination in writing to the said applying bank.

In the event that the said superintendent of baks determines that the said application and petitions are substantially in the form as herein prescribed and signed and verified in the manner and by a sufficient number of persons as herein provided for, as shown by the certificate of the county clerk or registrar of voters, then and in that event the said superintendent of banks, within thirty (30) days after the filing of said application and petitions, and upon receiving from the said bank payment of the required fee, shall further find and declare that the public convenience and advantage will be promoted by the opening of said branch office, and the written approval of the superintendent of banks to the opening of said branch office must be given within such forty (40) days after the filing of said application, petitions and certificate anything in this act to the contrary notwithstanding."

The provisions of this section shall be construed as providing a method in addition to that provided for in section nine of this act, for establishing branch offices

Nothing in this act contained shall, in any way, limit application, upon the part of a qualified bank, to but one application for a branch of said bank under this act but other applications for branch banks may be made by any qualified bank complying with this act."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 603—An act authorizing and directing the State Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Oxnard to a point to be selected by the State Highway Commission upon the State highway extending from Los Angeles to Ventura, such point to be at or near the town of El Rio, Ventura County.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 21—An act declaring the public highway extending from Irwin street within the corporate limits of the city of San Rafael, in Marin County, California, to Point San Quentin, in Marin County, California, to be a State highway

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 363—An act ceding and turning over to the State of California certain improved county highways in Napa County at a point where the same intersects the State highway in Napa County leading to Sacramento; thence southerly to the northerly end of the city of Vallejo, in Solano County, and continuing from the southerly boundary of the city of Vallejo in a southerly direction to the straits of Carquinez, and including such parts of the road along said route owned by private persons in Solano County, providing that all of said highways and roads shall be placed under the supervision of the State Highway Commission

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 11—An act to amend sections 7 and 8g of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of

California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 5*a*.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "schedule" insert the following: "except ant poisons which contain not to exceed two tenths (2/10) of one per cent (1%) by weight of arsenic expressed in terms of metallic arsenic".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the title, strike out the period following the second letter "a", and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "relating to poisons".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 162—An act to regulate the working hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "court", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof semicolon, and the following: "*provided, however*, that the provisions of this act shall not apply in any case of emergency

The word emergency as used herein shall be construed as being accident, death, sickness or epidemic."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act to make effective the laws of this State, relating to stock without any nominal or par value—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relating to the California Diamond Jubilee celebration;

Also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13—Relative to the improvement of the San Joaquin river and Stockton channel by the United States, and asking the United States to appropriate sums of money for dredging, deepening, widening, and otherwise improving the said channels;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

LOUTTIT, Chairman

The above reported resolutions ordered to engrossment.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend sections 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, relating to the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 219—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for the resurvey, reconstruction and improvement thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 435—An act declaring the present highway from Malin on the Oregon state line and leading therefrom through Lookout and Bieber to Susanville, California, to be a State highway,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21½, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the dairy control fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. West moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and forty minutes a m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 765—An act to open and dedicate as a public street a certain strip of submerged land one hundred fifty feet wide known as First avenue south and as Arthur avenue, extending from Third

street, formerly Kentucky street, to Newhall street, in the city and county of San Francisco, and to grant said strip of land for that purpose to the city and county of San Francisco, and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jacobson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word San Francisco, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following "reserving in said strip of land to be conveyed to the city and county of San Francisco for said street known as Arthur avenue, a perpetual right of way thereon for the State Belt Railroad."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jacobson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 765, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JACOBSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend section 1927 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1217 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing combination insurance policies.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 58 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Noyes,

Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "which" and insert in lieu thereof the following "when such striking from the files".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright, S. V., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly bill No. 576, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, S. V., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage

Assembly Bill No. 794—An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, by the State Board of Health, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 794 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act to amend sections 1 and 17 and to add a new section to be numbered 17½ to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a State hospital for the insane to be located

in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1234 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and eight minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Johnson.

The roll of absentees was called and Assembly Bill No. 878 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Badham, Byrne, Cloudman, Davis, Dodge, Fry, Graves, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, and Walters—18.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Eksward gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 878 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, to be numbered 13, relating to inclusion and exclusion of territory in public cemetery districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 215 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Cleveland—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to extending condolences to the people of the state of Illinois by reason of the tornado.

Introduced without reference to committee.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Walters asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18, at this time, without reference to committee.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to extending condolences to the people of the state of Illinois by reason of the tornado.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18 ordered to print, and to Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 18.

Relative to extending condolences to the people of the State of Illinois by reason of the tornado

WHEREAS, A great and terrible tornado has been visited upon the State of Illinois, causing the loss of hundreds of lives, and much damage to property, and

WHEREAS, The entire nation is shocked with the news of this terrible disaster which has come so suddenly upon the people of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The people of the State of California, through their duly elected representatives, are desirous of extending their sympathy to the people of the State of Illinois in their hour of sorrow; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California hereby extends to the people of its sister state, Illinois, the sincere condolences and sympathy of the people of the State of California, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forthwith transmitted to the Governor of the State of Illinois.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts

or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 899 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Campbell, and Cleveland—2

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 582 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 481—An act to amend section 2158 of the Political Code, relating to hospital funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 481 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 363*i*, relating to the duties of the Department of Public Works.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 207 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lattle, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Browne, Cloudman, Heisinger, and Wright, T. M.—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

MR SPEAKER: I voted in favor of the passage of Assembly Bill No. 207 only after having an understanding with the authors that it would be so amended in the Senate as to apply to signs, etc., on the pavement only of highways.

PERCY G. WEST.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER FIFTEEN.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the States of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to amend section 1550 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, or transporting logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products from such logs and providing for means by which the owner of such logs or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor; to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together

with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1205—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State, to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases, to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof, to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person, to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder, and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of judgments against counties, cities, cities and counties, and towns," approved March 24, 1901—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled 'An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to amend sections 1510 and 1514 of the Political Code; to repeal section 1511*b* of the Political Code and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1511*b*, relating to the powers and duties of coroners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 31—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions

of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1071—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 589—An act to amend section 365c of the Political Code of the State of California and to add section 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission

Also Assembly Bill No 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways on State roads, providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor, regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith,

Has has the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1519*a*, of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education—has had the same under

consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to amend section 19*x*17 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on County Government.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 294—An act appropriating money for the erection of buildings for boys requiring special custodial care, for service connections, furnishings and equipment for the same at the Preston School of Industry;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 290—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Niles and Santa Rita, in the county of Alameda, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 687 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to issuance of executions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution by adding a new section to article VI thereof to be numbered section 4½, relative to courts of appellate jurisdiction—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relating to the California Diamond Jubilee celebration—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to the fees of the Secretary of State.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*a*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 21—An act declaring the public highway extending from Irwin street within the corporate limits of the city of San Rafael, in Marin County, California, to Point San Quentin, in Marin County, California, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to liability of innkeepers.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 363—An act ceding and turning over to the State of California certain improved county highways in Napa County at a point where the same intersects the State highway in Napa County leading to Sacramento thence southerly to the northerly end of the city of Vallejo, in Solano County, and continuing from the southerly boundary of the city of Vallejo in a southerly direction to the straits of Carquinez, and including such parts of the road along said route owned by private persons in Solano County, providing that all of said highways and roads shall be placed under the supervision of the State Highway Commission;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to arson.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to common carriers

Also: Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 3454 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed, salt marsh and tidelands;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 603—An act authorizing and directing the State Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Oxnard to a point to be selected by the State Highway Commission upon the State highway extending from Los Angeles to Ventura, such point to be at or near the town of El Rio, Ventura County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act relating to the liquidation of banks by the superintendent of banks, empowering him to levy assessments against the members and stockholders of any bank in process of liquidation by him to an amount which he may determine to be necessary to promptly pay the creditors of such bank in full; to enforce such assessments by suit and empowering the superior court to determine the equities of the members and stockholders of any such bank to any surplus which may remain after the payment of the creditors of such bank in full and to award and distribute the same accordingly," approved May 17, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to amend section 1547 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices of sale;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes; prohibiting the use of second hand boxes for packing such pastes; prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation compounding packing, selling, or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored alimentary pastes; vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to extending condolences to the people of the state of Illinois, by reason of the tornado—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the entire bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Relative to extending condolences to the people of the States of Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky, by reason of the tornado.

WHEREAS, A great and terrible tornado has been visited upon the States of Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky, causing the loss of hundreds of lives and much damage to property, and

WHEREAS, The entire nation is shocked with the news of this terrible disaster which has come so suddenly upon the people of the States of Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky, and

WHEREAS, The people of the State of California, through their duly elected representatives, are desirous of extending their sympathy to the people of the States of Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky in their hour of sorrow; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California hereby extends to the people

of its sister states, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky, the sincere condolences and sympathy of the people of the State of California; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forthwith transmitted to the Governors of the States of Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky.

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—None.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER FIFTEEN (RESUMED).

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 15 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

RECESS.

At three o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until three o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m. of this day for the purpose of being addressed by the Honorable Nathan Coombs, Department Commander, State of California, The American Legion, and Captain Dancey, Americanization Officer of the State Department, The American Legion, on Americanization, in accordance with Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18

REASSEMBLED.

At three o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER FIFTEEN (RESUMED).

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—Badham, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Foster, Graves, Louttit, McPherson, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, and Weller—15.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 15.

Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the states of California, Colorado, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah and Wyoming, have heretofore approved the Colorado River Compact, signed by the commissioners for said states and the state of Arizona, and approved by Herbert Hoover, as the representative of the United States of America, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, November 24, 1922, and notice of the approval by the Legislature of each of said approving states has been given by the governor thereof to the governors of the other signatory states, and to the President of the United States, as required by article eleven of said compact; and

WHEREAS, The said compact has not been approved by the legislature of the state of Arizona, nor by the Congress of the United States. Now, therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the Legislature of the State of California, jointly, at its forty-sixth session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, a majority of all the members elected to each house of said Legislature voting in favor thereof that the provisions of the first paragraph of article eleven of the said Colorado River Compact, making said compact binding and obligatory when it shall have been approved by the Legislature of each of the signatory states are hereby waived and said compact shall become binding and obligatory upon the State of California, when by acts or resolutions of their respective legislatures at least six of the signatory states, which have approved or which may hereafter approve said compact, shall consent to such waiver and the Congress of the United States shall have given its consent and approval: *provided, however,* that said Colorado River Compact shall not be binding or obligatory upon the State of California by this or any former approval thereof, or in any event until the President of the United States shall certify and declare (*a*) that the Congress of the United States has duly authorized and directed the construction by the United States of a dam in the main stream of the Colorado River, at or below Boulder canyon, adequate to create a storage reservoir of a capacity of not less than twenty million acre-feet of water; and, (*b*) that the Congress of the United States has exercised the power and jurisdiction of the United States to make the terms of said Colorado River Compact binding and effective as to the water of said Colorado River.

That certified copies of the foregoing preamble, and resolution be forwarded by the Governor of the State of California to the President of the United States, the secretary of state of the United States, and the governors of the states of Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Reindollar moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1200 was this day refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. West, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Friday, March 20, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, March 20, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Cuttenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller,

Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. William E. Harrison of the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Levey, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, the following teachers, their guests, and pupils of the Napa Union High School of Napa were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Mr. Crawford, principal, and Mrs. Crawford; Miss Coombs, Miss Gorham and Miss Hawkins, teachers; Mrs. Munk, Mr. Bickford, Mrs. Bickford, Mrs. McCartney, Mr. C. H Schmidt, Mrs. Cavagnaro, Mrs. Sawyer, Mrs. Noble, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs Drussel, Mrs. Hartley, Mrs. Healey, Mrs. Grigsby, Mrs. Pearch, and Mr. Maynard.

Seniors—Ruth Hemmerling, Madelyn Munk, Sylvia Wells, Bessie Suhber, Mary Mullet, George Gerlach, Catherine Flanagan, Elizabeth Jewell, Bernadette Gibb, Edna Cook, Jean Piercy, Ernestine Enlow, Richard Davis, Quinn French, Maurice Smith, Drury Melone, Edna Raymond, James Giardina, Arline Wildbuger, Mae Siegel, Undine Harris, Victor Hunt, Herbert Hall, Roy Jorgenson, Kingsley Elrick, Bryan Mannering, Harold French, Lloyd Tillotson, Muriel Morris, Rhoda Collier, Ruth Hardin, Milton Darins, Arthur Schmidt, Frances McCartney, Anita Cavagnaro, Claude Carlisle, Mildred Bartholomew, Marian Heston, Edith Vieusseux, Margaret York, Helen Peterman, Helen Noble, Marjorie Crandall, Philip Curry, Alice Dovey, Whitfield Griffiths, Edward Healy, Lawrence Draper, Aida Franzi, Ruth Bickford, Mary Rogers, Mildred Pearch, Elizabeth Martin, William Thompson, Mervyn McKenzie, and Robert Brantley.

Juniors—Kenneth Clark, Ridgeway Smith, Harold Campbell, Dell Scott, Burr Northrop, Rachel Gould, Ned Raymond, Bethene Eddy, Jewell Thorne, Carol Williams, Marian Treadway, Gordon Elrick, Fores Hammond, Violet Robinson, Elizabeth Ritchey, Charles Roeder, Elmere Drussel, Payson Clark, Lida Smith, Winifred Zimmerman, Charlotte Woul, Robert Waldrop, Starr Northrop, Gladys Funke, Ona Whitman, Laverne Stark, Edith Ransford, Orville Hillis, Harold Bunce, Willard Fisher, Frances Frisch, Donald Reid, Herbert Sawyer, Kenneth Lane, Helen Castro, Paul Crandall, Dan Norton, Wesley Rutherford, Silvio Barovetto, Sam Shippey, Walter Vollmer, Alice Truett, Albina Schiavi, and Margaret Krenke

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. J. E. Maxwell, instructor of the Galt High School Civics and Social Science class and the following pupils were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Lucille Barquist, Wade Burt, Raymond Biagi, Raymond Coupe, Hazel Cooper, Chester Crump, Ben Dresser, Irvin Engel, Elsie Daniels, Margaret Kelsey, Christine Madsen, Elizabeth McInerney, Lucille Mollring, Julius Pellandini, John Shellenbarger, Margaret Wise, Irving Adams, George May, and George Green.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce brokers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State Directors of Agriculture with reference thereto, to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor, to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agricultural lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to authorize and empower the Director of the Department of Agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno and Los Angeles, making the expenditure of funds under the provisions hereof contingent upon the expenditure of a like sum by the United States Department of Agriculture, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, authorizing the acceptance by the Department of Agriculture of donations to be expended in accordance with the provisions hereof and creating the agricultural leased wire fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 13, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 680—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the county superintendent of schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1897, providing for the creation of revolving funds in school districts, high school districts,

and junior college districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relative to incorporated cities and school districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State for and furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to amend section 1617½ of the Political Code, relating to the selling or leasing of any real property upon which no public school is being maintained—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 75—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a board of parole commissioners of each county in the State, for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails, and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to the membership of such board—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the twelfth class—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 977—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualifications of judges;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Nielsen:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts; providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development, and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals, and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities, and to provide the method of payment therefor.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Scofield:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees, providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation; defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 268—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment, fine and imprisonment;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1092—An act to prevent the spread of plant pests by means of containers, appliances or articles used in connection with various agricultural commodities, to confer upon the Director of the Department of Agriculture the power to designate such species and such treatment thereof as he shall deem adequate to prevent such spread, to confer upon the county horticultural commissioners the power to prescribe such treatment, to prohibit the transportation from or into any county or locality of the state of any such containers, appliances or articles unless proof shall have been furnished that the same have not been exposed to infection or infestation by such plant pests, to make a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act for the prevention, eradication and control of insect pests and diseases affecting grapes, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation thereto," approved June 3, 1921;

Also Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend section 1*b* of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Also Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*c* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 495—An act to protect poultry from contagious and infectious diseases and to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 604—An act to authorize the sale and conveyance by the State Board of Control of any real estate acquired by the State for use of the California Highway Commission, and to credit the proceeds of such sale to such fund as the California Highway Commission may direct.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 604 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns, for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon, for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts, established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work," approved March 21, 1907, as amended, so as to include therein provisions for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and other public property within incorporated cities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and also upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality;

Also: Senate Bill No. 205—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 8½, to an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department, and to assess and collect taxes from time to time for such purpose, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 14 of "The Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 550—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended relating to the matters to be stated in contracts and receipts issued by such employment agencies, providing for standard and uniform forms of contracts and receipts to be prepared by the commissioner of labor and providing that an employer must so state on the reverse side of an employment contract or receipt if the applicant was not employed or if he was discharged in less than seven days, as the case may be;

Also: Senate Bill No. 406—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to prohibit the promotion or prosecution of such suits, and to provide a penalty for a violation of this act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 380 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 205 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 622 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No. 550 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Senate Bill No. 406 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13—Relative to the improvement of the San Joaquin River and Stockton Channel by the United States, and asking the United States to appropriate sums of money for dredging, deepening, widening, and otherwise improving the said channels—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of reinsurance companies to reinsure the business of county fire insurance companies.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 562—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend sections 16 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 7, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act to make effective the laws of this State, relating to stock without any nominal or par value.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend sections 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, relating to the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 9, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "exceed" strike out the word "seven" and in lieu thereof insert the word "six".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 219—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for the resurvey, reconstruction and improvement thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "highway" and insert in lieu thereof a period

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 3 and 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following "and making an appropriation for the resurvey, reconstruction and improvement thereof."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 435—An act declaring the present highway from Malin on the Oregon state line and leading therefrom through Lookout and Bieber to Susanville, California, to be a State highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the second and third lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Oregon state line and leading therefrom via Lookout and Willow creek pass to Susanville, California, to be a state highway"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 7, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That certain highway leading from a point south of Malin on the California-Oregon state line, via Lookout and Willow creek pass, and connecting with the California state highway at Susanville, is hereby declared to be an interstate highway to be known as a part of "The Dalles-Reno-Los Angeles highway", and the same is hereby placed under the management and control of the California highway commission

SEC. 2. The California highway commission is hereby authorized and empowered to make all necessary surveys for such highway, and to construct, reconstruct, or alter such state highway by the most direct and practicable route"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 17 to 24, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"In case of sale on an increased bid made at the time of confirmation to a purchaser not represented by a broker the court shall fix the commission to be paid to the broker representing the purchaser whose bid was returned to the court for confirmation.

But if the same be made on an increased bid procured in good faith by another licensed broker, said commission shall be paid, one half to the said broker procuring the increased bid and one half to the broker whose bid was returned to the court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "to be" and insert in lieu thereof the following "the amount of which must be fixed and".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their livestock, machinery or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, or transporting logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products from such logs and providing for means by which the owner of such logs or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor; to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ceases" and strike out all of lines 32 to 40, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "shall continue in force for a period of thirty days from the time the person claiming such lien shall have ceased to do or perform the work or render the service for which said lien is claimed, while such logs or manufactured timber products are in the county in which such labor was performed or service rendered, and said lien shall cease at the expiration of the said thirty days unless the claimant thereof, or his assignee or successor in interest, brings suit to foreclose the same."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, insert before the word "defendant" the word "a."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1205—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols,

revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases, to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof, to authorize in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 23 and 24, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and all law enforcement officers".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "billy" and the comma.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of judgments against counties, cities, cities and counties, and towns," approved March 23, 1901.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Insert at the end of the title of the printed bill the following: "and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the words "the contractor and either at least two," and insert in lieu thereof the words "either two or more".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, lines 7, 8, and 9 of the printed bill, strike out the words "thirty days after the official acceptance as completed of the work or improvement contracted to be executed" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the period within which claims of lien must be filed for record as prescribed by section one thousand one hundred eighty-seven of the Code of Civil Procedure".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "awarded" insert the words "or with the controller, auditor, or other public disbursing officer whose duty it is to make payments under the provisions of such contract".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, at the end of line 13, of the printed bill, insert a new sentence to read as follows: "It shall be lawful for the state or any public board, commission, or officer thereof, or any political subdivision thereof, within ten days after the completion of any contract or structure, or work of improvement, provided for in this act, or within ten days after there has been a cessation from labor thereon for a period of thirty days, to file for record in the office of the county recorder of the county or counties where the property is situated, a notice setting forth the date when the same was completed or on which cessation from labor occurred, together with the name of the state or such public board, commission or officer thereof, or such political subdivision thereof and a description of the property or public work or structure sufficient for identification and the name of the contractor or contractors, the names of the sureties, if any, which notice shall be verified by some officer of the state or some member of such board, commission or officer thereof, or of such political subdivision thereof, and in case such notice be not so filed, the failure to so file shall have the same effect as is provided in section one thousand one hundred eighty-seven of the Code of Civil Procedure with reference to the "owner"."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

At page 4, lines 4 and 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "at the time the voucher is given to the auditor for payment" and insert in lieu thereof the words "before the disbursing officer shall have actually surrendered possession of the warrant, checks, bonds, or money".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

At page 4, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "over the above" and insert in lieu thereof the words "over and above".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4 of the printed bill, after the period following the word "notwithstanding" add the following: "If the contractor, subcontractor or other person against whom any claims filed as provided in this act shall dispute the correctness of any claim so filed or the timeliness of the filing of such claim, he may deliver to the commissioners, managers, trustees, officers, board of supervisors, board of trustees, common council, or other body by whom such contract was awarded, a bond, executed by some corporation authorized to issue surety bonds in the State of California, in a penal sum equal to one and one-fourth times the amount of such claim, which said bond shall guarantee the payment of any sum which said claimant may recover

upon said claim, together with his costs of suit in such action, if he shall recover therein and upon the filing of said bond, such board, commission, officer, or other body by whom such contract was awarded shall not withhold any moneys from said contractor on account of any such claim. The sureties upon said bond shall be jointly and severally liable to said claimant with the sureties upon the bond given in accordance with section one of this act.

At any time after the filing of such claim and prior to the trial of any issue of fact before the court in a suit upon said claim, the contractor, subcontractor, or other person against whom said claim is filed may tender to said claimant such sum as the person against whom said claim is filed admits to be due upon said claim, and if said claimant recovers nothing in said action, or if said claimant does not recover more than the amount so offered to be paid by the person against whom said claim is filed, then the person against whom said claim is filed shall recover from said claimant the reasonable value of the premium on said last mentioned bond, and said premium shall be taxed against said claimant as part of the costs in said action."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "was" and insert in lieu thereof the word "has".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "who" and insert in lieu thereof the word "whose".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to amend sections 1510 and 1514 of the Political Code; to repeal section 1511*b* of the Political Code, and relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill after the words "five hundred ten", insert the following:
"1511*b*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the second line of the title of the printed bill after the word "the" strike out the words "Political Code" and insert in lieu thereof "Penal Code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out the third, fourth, and fifth lines of the title of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, at the beginning of line 2 of the printed bill, strike out the words "Political Code", and insert in lieu thereof the words "Penal Code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 21 and 22.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1, 2, and 3, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
"SEC. 2. Section 1511*b* of the Penal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 11 and 12, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
"SEC. 3. Section 1514 of the Penal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the

said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "located" strike out the word "at" and insert in lieu thereof the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the following words, "county seat of the".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways on State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out all of lines 25 to 34, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 35, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "3" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "4" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "6" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "7" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "8" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

On page 4, line 28, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "9" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 50, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "10" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "9"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the figure "11" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 1, at the beginning of the second line of the title of the amended bill, strike out the word "on" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 11 to 21, inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Eighth" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sixth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out the words "and appropriate money" in line 44, page 2 of the printed bill, and also all of lines 45 to 49, inclusive, page 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "municipality" strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following words "and said boards shall have power to, and may in their discretion, appropriate money to pay assessments, for the improvement of streets or other public places, levied against any real property owned by, or under the control of said boards, when said property is included within an assessment district formed in pursuance of any general law of the state or under the charter of any municipality."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1519*a*, of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "that" strike out the words "the teacher has successfully taught in", and insert in lieu thereof the following

matter: "the candidate has rendered successful professional service in the public schools of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the word "teaching" and insert in lieu thereof the words "successful school".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the word "else".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 10 of the printed bill, strike out "the department of public works" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 11 of the printed bill, after the word "said", strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof the word "commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 13 of the printed bill, after the word "said", strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof the word "commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 14 of the printed bill, after the word "said", strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof the word "commission".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 687 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to issuance of executions.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Approving the charter of the city of Monterey, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Monterey at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the ninth day of March, 1925.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Olivа, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Run-

ner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 17.

Approving the charter of the city of Monterey, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified voters of said city of Monterey at a special municipal election held therein for that purpose on the ninth day of March, 1925.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 3, of the printed amendment, after the word "country" strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following *"provided, further*, that irrigation districts for the purpose of acquiring water and water rights and other property necessary for their uses and purposes, may acquire and hold the stock of corporations, domestic or foreign owning waters, water rights, canals, water works, franchises or concessions;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed amendment, after the word "this" strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the word "constitution".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report that

WHEREAS, The following named person, through error, was omitted from salary list for the week of January 8 to 13, inclusive. Same has been brought to the attention of your Committee on Attaches and after careful investigation it desires to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named person be paid at the per diem set opposite her name. Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of the officers and employees of the Assembly. Said payment to date from and include January 8 to January 13, 1925, inclusive, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon said funds in favor of the following named person for the said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

Miss Nan Trimble, Stenographer.....$5 00

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller,

J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report and submit the following resolution

Resolved, That the following named persons heretofore employed for the position and at the per diem set opposite their respective names be stricken from the roll to date from and include March 15, 1925:

Adele Foren, Stenographer	$5 00
Emmett Olmsted, Jr., Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Anna T. Perry, Postmistress	4 00
Mrs. Marie Davis, Committee Clerk	4 00
Theodore Lafayette, Journal Clerk	7 00

That the following named person be stricken from the roll to date from and include the nineteenth day of March, 1925:

Henry R. Neilson, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00

Be it further

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are appointed and employed for the position and at the per diem set opposite their respective names, the appointment of the following named persons to date from and include the fifteenth day of March, 1925.

Adele Foren, Journal Clerk	$7 00
Mrs Anna T. Perry, Assistant Sergeant-at Arms	5 00
Mrs Marie Davis, Stenographer	5 00

That the following named person be, and is hereby employed for the position and at the per diem set opposite his name to date from and include the sixteenth day of March, 1925

A. E. Alameda, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00

The following named person to date from and include the seventeenth day of March, 1925:

Mrs. Estelle Scofield, Assistant Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk	$5 00

The following named persons to date from and include the twentieth day of March, 1925

Henry R Nielson, Assistant Minute Clerk	$7 00
Violet Brossard, Stenographer	5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to prepare his warrant from said funds in favor of said named persons at said per diem, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartrauft, Hersinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Graves—1.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Reindollar moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1200 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartianft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Louttit, Murray, Roland, Spence, and Walters—6.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED.

Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384*b*, relating to the protection of the California poppy.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Spalding moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "lands" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "or" strike out the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof the words "consent of the owner or occupant, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

Motion carried

The Speaker appointed Mr. Spalding as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1200, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SPALDING, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Eksward moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 878 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "the" insert the following: "civil, Congressional,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed amendment, after the word "held" insert a comma and the following: ", or who because of injury or disability resulting from military or naval service are being cared for in a government hospital and are absent from their precincts or unable to go to the polling places".

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 449—An act to amend section 409 of the Political Code, relating to the fees of the Secretary of State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 449 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Burns, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Morrison, Rosenshine, Scudder, Spalding, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—11.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. McPherson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 449 was this day refused passage.

Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 597 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Burns, Croter, Fry, Jacobson, McDonough, Mitchell, Morrison, Schmidt and Williamson—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 559—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 626*v*, relating to protection of game.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Assembly Bill No. 559 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 559 re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended March 17, 1925, strike out the word "forty-nine" and insert in lieu thereof the word "forty-eight".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright, S. V., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 653, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, S. V., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 496 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for receiving stolen property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 88 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 457—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 531*a*, relating to returns on writs of attachments

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 457 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 473 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Schofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER THREE HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE.

Assembly Bill No. 381—An act regulating the securing by priests, ministers, or other persons, of wine for use for sacramental purposes by their congregations, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 381 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.
NOES—Burns, Dodge, Hornblower, Lyons, McDonough, Mitchell, and Oliva—7.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

For the past six years of service as a member of the State Legislature I have consistently voted against all dry legislation. Arguments presented on the floor with reference to Assembly Bill No. 381 proved that this bill did not raise a wet or dry issue that the bill was intended as a protective religious measure where fraudulent practices were being committed, causing a reflection on all religious organizations.

Communications from those opposed to prohibition laws, including the California Division Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, signed by Mr. W. H.

Metson, chairman of same, were received by me, which gave approval of Assembly Bill No. 381 and had no objections to its passage.

WALTER J SCHMIDT.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p m , on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m , the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also Assembly Bill No 275—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, counties and incorporated towns, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population may be regulated by ordinance, prescribing penalties, and providing for the appointment of a board of adjustment, and defining the powers and duties thereof, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance" approved May 31, 1917, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the sixth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 354—An act to amend section 1976 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 438—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Davis-Johnson Lumber Company against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 855—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of S. W. Persons against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to provide for the organization and government of municipal corporations consisting of two or more municipalities, or of two or more municipalities and unincorporated territory—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act relating to employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State; prohibiting false statements regarding the conditions of such employment and providing penalties for the violation hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 160—An act declaring the public highway extending from Fresno in Fresno County, to Tracy in San Joaquin County, and running through Mendota, Dos Palos, Newman and Crows Landing, to Tracy, to be a State highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 407—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act authorizing counties to improve or assist in the improvement of

streets lying in municipalities," approved April 30, 1923, amending the provisions thereof relative to the aid to be given by counties in the improvement of city streets and relative to the funds from which such aid may be given—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 106—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway; providing for the acquiring of rights of way and construction of bridges on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific highway, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

BURNS, Chairman.
McDONOUGH
CROTER.
BYRNE.
PIERCE.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 54—An act to amend section 862 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the power of boards of trustees in cities of the sixth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues,

lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities, or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Also Senate Bill No 476—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities; for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such districts to meet the cost of such improvements and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements," approved April 20 1915, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 11½, providing for the disposition of money raised by the sale of bonds under said act, whenever it has by resolution been declared to be no longer necessary to expend said money for the purpose for which the bonds were voted by reason of the fact that such purpose has been accomplished by other means,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 408—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 10, 16 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relative to maps, to the contribution by the municipality to the expense of the improvement, the overruling of protests, condemnation proceedings, the date of valuation and the payment of compensation

Also Senate Bill No 409—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, so as to permit the improvement of rights of way and property of which a municipality has possession,

Also Senate Bill No 410—An act to authorize and empower legislative bodies of municipal corporations to establish, maintain, use and reimburse revolving funds in connection with or incident to the laying out, construction or improvement of streets or other public work or the acquisition of lands, rights of way or other property necessary therefor.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 135—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved

March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to hours of labor of female employees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children, providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work and to make the affidavit or verified complaint of any person as to the age of any child affected by this act, prima facie evidence of the age of such child—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class.

Also Senate Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,
SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

Members of the Senate and Assembly.

The Governor desires written arguments in regard to all bills passed. Will you kindly send in your arguments promptly either for or against bills. In county salary increase acts, send statement of grand jury action and vote whereby such action was taken, also send the opinion of the supervisors. If publicity has been given in local papers of proposed increases or decreases, give advice of such publication.

Several bills are now awaiting arguments.

Yours respectfully,

FLETCHER BOWRON, Executive Secretary.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Wright, S. V.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18, and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Murray:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Carter:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Cloudman:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Smith:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 474 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to service of writs, notices and other process in justices' courts.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 622 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—Jacobson—1.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 286—An act to amend sections 2959, 2965 and 2966 of the Civil Code, relating to mortgages on personal property.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 286 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 287 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little Louttit, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—58.
NOES—Browne—1

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 288—An act to amend sections 4130, 4140, and 4300c, of the Political Code, relating to recorders and fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 288 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to amend section 1547 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices of sale.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1102 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 461 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to liability of innkeepers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 110 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris,

Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Jones, Murray, and Walters—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 977—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Assembly Bill No. 977 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 977 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 3454 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed, salt marsh and tidelands.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 565 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivia, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 632½, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 930 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—61

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 504—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to common carriers

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 504 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Wright, S. V., gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 504 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes; prohibiting the use of second hand boxes for packing such pastes; prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation, compounding, packing, selling, or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored alimentary pastes; vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1209 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—53.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Smith—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 603—An act authorizing and directing the State Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a state highway, extending from the town of Oxnard to a point to be selected by the State Highway Commission upon the state highway extending from Los Angeles to Ventura, such point to be at or near the town of El Rio, Ventura County.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Little moved that Assembly Bill No. 603 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Browne, Duval, Mixter, Smith and Roberts the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer by Mr. Little.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer lost, by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Byrne, Coombs, Dodge, Graves, Jones, Little, Nielsen, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—17.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Weller, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—41.

The question being on the passage of Assembly Bill No. 603.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 603 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Graves, and West—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County.

Bill read third time

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mrs. Dorris moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 7 and 8 of the printed bill strike out "of the department of public works".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 8 and 9 of the printed bill strike out "said state department of public works acting by and through".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 14 of the printed bill after the word "change" strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

After the period in line 18 of the printed bill insert the following: "The California highway commission is hereby authorized and empowered to construct, maintain and reconstruct the said proposed road."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mrs. Dorris as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 9, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DORRIS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. Browne asked for and was granted a leave of absence until Monday, March 23, 1925.

Assembly Bill No. 363—An act ceding and turning over to the State of California certain improved county highways in Napa County at a point where the same intersects the State highway in Napa County leading to Sacramento; thence southerly to the northerly end of the city of Vallejo, in Solano County, and continuing from the southerly boundary of the city of Vallejo in a southerly direction to the straits of Carquinez, and including such parts of the road along said route owned by private persons in Solano County; providing that all of said highways and roads shall be placed under the supervision of the State Highway Commission.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 363 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, and Mr Speaker—46

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1176 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dodge, Dorris Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, and Mr Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures, to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating

to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 845—An act to amend section 2079 of the Political Code, relating to allowances to organizations of the California National Guard—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to trials of employees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Service.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Civil Service.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1016—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control.

Also Assembly Bill No 788—An act to amend section 2082 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health;

Also Assembly Bill No 394—An act to amend section 1873 of the Political Code, relating to the administration of oaths by educational officers.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 636—An act to amend sections 6 and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices, providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale

or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the state's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 2086 of the Political Code, relating to salaries in the office of the Adjutant General's office—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 960—An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a division of cannery inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health, and to provide an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1214—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to the holding of State fairs—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 309—An act to amend sections 4149 and 4149*a* of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 4149*aa*, relating to county live stock inspectors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON OIL INDUSTRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Oil Industries, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines,

Also: Senate Bill No. 213—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*a*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

(Signed out)

FOSTER, Chairman.
BADHAM.
ROBERTS.
PIERCE.
ROSENSHINE.
SCOFIELD.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 379—An act for the government of the "Sutro library";

Also Assembly Bill No. 533—An act adding a new section to the Civil Code of this State, to be numbered section 2205 and relating to the liability of stage lines, transfer companies and other common carriers operating over public highways for loss or damage to baggage;

Also Assembly Bill No. 732—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24 an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious diseases, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposal of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Embalmers;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of judgments against counties, cities, cities and counties, and towns," approved March 23, 1901;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1086—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 9*a*;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 373, relating to the dumping or deposit of garbage, offal, excreta or other refuse upon the beaches or shores of the Pacific Ocean;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act to make effective the laws of this State, relating to stock without any nominal or par value;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17—Relative to a joint meeting of the Legislature—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twentieth day of March, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to extending condolences to the people of the states of Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky, by reason of the tornado—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twentieth day of March, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 322—An act to amend section 4265 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, expenses, and compensation of county officers in counties of the thirty-sixth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twentieth day of March, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to amend section 29 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expenses of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to repeal section 2184 of the Political Code, relating to the commitment of insane persons to the Southern California State Hospital.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5, and 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921; as amended, relating to apple packing and grading.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3244*a*, relating to the hours of labor of employees and guards at the State prisons.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State prison at Folsom without cost to the State.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 309—An act to amend section 2152 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, qualifications and removal of medical superintendents of State hospitals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 2153*a* of the Political Code, relating to the duties of medical superintendents of State hospitals.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 625—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1454*a*, relating to obtaining money by heirs.

Also Senate Bill No 732—An act to amend section 3618*a* of the Political Code, relating to the correction of any error in the assessment of land or any subsequent step in the collection of the taxes thereon.

Also Senate Bill No. 194—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to the annexation of a high school district or union high school district to a junior college district;

Also Senate Bill No 368—An act amending sections 1246, 1247, 1247*a*, and 1252 of the Penal Code, all relating to the manner of taking, perfecting and hearing appeals in criminal cases.

Also Senate Bill No 720—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Bureau of Tuberculosis under the direction of the State Board of Health, defining its powers and duties; providing for the granting of State aid to cities, counties, cities and counties and groups of counties for the support and care of persons affected with tuberculosis; making an appropriation therefor, and repealing certain acts of the Legislature of the State of California," approved June 12, 1915, as amended

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 625 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No. 732 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 194 read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Senate Bill No 368 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 720 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr Spence, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Monday, March 23, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 23, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Spalding, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, Mr. Melville was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr Dillinger, Judge Clarke Howard of Placerville, California, former assistant minute clerk, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. H. S. Lyon, assistant district attorney of El Dorado County, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. A. S. Lyon of Placerville, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, to provide for the appointment of an additional superior court judge and for his compensation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 7385, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court of Sacramento County, and repealing all parts of acts in conflict therewith;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to amend section 19x12 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended, relative to the salary of probation officer in counties of the twelfth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1084—An act to create and define the powers and duties of a State Commission to represent the State in arranging and carrying out a program for the celebration of the bicentennial of the birth of George Washington;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered.

By Mr Murray:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the Contingent Expense Fund in favor of Arthur A Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of one hundred dollars ($100), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the Chief Clerk's office.

The Speaker referred the above resolution to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce a bill was presented:

By Mr. Louttit:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following constitutional amendment was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Coombs: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—Proposed amendment to article IV, sections 23 and 23*a*, of the constitution, relative to the salaries of the members of the Legislature, the expenses thereof, the appointment of officers, employees or attaches, and their compensation.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 725—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 15, 15*a*, 21*a*, 62, 65, 80, 83, 96, 101, 123, 130, 132, and 138, and by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 16, 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, 16*e* and 104, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, after the words "civil procedure", strike out the semicolon and the words "provided, that" and in lieu thereof insert the following: "provided,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "living" and insert a comma and the words "and the amounts of whose deposit is not more than ten dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "living" and insert a comma and the words "and the amount of whose deposit is not more than ten dollars"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "bank", insert the words: "organized under the laws of, or doing business in this state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "forged", insert a comma and the word "altered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 30, of the printed bill, following the word "forged", insert a comma and the word "altered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "bank", insert the words, "organized under the laws of, or doing business in this state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 52, of the printed bill, after the word "bank", add the words: "organized under the laws of, or doing business in this state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5, of the printed bill, strike out all, beginning with line 12 and including line 23 on page 5, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"Sec. 16c. Any credit allowed by any bank organized under the laws of, or doing business in, this state, for any check, note or other instrument providing for the payment of money and drawn on or payable at the same bank in which it is deposited, or on or at any other bank, or on any other branch of the same bank, or on any other party, shall be only provisional, subject to final payment and to the receipt by the bank in which it is deposited of the funds in actual money, or in solvent credit on the books of any federal reserve bank, or on the books of any bank designated as a depositary by the forwarding bank, *provided*, that any check, note or other instrument providing for the payment of money and drawn on or payable at the same bank in which it is deposited shall either be found good or else returned unpaid, or notice of dishonor duly sent, at or before the end of the day on which the item was deposited whenever such deposit has been made during business hours, or at or before the end of the next following business day when such deposit has been made after business hours *and further provided*, that when such check, note or other instrument providing for the payment of money is drawn on or payable at any other bank, or on any other party, it shall be sent in course of collection by the end of the next succeeding business day and may be forwarded for the purpose of collection directly to the bank on or by which it is drawn, or at which it is made payable, or to any federal reserve bank, or to any other bank in the usual course of business; and in payment thereof there may be accepted either money or the check or draft of the bank on or by which it is drawn, or at which it is made payable, or the check or draft of any bank to or through which it has been forwarded for collection, or credit therefor may be accepted with any federal reserve bank, or with any bank designated as a depositary by the forwarding bank. In forwarding for collection any check, note or other instrument, or receiving payment therefor, in any manner aforesaid, the bank shall not be liable in the event of the insolvency or other default or for any act or omission, of any other bank employed directly or indirectly in handling the collection of such check, note or other instrument, or of any bank on or by which the draft received in payment is drawn; nor for the payment of any check, or draft, or credit as may have been accepted in payment therefor; nor for the loss or destruction of, or inability to repossess itself of any check, note or other instrument in transit or in the possession of others. Until the proceeds of any check, note or other instrument providing for the payment of money shall have been actually received by the bank allowing such credit, in actual money, or in solvent credit on the books of any federal reserve bank, or on the books of any bank designated as a depositary by the forwarding bank, such check, note or other instrument may be charged back to, or collected from, the depositor from whom it was received regardless of whether or not the check, note or other instrument itself can be returned.

Any check, note or other instrument providing for the payment of money and drawn on or payable at one office or branch of any bank organized under the laws of, or doing business in, this state, and received for deposit or collection or for any

other purpose at another office or branch of such bank shall be deemed for all the purposes of this section as drawn on or payable at another bank.

Any provision of this section may be modified or set aside by an agreement in writing between any such bank and any party from whom any check, note or other instrument is received for collection, deposit, or other purpose."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "bank", insert the words: "organized under the laws of, or doing business in this state"

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the word "services", and insert in lieu thereof the word "service".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 5, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "bank", insert the words: "organized under the laws of, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 6, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "to", insert the words "rediscount or to"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 6, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and in lieu thereof insert the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 6, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "capital", and insert a semicolon and the following: "*and, provided, further*, that the total amount of moneys of the State of California, the counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of said State of California, and of any other governmental or political subdivision of the State of California that any bank shall borrow, receive or have on deposit at any one time, secured by surety bonds, shall not exceed fifty per cent of its capital."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 7, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "their" following the word "with", and in lieu thereof insert the word "other".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 7, line 29, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "bank", insert the following "or with any other bank,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 7, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two", and in lieu thereof insert the word "three"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 7, line 49, of the printed bill, following the semicolon after the word "capital", insert the following: "*and, provided, further*, that the total amount of moneys of the State of California, the counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of said State of California, and of any other governmental or political subdivision of the State of California, that any bank shall borrow, receive or have on deposit at any one time, secured by surety bonds, shall not exceed fifty per cent of its capital."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 17, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the word "all", and in lieu thereof insert the words "the whole or any part".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 18, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ten", and in lieu thereof insert the word "fifteen"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 20, line 39, of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "outstanding", insert the following "the total amount of rediscounts,".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1071—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses

under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce brokers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the State directors of agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the second line of the title of the amended bill, strike out the word "broker" and insert in lieu thereof the word "dealer"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the third line of the title of the amended bill after the semicolon insert the following "and to create the produce dealers' license fund"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In the fifth line of the title of the amended bill, strike out the word "directors" and insert in lieu thereof the word "director."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, following the word "construed", strike out the balance of line 17 and all of lines 18 and 19; and on page 2, all of lines 1 and 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to apply to or include (a) any co-operative organization operating under and by virtue of the provisions of titles twenty-one, twenty-two, or twenty-three, part four, division first of the Civil Code of the State of California, or any co-operative association, corporation or organization, with or without capital stock, composed of stockholders or members collectively engaged in the production of agricultural products or in processing, preparing for market, or marketing such products for the mutual benefit of the members thereof; or the agents, individual or corporate, of such organizations in the performance of their duties as such agents, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 41, of the amended bill, strike out the word "within" and all of lines 42, 43, 44 and 45 to and including the word "act." and insert in lieu thereof the following "monthly and shall be credited to the "produce dealers' license fund," which fund is hereby created, and all of the moneys so deposited shall be held subject to the uses of the state director of agriculture for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agricultural lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 680—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the county superintendent of schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, in line 2, after the word "representative" insert the words "from his office".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1893, providing for the creation of revolving funds in school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "executive" insert the words "or administrative".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, after line 37, of the printed bill, insert the following: "The premium on said bond shall be a legal charge against the funds of the district."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 736—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relative to incorporated cities and school districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State for and furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to amend section 1617½ of the Political Code, relating to the selling or leasing of any real property upon which no public school is being maintained.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out entire title of act and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to repeal section one thousand six hundred seventeen and one-half of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered one thousand six hundred seventeen and one-half, relating to the selling or leasing of real property upon which no public school is being maintained."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Section one thousand six hundred and one-half of the Political Code is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. A new section, to be numbered one thousand six hundred seventeen and one-half is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "class" insert the following: "or of any junior college district of any kind or class.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "meting", and insert in lieu thereof the word "meeting".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "therein", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the words "*provided*, that whenever it is proposed to lease real property and such governing body unanimously determines in said resolution that, in its opinion, the monthly rental value of such property does not exceed the sum of fifty dollars, such resolution may, before the date of such meeting, be published in two successive issues of a weekly newspaper of general circulation, or in five successive issues of a newspaper of general circulation published daily."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 5, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "13" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "12".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 275—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, counties and incorporated towns, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population may be regulated by ordinance, prescribing penalties, and providing for the appointment of a board of adjustment, and defining the powers and duties thereof, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance" approved May 31, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following

An act to provide for the establishment within cities, towns, counties or consolidated cities and counties, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population, may be regulated by ordinance, and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance," approved May 31, 1917.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out everything after the period in line 1 down to and including the period on line 13, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

For the public interest, health, comfort, convenience, preservation of the public peace, safety, morals, order or public welfare, the legislative body of any city, town, county, or consolidated city and county may by ordinance create or divide such city, town, county, or consolidated city and county into districts or zones within some of which it shall be lawful and within others of which it shall be unlawful to erect, construct, alter or maintain certain buildings, or carry on certain trades, or callings, or within which the height or bulk of buildings, the percentage of lot that may be occupied, and the density of population shall be limited.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out everything after the period following the figure 2 in line 14, down to and including the word "districts" on line 17, and on page 2, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Such legislative body may regulate, restrict or segregate the location of industries, the several classes of businesses, trades or callings, the location or use of apartment or tenement houses, club houses, duplex houses, group residences, bungalow courts, two-family dwellings, single family dwellings, the several classes of public and semi-public buildings and the location of buildings or property designed for specific uses. Such legislative body may divide the city, town, county or consolidated city and county into districts or zones of such number, kind and area as it may deem best suited to carry out the objects and purposes of this act, subject to the provisions of section 4 hereof. For each such zone or district regulations may be imposed designating the class of use on premises or property, or designating the uses for which buildings may not be erected, altered or maintained, or designating the only class of use which shall be permitted. In the establishment of such zones or districts such legislative body shall give reasonable consideration, among other things, to the character of the district, its peculiar suitability for particular uses, the conservation of property values and the direction of building development in accord with a well considered plan.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out everything after the period following the figure 3 on line 6 down to and including the period following the word "county" on line 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Such legislative body may place reasonable regulations and limitations upon the height or bulk of buildings hereafter erected and may regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other open spaces, the percentage of lot that may be occupied, and the density of population, having due regard to the nature of the use or occupancy. The regulations as to the height or bulk of buildings and the area of yards, courts and other open spaces shall be uniform for each class of buildings throughout each zone or district; provided the regulations in one or more districts may differ from those in other districts. Such regulations shall be designed, among other things, to secure safety from fire, conflagration or other dangers besides providing for adequate light, air and reasonable access. Such legislative body shall pay reasonable regard to the character of buildings now existing in each zone or district, the value of land and use to which it may be put, to the end that such regulations may best promote the public peace, health, comfort, convenience, safety or general welfare.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2 of the printed bill strike out everything after the period following the figure 4 on line 20, down to and including the period following the word "affected" on line 31, and insert in lieu thereof the following

For the purpose of adopting such a zone ordinance in the first instance, the legislative body of any city, town, county, or city and county, having a planning

commission, shall require such commission to recommend the boundaries of such zones or districts and the appropriate regulations and restrictions to be enforced therein. Such commission shall first make a tentative report and hold public hearings thereon at such times and places and after such notice as such legislative body shall require before submitting its final report, and such legislative body shall not adopt such zone ordinance or impose any regulations under the provisions of this act until after the final report of such planning commission has been filed with the clerk of such legislative body and a hearing held thereon as herein provided.

Upon receiving such final report such legislative body shall afford the general public and persons particularly interested an opportunity to be heard thereon, at a time and place to be specified in a notice of such hearing, which notice shall be published not less than three times in some newspaper of general circulation published and circulated within such city, town, county or city and county, as the case may be, at least five days prior to such hearing.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out everything after the period following the figure 5 on line 32, down to and including the period following the word "days" on line 46, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Such zone ordinance shall provide for the manner in which such regulations and restrictions and the boundaries of such zones or districts may be amended, supplemented or changed, or said zones or districts reclassified, *provided* no such regulations, restrictions, boundaries or reclassifications shall be made except upon recommendation of the planning commission, and after notice and hearing to the persons owning property within a certain distance of the zone or district proposed to be changed or reclassified.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out everything after the period following the figure 6 on line 47, down to and including the word "thereon" on line 52 and insert in lieu thereof the following

Such legislative body may provide penalties for violations of such ordinance.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out everything in lines 1 to 51, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out everything in lines 1 to 51, inclusive

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out everything in lines 1 to 52, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out everything in lines 1 to 9, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out the numeral 10 on line 10 and substitute in lieu thereof the numeral 7.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 6 and 7 of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "law", strike out the words "no public officer" and insert in lieu thereof the following "no member of any board of trustees or city council".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen volcanic national park, in the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "corporations" appearing in lines 11 and 12, and add the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "franchises and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "and the right to fix and collect license fees for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "fishing in said park;".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the sixth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4235" add the following: "In counties of the sixth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, to wit:

The county clerk, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, *provided, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the* county clerk one deputy county clerk who shall act as clerk of the probate department, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; also one deputy county clerk to act as clerk to the board of supervisors, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, also one deputy county clerk who shall be the registrar of voters and who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; also one deputy county clerk who shall serve as general office clerk who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, also three deputy county clerks who shall serve as clerks of the several departments of the superior court who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum each; also one deputy county clerk who shall serve as desk clerk, who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, *provided, however*, that the county clerk shall not be allowed the additional deputy provided by section four thousand two hundred ninety of the Political Code of the State of California, also one deputy county clerk who shall serve as assistant to the clerk of the probate department and who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; also one deputy county clerk in the probate department, who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, the deputies herein provided for shall be appointed by the clerk of said county and their salaries shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the county clerks. The county clerk shall also be allowed an additional deputy, which office is hereby created, at an annual salary of one

thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; *provided, further*, that in any year in which a general election is held the said clerk may appoint two deputies who shall serve for a term of twelve months, who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, to be paid as are other deputies herein provided for, four deputies who shall serve for a term of eight months who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, to be paid as are other deputies herein provided for; and two deputies who shall serve for a term of six months who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, to be paid as are other deputies herein provided for, also, in the event of special elections in any odd-numbered year, the county clerk shall be allowed additional deputies at a compensation to be fixed by said county clerk, such compensation, however, not to exceed in the aggregate for all of such deputies the sum of one thousand dollars in any one year, also in such years as the compilation of a great register of voters is required by law to be made one additional deputy in each voting precinct in the county for the purpose of registering electors in such precincts, who shall be paid ten cents per name for each elector legally registered by them, *provided*, that said county clerk may be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties, and shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity from whatever source they may be derived.

2. The sheriff, four thousand six hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff one undersheriff whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; also thirteen deputies who shall each receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one of whom shall speak the Italian language and shall be competent to act as an Italian interpreter, also two deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; also one deputy who shall act as matron of the county jail who shall receive a salary of one thousand three hundred twenty dollars per annum The undersheriff and deputies herein provided for shall be appointed by the sheriff and paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as is the salary of the sheriff; *provided*, that said sheriff shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties. He shall pay into the county treasury all fees and mileage collected by him for the service of papers or process issued by any court of this state.

3. The county recorder, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and said recorder may appoint one deputy recorder who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; also four deputy recorders who shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; also two deputy recorders who shall each receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; also as many deputies to act as copyists as may be required, who shall receive as compensation the sum of seven cents per folio for recording all instruments or notices, except maps and plats, and for copies of any record seven cents per folio; *provided*, that such recorder may be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties, and shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity from whatever source they may be derived.

4 The county auditor, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and said auditor may appoint one deputy auditor who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, also one deputy auditor to serve as accountant who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, also two deputy auditors who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; also one redemption clerk who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that the auditor shall be allowed six additional deputies for a period of one month who shall each receive a salary or compensation of five dollars per day for each day actually employed, and five additional deputies for a period of two months who shall each receive a salary or compensation of five dollars per day for each day actually employed The deputies herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as is the county auditor, *provided*, that such auditor shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity.

5. The county treasurer, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and said treasurer may appoint one deputy treasurer, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. The treasurer may also appoint a deputy county treasurer, which office is hereby created, at an annual salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. All fees and commissions collected by said treasurer in his official capacity shall be paid into the county treasury The deputies herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as is the county treasurer

6. The tax collector, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and said tax collector may appoint one deputy tax collector who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, three additional deputy tax collectors who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum, also fifteen additional deputy tax collectors to serve as such only for a period of two and one-half months in each year, and who shall receive a salary of one hundred

twenty-five dollars each per month; also five additional deputy tax collectors who shall serve as such only during two months of each year and who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month; also twelve copyists who shall serve only during one and one-half months of each year, and who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month. The deputies and copyists herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as is the salary of the tax collector, *provided*, that said tax collector shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties, including the making and compiling of the necessary indices to the assessment roll, and shall pay into the county treasury all fees received by him in his official capacity from whatever source they may be derived.

7. The license collector, fifteen per cent of the whole amount of license collected by him; *provided*, that the entire compensation of said license collector shall not exceed the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

8. The county assessor, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and said assessor may appoint one chief deputy assessor who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one supervising deputy assessor who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; five office deputy assessors who shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, also twenty-three deputy assessors who shall serve as such during the months of March, April, May, and June of each year who shall each receive a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, three deputy assessors to serve as such during six months of each year who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month, four deputy assessors to serve as such during four months of each year who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month, also two proofreaders to serve as such for only four months in any one year and who shall each receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and also seven copyists to serve as such only during four months of each year who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month, *provided*, that the above salaries and compensations shall be in full for all services rendered by him as such assessor and that no commission for the collection of state or infirmary poll taxes or personal property taxes shall be retained by him but that all such commissions shall be paid into the county treasury. The deputies, copyists and proofreaders herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as is the county assessor, *provided* that the assessor shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of official duties, *and provided, further*, that all deputies herein specified shall be allowed actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the performance of official duties, not to exceed, however, for each deputy the sum of twenty-five dollars per month.

9. The district attorney, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, he may appoint a chief deputy at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; four assistant district attorneys at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars each per annum, one detective who shall serve at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one clerk at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and one stenographer at a salary of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum, all of whom shall be paid in the same manner as said district attorney, *provided*, that said district attorney shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties. All fees and commissions collected by him shall be paid into the county treasury.

10. The coroner and public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law. Said coroner may appoint deputies not to exceed three in number; *provided*, that said deputy coroner shall receive only such fees as the coroner would receive if acting.

11. The county superintendent of schools, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and the said superintendent of schools may appoint a deputy superintendent of schools who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy superintendent of schools who shall receive one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. He may also appoint an additional deputy superintendent of schools, which office is hereby created, at an annual salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. The said superintendent of schools shall also be paid actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of the county. The deputies herein provided for shall be paid at the same time and in the manner and out of the same fund as is the superintendent of schools.

12. The county surveyor, the sum of four thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and said surveyor may appoint a deputy surveyor who shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, also two deputies who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum who shall be a draftsman whose duties shall include the preparation of maps for the county assessor, and one deputy at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. Such compensation

and salaries as above set forth shall be in full for all services as such county surveyor, and all fees and compensation received or collected by him for surveying other than for the county, shall be paid into the county treasury, *provided*, that said county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary transportation and expenses incurred by himself or deputies for work performed in the field, and in the official discharge of his duties. Such salaries shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid. Said surveyor shall also have power to appoint such inspectors as he may deem necessary, for the proper supervision of all roads and bridges under construction, and the compensation of said inspectors shall be a proper charge against the county.

13. The fish and game warden, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum and the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties.

14. In counties of this class, justices of the peace shall be compensated as follows, and all salaries shall be payable monthly in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid, viz

(1) In townships having a population of twenty thousand or more, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided, *provided, however*, that in all such townships having a population of twenty thousand or more, there shall be two township justices of the peace in and for any such township, and said justices of the peace shall each be allowed a clerk to be appointed by such justice of the peace at a salary of one hundred thirty-seven and one-half dollars per month each, payable monthly in the same manner as salaries of county officers are paid, and shall be furnished with offices and necessary supplies, including light, heat, telephone service, and incidental expenses, by the board of supervisors.

(2) In townships having a population of fifteen thousand and less than twenty thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided

(3) In townships having a population of ten thousand and less than fifteen thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of one hundred thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents per month for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

(4) In townships having a population of five thousand and less than ten thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

(5) In townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than five thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of seventy-five dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them except as hereinafter provided.

(6) In townships having a population of two thousand and less than two thousand five hundred, justices of the peace shall each receive the sum of sixty dollars per month as salary for all services rendered in both civil and criminal cases. All fees collected by them shall be paid monthly by them into the county treasury: *provided*, that where a township census has been ordered taken and adopted by the board of supervisors, as in this act contained said census shall be and remain the official census of such township; and shall not be affected by any provision of this act with respect to the application of the federal census of 1920 in classifying townships.

(7) In townships having a population of one thousand and less than two thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of fifty dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided.

(8) In townships having a population of less than one thousand, justices of the peace shall each receive a salary of thirty dollars per month as full compensation for all services rendered by them, except as hereinafter provided

Justices of the peace in all townships in counties of the sixth class shall be permitted to receive and retain for their own use, fees for celebrating marriages and returning certificates thereof, but all other fees shall be collected by them and by them paid into the county treasury at least once a month

15. In counties of this class constables shall be compensated as follows, and all salaries herein provided shall be paid in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid, viz.

(1) In townships having a population of twenty thousand or more, constables shall each receive a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. As compensation for all services rendered in civil cases and all other matters wherein they may charge fees for their services, a constable may collect and retain for his own use as his compensation such fees as are now, or may hereafter be allowed by law

(2) In townships having a population of fifteen thousand and less than twenty thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month as salary for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. As compensation for all services rendered by them in civil cases and in all matters wherein they may charge fees for their services, constables in such townships may collect and retain for their own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

(3) In townships having a population of ten thousand and less than fifteen thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of one hundred dollars per month as salary for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. As compensation for all services rendered by them in civil cases and in all other matters wherein they may charge fees for their services, constables may collect and retain for their own use as compensation such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

(4) In townships having a population of five thousand and less than ten thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of one hundred dollars per month as salary for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, civil cases and in the performance of all other duties imposed upon them by law. All fees chargeable and collectible in both criminal cases, civil cases, and in all other cases wherein fees are chargeable by constables, shall be collected in advance and paid monthly into the county treasury.

(5) In townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than five thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of seventy-five dollars per month as a salary for all services rendered by them in both civil and criminal cases. All fees collected by them in civil and criminal cases shall be paid monthly by them into the county treasury. For all other services performed by them, they may charge and retain for their own use such fees as are chargeable by law.

(6) In townships having a population of two thousand and less than two thousand five hundred, constables shall each receive the sum of seventy-five dollars per month as salary for all services rendered in both civil and criminal cases. All fees collected by them shall be paid monthly by them into the county treasury, *provided*, that in townships in which a township census has been ordered, taken and adopted by the board of supervisors, as in this act hereinafter provided, constables shall each receive the sum of seventy-five dollars per month as salary for all services rendered in criminal cases, and that for all other services performed by them they may charge and collect for their own use such fees as are allowed by law.

(7) In townships having a population of one thousand and less than two thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of fifty dollars per month as salary for all services rendered in criminal cases. All fees collected by them in criminal cases shall be paid monthly by them into the county treasury. For all other services performed by them they may charge and collect for their own use such fees as are allowed by law.

(8) In townships having a population of less than one thousand, constables shall each receive the sum of forty dollars per month as a salary for all services rendered by them in criminal cases. All fees collected by them in criminal cases shall be paid monthly into the county treasury. For all other services performed by them they may charge and collect for their own use such fees as are allowed by law.

Constables shall be allowed all necessary expenses incurred in conveying prisoners.

The population herein referred to in classifying townships for the purpose of regulating the compensation of justices of the peace and constables shall be the population found and determined by the federal census taken in the year 1920; *provided, however*, that a township census may be taken for the purpose of establishing the official census of such township in the manner hereinafter specified and when so taken, such census shall be known as and shall become the official census of such township in which it is taken and the population therein determined shall be and become the official population of such township. Whenever there shall be presented to the board of supervisors of the county a petition signed by the qualified electors of any township or townships in number equal to twenty-five per cent of the votes cast at the preceding general election, praying that said township or townships may be allowed to take the census of said township or townships for the purpose of ascertaining the population therein contained, the board of supervisors may order such census to be taken by one or more suitable persons appointed therefor by the board of supervisors and such census shall be taken by such persons so appointed, of all of the inhabitants of such township or townships. The full name of each person shall be plainly written, the names alphabetically arranged and regularly numbered in one complete series and when completed, shall be verified by the proper official authorized to administer oaths and be filed with the county clerk and thereupon the same shall be known and shall be the official census of said township or townships.

16 Each supervisor, three thousand dollars per annum and mileage of ten cents per mile for each mile actually traveled in going to and from their residence to the county seat or in the performance of the duties required of them by law or by virtue of their office, *provided*, that in attending sessions of the board only four mileages shall be allowed for each month and that the total mileage allowed shall not exceed five hundred dollars in any one calendar year.

17 The fees of grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior courts of said counties of the sixth class, in civil and criminal cases shall be three dollars, in lawful money of the United States for each day's attendance, and mileage to be computed at the rate of fifteen cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in attending court, in going only. In criminal cases such fees and mileage of said trial jurors in the superior court shall be paid by the treasurer of the county out of the general fund of said county upon warrants drawn by the county auditor

upon the written order of the judge of the court in which said juror was in attendance, and the treasurer of said county shall pay said warrants. The board of supervisors of said county is hereby directed to make suitable appropriation for the payment of the fees herein provided for.

SEC. 2. Whenever under the provisions of law any official bond is required of any county officer or his deputies, the premium of such bond shall be paid from the general funds of the county.

SEC. 3 The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments, and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 354—An act to amend section 19*x*6 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During the second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "19*x*6" add the following.

"In counties of the sixth class there shall be one probation officer, one assistant probation officer, and two deputy probation officers, one of whom shall act as clerk to the probation officer The salaries of said officers shall be as follows Probation officer, two hundred dollars per month: assistant probation officer, one hundred fifty dollars per month. two deputy probation officers, one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4253" insert the following "In counties of the twenty-fourth class, the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, fees, and expenses, to wit:

1. The county clerk, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that he shall have the power to appoint two deputies at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars each per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid; *provided, further*, that the county clerk shall receive for compiling the great register, and for services in connection with elections, the additional sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *and provided, further*, that he shall also receive and retain, for his own use and benefit, all such fees and commissions as now are, or which hereafter may be, allowed by law.

2. The sheriff, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff the following deputies, which offices are hereby created, who shall be appointed by the sheriff, and shall be paid salaries as follows One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and two deputy sheriffs at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum each, payable at the same time and in the same manner as that of other county officers. The sheriff shall also receive and retain in all civil cases for his own use and benefit, fees, commissions and mileage which now are or which may

hereafter be allowed by law; and also all expenses incurred in the pursuit of criminals or transacting any criminal business. The sheriff shall also receive and retain for his own use and benefit mileage and fees for the service of process or papers issued by any court in the state.

3. The traffic officer, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that the traffic officer shall have the power to appoint three deputies, which offices are hereby created, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars each per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid; *and provided, further*, that the said salaries shall be payment in full for all services rendered and expenses incurred in the performance of the duties of the said traffic officer and deputies, respectively.

4. The recorder, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the recorder one deputy, which office is hereby created, who shall be appointed by the recorder, and who shall receive a salary of one thousand eighty dollars per annum, payable out of the same fund and in the same manner as that of other county officers; *provided, however*, that in counties of this class the recorder shall be entitled to the actual cost incurred by him for the recording of all papers and documents in his office not exceeding six cents per folio for each paper and document so recorded, and two cents per name for each and every name indexed.

5. The auditor, two thousand four hundred dollars; *provided*, he shall have two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum each, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand eighty dollars per annum, all of which offices are hereby created; *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and hereby is allowed to the county auditor, such additional assistants as the auditor may require during the months of July, September and December of each year, and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed two hundred dollars in any one year. Said county auditor shall also in the event that he performs the duties of county purchasing agent, under appointment by the board of supervisors as provided in subdivision twenty-one, section four thousand forty-one of the Political Code of the State of California, receive the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum for his services as such county purchasing agent.

6. The treasurer, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that he shall have power to appoint one deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner as that of other county officers. The treasurer shall receive and retain for his own use the fees and commissions now or hereafter to be allowed him by law.

7. The tax collector, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy, which office is hereby created at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner as that of other county officers; *and provided, further*, he shall have one deputy during the months of August, September, October, November, and December of each year, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, payable at the same time and in the same manner as that of other county officers.

8. The assessor, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; he shall have one chief deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy assessor at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, four field deputy assessors, for not exceeding three months of each year, at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and seven field deputies for not exceeding two months of each year at two hundred dollars per month, all of which said offices are hereby created, all said deputies and assistants shall be paid monthly in the same manner and from the same fund as the county officers are paid. All necessary maps, plats, or drawings essential for use in the assessor's office shall be furnished by the county engineer as heretofore. He shall deposit all fees received by him in the county treasury.

9. The district attorney, three thousand dollars per annum, and his actual traveling expenses when prosecuting criminals, within the county; *provided*, that he shall have power to appoint two deputies, which offices are hereby created, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum, the salary of each of said deputies to be payable in the same manner and at the same time as that of other county officers.

10. The coroner, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum and his actual necessary expenses in traveling outside of the county seat, including mileage at the rate of twenty-five cents for each mile necessarily traveled in going to the place of inquest, together with two dollars for summoning a jury. He shall be allowed two deputies, which offices are hereby created, who shall act without compensation except that they shall be allowed their necessary traveling expenses for necessary travel outside the county seat in performance of their duties. Said salary and allowances shall be in full for all services rendered by the coroner, and he shall be allowed no other fees than those herein enumerated, except that when acting as or in place of the sheriff he shall be allowed the same fees as are allowed the sheriff for like services.

11. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

12. The superintendent of schools, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, and his actual traveling expenses when visiting schools of the county, *provided*, that he shall have the power to appoint two deputies which offices are hereby created, at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars and one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, respectively, payable at the same time and in the same manner as other county officers are paid

13. The surveyor, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum for all work performed for the county, and in addition thereto his actual and necessary traveling, and other expenses in connection with field work, and the cost of preparing maps, plats, block-books and tracings for the assessor, when directed by him to do so. Said county surveyor shall also, in the event he be appointed superintendent of the county roads of his county, whether constructed under bond issue or otherwise, pursuant to any statute of this state providing for the appointment of such superintendent, then, and in that event said county surveyor shall also receive the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum for his services as such superintendent of permanent highways.

14. The justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the salaries of the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them (1) in townships having a population of five thousand or more, one hundred fifty dollars per month *provided*, that where there is now or may be hereafter created in such township more than one justice of the peace, the monthly salary of said two justices shall be each one hundred dollars per month; (2) in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than five thousand, sixty-five dollars per month, (3) in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than two thousand five hundred, sixty dollars per month; (4) in townships having a population of one thousand and less than one thousand five hundred, forty-five dollars per month, (5) in townships having a population of five hundred and less than one thousand, thirty-five dollars per month; (6) and in townships having a population of less than five hundred, thirty dollars per month. Each justice must pay into the county treasury once a month all fees and fines collected by him, *and provided, further*, that the county board of supervisors may, in its discretion, furnish and provide suitable offices for the transaction of the business of any one or more of the justices of the peace

15. The constables shall receive the following salaries to be paid each month as salaries of the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases and in all other criminal matters, (1) in townships having a population of five thousand or more, one hundred dollars per month; (2) in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred, and less than five thousand, fifty dollars per month; (3) in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred or less than two thousand five hundred, forty-five dollars per month; (4) in townships having a population of one thousand and less than one thousand five hundred, thirty-five dollars per month; (5) in townships having a population of five hundred and less than one thousand, thirty dollars per month; (6) in townships having a population of less than five hundred, twenty dollars per month; *provided*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed each constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county for necessary traveling expenses in his own district, for the service of a warrant of arrest or any other process in a criminal case, or other criminal matters, when such services is in fact made, both going and returning, ten cents per mile, for each mile traveled out of his county, both going and returning from the place of arrest in the service of process, five cents per mile, and for transporting persons to the county jail ten cents per mile each way. In addition to the monthly salary allowed him herein each constable shall receive for his own use, the fees in civil cases, which now or may hereafter be allowed by law

16. The supervisors, each, the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and twenty cents per mile for all distances actually traveled, in the performance of his duty as road commissioner, not to exceed two hundred dollars per annum, together with mileage at the rate of twenty cents per mile, in going only, from his place of residence to the county seat at each session of the board.

17. In counties of this class the official phonographic reporter of the superior court shall receive as compensation for his services the fees and compensation now or hereafter provided by law, and in addition thereto shall receive five dollars per day when not actually engaged in reporting in said court, but when in attendance on court in compliance with and as provided by section two hundred seventy-one of the Code of Civil Procedure, the said per diem of five dollars to be paid in the same manner as provided in criminal cases

18. The county librarian shall receive two thousand one hundred dollars per year

19. For the purpose of subdivisions thirteen and fourteen of this section, the population of the several townships shall be ascertained and determined by the board of supervisors by multiplying by three and one-half, the vote cast for presidential electors in each township at the next preceding election therefor.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments, and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 25, 26 and 27, of the printed bill, after the colon following the word "sheriff" cross out the word "two" down to and including the word "month" in line 27 and insert in lieu thereof the words "one chief deputy at one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; three deputies at one hundred fifty dollars per month,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word "class" cross out the word "the" and in lieu thereof insert the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "five hundred"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" cross out the word "five" and in lieu thereof insert the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "chief" insert the word "office".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 14 of the printed bill, between the words "one" and "deputy" insert the words "chief held" and after the word "at" cross out the rest of the line and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 40, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "three hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 41, of the printed bill, after the word "annum" insert the words "which shall be inclusive of such fees as may be allowed the superintendent of schools when acting as secretary of the county board of education,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 41, of the printed bill, after the word "and" insert the words "in addition thereto the superintendent of schools shall be allowed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "and" cross out the word "sixty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "seventy-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, line 46, of the printed bill, cross out the "comma" after the word "month" and insert in lieu thereof a "semi-colon" and the following words, "*provided further* that said superintendent of schools shall be allowed such additional clerks and assistants as he may require and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed the sum of five hundred dollars per year,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 47, of the printed bill, cross out the word "salary" and insert in lieu thereof the following words "salary and compensation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 5, lines 6 and 7, of the printed bill, cross out the words "two thousand four hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "three thousand"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 5, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "expenses" insert the words "for himself and assistants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5, lines 13, 14, 15 and 16, after the comma following the word "month" cross out all of the words down to and including the word "deputies" in line 16 and insert in lieu thereof the words "and such other assistants as he may need and appoint, said assistants".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to provide for the organization and government of municipal corporations consisting of two or more municipalities, or of two or more municipalities and unincorporated territory.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", insert the following:

Two or more municipal corporations and unincorporated territory, all within one county, may unite to form one municipal corporation as in this act provided, and such municipal corporation so formed shall have the powers conferred, or that hereafter may be conferred by law upon municipal corporations of the class to which the same may belong, or shall have the powers conferred by a charter adopted by the electors of such municipal corporation at the time of the formation of such municipal corporation and approved by the Legislature of the State of California.

SEC. 2. A petition shall first be presented to the Board of Supervisors of the county in which the territory proposed to be created into such municipal corporation is situated. Such petition shall be signed by at least twenty-five per cent of the qualified electors residing within each city and within the unincorporated territory proposed to be formed into such municipal corporation. Such petition shall particularly describe the boundaries of the municipal corporation proposed to be created, shall state the name of such proposed municipal corporation, shall either state the class to which such proposed municipal corporation shall belong or shall propose a charter for the government of such municipal corporation, and shall pray that the territory described in said petition may be incorporated under the provisions of this act, *provided, however*, that the boundaries described in such petition shall not include less than the whole of any municipality.

When such petition is presented, the same shall be received by the board of supervisors, who shall thereupon set a time at which protests may be heard against the inclusion of any portion of the territory described in the petition as a part of the territory proposed to be included in the municipal corporation proposed to be formed. The time for such hearing shall be not less than twenty nor more than forty days after the time at which such time for hearing is set. Notice of such hearing shall be published at least five times prior to the time set for such hearing in some newspaper of general circulation within the territory described in the petition. At such hearing the board of supervisors shall hear any protests against the inclusion of any portion of the territory described in the petition as a part of the territory proposed to be included in the municipal corporation proposed to be formed, and may adjourn such hearing from time to time, not exceeding ninety days in all. At such hearing, or at any time to which it may be adjourned, the board of supervisors may receive any petition praying for the addition of territory to that proposed to be formed into a municipal corporation by the original petition. Such supplementary petition shall describe the boundaries of such additional territory and shall be signed by not less than twenty-five per cent of the qualified electors residing within such additional territory described in such supplementary petition. The boundaries described in such supplementary petition may include unincorporated or incorporated territory, but shall not include less than the whole of any municipality. On the final hearing the board of supervisors shall make such changes in the proposed boundaries as described in the original petition as they may find to be proper, and shall ascertain and determine how many inhabitants reside within such boundaries as changed, *provided, however*, that no changes shall

be made in the boundaries described in the original or a supplementary petition in such manner as to include all or any portion of any city not included within the boundaries described in such petitions: *provided further, however*, that no changes shall be made in the boundaries described in such petitions in such manner as to exclude less than the whole of any city included within the boundaries described in such petitions. In case changes are made in the boundaries described in the original petition so as to include additional territory, the board of supervisors shall set a new time for hearing, which shall be not less than ten nor more than thirty days after such changes have been made. Notice of such new hearing shall be published at least three times in some newspaper having general circulation within the territory included within the changed boundaries. At such new hearing, the board of supervisors shall hear any protests against the inclusion of the additional territory, or any portion thereof, included by reason of the change of the boundaries described in the original petition, and may change the boundaries as altered in such manner as to exclude any territory they may deem proper to be so excluded; *provided, however*, that such boundaries shall not be changed in such manner as to exclude less than the whole of any municipality therefrom. In case the original petition contained a proposed charter, and the board of supervisors have changed the boundaries of the proposed municipal corporation, said board shall change any boundaries described in said proposed charter in such manner as to conform to the changes made by said board in the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation. The board shall have no power to make other changes in the proposed charter. Forty days after the conclusion of the final hearing, or, if the petition contained a proposed charter, at the conclusion of the final hearing, the board of supervisors shall give notice of an election to be held in the territory described in such manner as finally determined by said board, for the purpose of determining whether the same shall form a new municipal corporation. Such notice shall particularly describe the boundaries so established, shall state the name of the proposed municipal corporation and the number of inhabitants ascertained to reside therein, and shall either state the class to which the proposed municipal corporation shall belong or shall include the charter proposed for such proposed municipal corporation as contained within the original petition, if such petition contained a proposed charter, and shall state that such charter is proposed as the charter of the proposed municipal corporation, and that if the proposed municipal corporation is formed, the proposed charter shall be the charter thereof. Such notice of election shall be published at least five times prior to such election in some newspaper of general circulation within the proposed incorporation. Such election shall be held not less than thirty nor more than forty-five days after the adoption of such notice. Such notice shall fix the polling places, shall name the election officers, and shall require the voters to cast ballots which shall contain the words "For the formation of the city of _____" (naming it) and "Against the formation of the city of _____" (naming it), or words equivalent thereto. In case the notice of election does not contain a charter proposed for such proposed municipal corporation, the ballot shall also contain the names of persons which have been nominated to fill the various elective municipal offices prescribed by law for municipal corporations of the class to which such proposed corporation will belong. Such persons shall be electors residing within the limits of the proposed corporation and shall be qualified as prescribed in section 3 of this act for electors entitled to vote at said election. Such persons shall be nominated by petitions signed by electors residing within the proposed corporation of a number equal to at least five per cent of the total vote cast for governor at the last general election within the proposed municipal corporation, as may be determined by the registrar of voters of the county within which the proposed municipal corporation is situated. In computing such vote for governor, any precinct divided by the boundaries of the proposed municipal corporation shall be considered as a whole. Such nominating petitions shall be filed with the clerk of the county within which the proposed corporation is situated within thirty days after the conclusion of the final hearing by the board of supervisors of the original petition and any supplementary petition which may have been filed.

SEC. 3. Such election shall be conducted in accordance with the general laws of the state and no person shall be qualified to vote thereat unless he shall be a qualified elector of the county, enrolled upon the great register thereof, and shall have resided within the limits of the proposed municipal corporation for at least thirty days next preceding such election. The board of supervisors shall meet on the Monday next succeeding such election, and proceed to canvass the votes cast thereat. If no proposed charter was included in the notice of election, and if, upon the aforementioned canvass, it appear that a majority of the votes cast within each municipality within the proposed municipal corporation and within the unincorporated territory within the proposed municipal corporation are in favor of the formation of the proposed municipal corporation, the board shall, by an order entered upon its minutes, declare such proposed municipal corporation duly formed as a municipal corporation, under the name of the city of _____ (naming it), and shall declare the persons receiving respectively the highest number

of votes for the various elective municipal offices to be duly elected to such offices. Said board shall cause a copy of such order, duly certified, to be filed in the office of the secretary of state; and from and after the date of such filing, such formation of the municipal corporation shall be deemed complete, and such officers shall be entitled to enter immediately upon the duties of their respective offices, upon qualifying in accordance with law, and shall hold such offices, respectively, only until the next general municipal election to be held in such municipal corporation, and until their successors are elected and qualified. In case the notice of election included a charter proposed to be adopted for the proposed municipal corporation, and if, upon the aforementioned canvass by the board of supervisors of the vote cast at such election, it appear that a majority of the votes cast within each municipality and within the unincorporated territory within the proposed municipal corporation are in favor of the formation of the proposed municipal corporation, the board shall, by an order, enter that fact upon its minutes and shall cause a copy of such order, duly certified, to be filed in the office of the secretary of state, together with a duly certified copy of the charter included in the notice of election. Such charter shall then be deemed to have been ratified by the electors in the proposed municipal corporation, and shall be submitted to the legislature, if then in session, or at the regular or special session of the legislature next following such election. The legislature shall by concurrent resolution approve or reject such charter as a whole, without power of alteration or amendment. If approved by majority vote of the members elected to each house, such charter shall be deemed to have been approved by the legislature. Thereupon a certified copy of such charter, as ratified and approved, shall be filed with the secretary of state and with the clerk of the county in which the proposed municipal corporation is located.

SEC. 4. After such filing in the office of the secretary of state, the board of supervisors of the county in which such municipal corporation is located shall give notice of an election to be held within such municipal corporation for the purpose of electing the various municipal officers as provided in the charter for such municipal corporation. Such notice of election shall be published at least five times in some newspaper of general circulation within such municipal corporation. Such election shall be held in such manner as may be prescribed in the charter for such municipal corporation. The notice of election shall fix the polling places, shall name the election officers and shall require the voters to cast ballots which shall contain the names of the persons nominated to fill the various elective offices. Such persons shall be qualified and nominated as may be prescribed in the charter for such municipal corporation.

SEC. 5. Such election shall be conducted in accordance with the procedure which may be prescribed in the charter for the municipal corporation and no person shall be qualified to vote thereat unless he shall be qualified as prescribed in said charter. The board of supervisors shall meet on the Monday next following such election and proceed to canvass the vote cast thereat. The board at that time shall, by an order entered upon its minutes, declare the municipal corporation duly formed as a municipal corporation under the name of the city of _____ (naming it) and shall declare the persons receiving respectively the highest number of votes for the various elective municipal offices to be duly elected to such offices. Said board shall cause a copy of such order, duly certified, to be filed in the office of the secretary of state; and from and after the date of such filing, such formation of the municipal corporation shall be deemed complete, the courts shall take judicial notice of the provisions of the charter approved for such corporation, and such officers as have been elected shall be entitled to enter immediately upon the duties of their respective offices, upon qualifying in accordance with law, and shall hold such offices, respectively, only until the next general municipal election to be held in such city, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

SEC. 6. From and after the formation of a municipal corporation under the provisions of this act, all persons holding municipal offices in the previously existing municipal corporations within the territory formed into the new municipal corporation shall deliver all moneys, funds, books, papers, archieves and records in their custody to the proper officers of the new municipal corporation duly elected under the provisions of this act. Such offices shall thereupon cease to exist, notwithstanding the fact that the terms for which those persons holding such offices may not have expired, and such previously existing municipal corporations shall thereupon ipso facto be deemed to be and shall be dissolved and disincorporated, and any freeholders' charter thereof shall be deemed to be, and shall be surrendered and annulled.

SEC. 7. The formation of a municipal corporation under the provisions of this act shall not affect any debts, demands, liabilities or obligations of any kind existing in favor of or against any previously existing municipal corporation within the territory formed into such municipal corporation, at the time of such formation, or any action or proceeding then pending in any court in which any such debt, demand, or proceeding brought by or against any such municipal corporation prior to the formation of the new municipal corporation; but all such proceedings shall be continued and concluded, by final judgment or otherwise, in all respects the same as if such formation of such new municipal corporation had not been effected. All such rights or liabilities shall be and become the rights and liabilities of the new

municipal corporation. All ordinances of said previously existing municipal corporations shall immediately, upon the formation of the new municipal corporation being effected, be deemed to be repealed and of no further force and effect, *provided, however*, that such repeal shall not operate to discharge any person from any liability, civil or criminal, then existing, nor to affect any prosecution then pending for any violation of any such ordinances, and all cases then pending in any justice's court, police court, or court of any recorder, or other judicial municipal magistrate or officer of any of the aforementioned previously existing municipal corporations, shall, upon such formation of such new municipal corporation being effected, ipso facto be deemed to be and be transferred to the justice's court, police court or court of any recorder, or other judicial municipal magistrate or officer of the new municipal corporation which has jurisdiction of proceedings or misdemeanors or of other actions, civil or criminal, of the character so transferred; *provided, further*, that such repeal shall not apply to ordinances under which vested rights have accrued, or to ordinances relating to proceedings for street or other public improvements, or to proceedings for opening, extending, widening or straightening streets or other public plans, or to proceedings for changing the grade thereof, all of which proceedings shall be continued and conducted by and under the authority of the new municipal corporation, with the same force and effect as if continued and conducted by and under the authority of the municipal corporation by which they were commenced. And all ordinances of the new municipal corporation shall, upon the completion of its formation, ipso facto have full force and effect in and throughout the new municipal corporation.

SEC. 8. No property in any of the municipal corporations or other territory included within the boundaries of any new municipal corporation formed under the provisions of this act shall ever be taxed to pay any portion of any indebtedness or liability of any other such previously existing municipal corporation, contracted or incurred prior to or existing at the time of such formation of such new municipal corporation. The legislative body of such new municipal corporation shall provide for the payment of the indebtedness or liability of each of the aforementioned previously existing municipal corporations in the following manner, to wit: Said new municipal corporation shall levy and collect the necessary taxes therefor, in each such previously existing municipal corporation, and for that purpose, and for all other purposes, such new municipal corporation, and its officers, shall be deemed the successor and successors of such other previously existing municipal corporations and their respective officers.

SEC. 9. In the event that a tax for road purposes has been levied by the board of supervisors of any county against property situated in any unincorporated territory which, subsequent to such levy, becomes part of a municipal corporation under the provisions of this act, but which tax, at the time of such formation of such municipal corporation has not been collected, then all such taxes so uncollected shall be and become the property of such municipal corporation, and the same shall, with other county taxes, be collected by the county tax collector, and by him paid into the county treasury of said county, after which the same shall, by the county treasurer, be paid to such municipal corporation, upon proper warrant therefor. The city clerk, or other officer performing the duties of clerk of such municipal corporation, shall, at any regular meeting of the board of supervisors of said county, present, and file a verified claim for any money thus due such municipal corporation, setting forth the facts, and the date of the formation of such municipal corporation, and the amount in the hands of said county treasurer so due such municipal corporation. Such claim shall be audited by the board of supervisors in the manner in which other claims against the county are audited, and if the amount thereof is correct, the same shall be allowed, and the county auditor instructed to draw his warrant for said amount against the road fund within which are deposited the road funds collected in such previously unincorporated territory. This section shall apply to all such taxes not paid into the county treasury prior to the taking effect of this act.

SEC. 10. Nothing in this act shall alter or affect the boundaries of any senatorial or assembly district.

SEC. 11. In case any section or sections, or part of any section, of this act, shall be found to be unconstitutional or invalid, for any reason, the remainder of the act shall not thereby be invalidated, but shall remain in full force and effect.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act relating to employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within

this State; prohibiting false statements regarding the conditions of such employment and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 160—An act declaring the public highway extending from Fresno, in Fresno County, to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, and running through Mendota, Dos Palos, Newman and Crows Landing, to Tracy, to be a State highway.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 106—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway; providing for the acquiring of rights of way and construction of a causeway with approaches on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During the second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title after the word "act" and insert the following: "providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter county, State of California and making an appropriation therefor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of sections 1, 2 and 3 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. The State Highway Commission is authorized and directed to immediately take such steps as may be necessary to locate and build a causeway with approaches at or near the northeast corner of section 19 in township 13 north, range 3 east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, extending southwesterly across the Sutter by-pass to the intersection of the public highway with the south line of said section 19; said point of intersection being 1440 feet westerly from the southeast corner of said section 19.

SEC. 2. The sum of two hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($225,000) not otherwise appropriated in the state treasury, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the building of said causeway."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the printed bill, strike out the words "two hundred fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 12 of the printed bill, strike out the words "state department of engineering" and insert in lieu thereof the words "California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 12 of the printed bill, strike out the word "said" and insert in lieu thereof the word "state".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California, to regulate weights and measures; and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the second "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out "s" in the word "characters".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, beginning with the word "in" in line 44 of the printed bill, strike out all words and sentences to and including the word "paid" in line 52.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, beginning with the word "the" in line 18 of the printed bill, strike out all words to and including the word "effective" in line 21.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 45 to 52, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "treasurer" and insert in lieu thereof the word "state".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1016—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to amend section 1873 of the Political Code, relating to the administration of oaths by educational officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to amend sections 6, and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect." approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the eleventh line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "be" and insert in lieu thereof the word "by".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "tolerants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "tolerance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 41, of the printed bill, between the words "standard" and "net" insert the words "tare weight for containers and a standard".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the last "of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "county horticultural commissioners" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sealers of weights and measures."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "by" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "by" and insert in lieu thereof the word "he"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "thereof" insert a comma and the following "or which is less than the true net weight, measure, or count thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "amended" strike out the comma and the remainder of line 13, all of line 14, and to and including "under this act" in line 15

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, after the words "count thereof" insert the following ", or which is less than the true net weight measure or count thereof".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 960—An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a division of cannery inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health, and to provide an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the entire bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a division of cannery inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the state board of health.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows

SECTION 1 It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, company, organization, association or corporation in the State of California, to engage in the commercial canning of any agricultural food products, the sterilization of which in the opinion of the California state board of health requires the use of a pressure cooker, without first obtaining a license from the said state board of health.

SEC 2 The said state board of health shall issue to any person, firm, company, organization, association or corporation in the State of California, an annual license on the receipt of ten ($10) dollars per annum, per plant, and such evidence as the board may require to show that the said person, firm, company, organization, association or corporation is properly equipped to carry out such rules and regulations as the state board of health may adopt for the sterilization of such agricultural food products All moneys received by the said state board of health for fees shall be deposited to the credit of the cannery inspection fund, which fund is hereby created to be used exclusively for the payment of the expenses of enforcing the provisions of this act, and to be paid out only upon claims approved by the said state board of health One thousand dollars of the cannery inspection fund may be used as a revolving fund for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of this act.

SEC 3. For the purpose of enforcing the rules and regulations of the state board of health and the provisions of the Pure Foods Act relating to the canning of such agricultural food products, the state board of health shall appoint a chief cannery inspector, and such additional inspectors and clerical assistance as it may deem necessary for the enforcement of its rules and regulations.

SEC. 4. Said board of health shall have power to receive and accept at any time by gift, donation, contribution or request money to be used for the purpose of making

or causing to be made the examinations and inspections herein provided for, and all moneys so received shall be used or kept by said board to be used for said purpose exclusively

SEC. 5. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, company, organization or association or corporation to place upon the label of any bottle, can, jar, carton, case, box or barrel, or any receptacle, vessel or container of whatever material or nature which may be used by a packer, manufacturer, producer, jobber or dealer for enclosing any canned agricultural food products, any statement relative to the product having been inspected, unless such statement has been approved, officially in writing, by the state board of health Said approval shall be revocable at any time at the discretion of the state board of health upon official written notice.

SEC. 6. Any person, firm, company, organization, association, or corporation, which does not obtain a license of the conduct of its plant or plants under the provisions of this act, or which violates section 5 of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (25) dollars, or more than five hundred (500) dollars, or shall be imprisoned in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months.

SEC. 7. It shall be the duty of the district attorney of the county, or city and county, in which any violation of this act may occur, to prosecute every person, firm, company, organization or corporation accused of such violation.

SEC. 8. No act which is made unlawful by any provision of an act of the legislature of the State of California, entitled, "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated, mislabeled or misbranded foods and liquors and regulating the traffic therein, providing penalties, establishing a state laboratory for foods, liquors and drugs and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 11, 1907, or any amendment thereto, shall be deemed lawful by reason of any provision of this act.

SEC. 9. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1214—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State agricultural society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to the holding of State fairs.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the department of agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 5, line 15, of the amended bill, strike out the word "sample" and insert in lieu thereof the word "samples"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 5, line 16, of the amended bill, after the word "payment" omit the comma and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 8, line 48 of the amended bill, strike out the word "filled" and insert in lieu thereof the word "imitation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 8, line 51, of the amended bill, strike out the word "filled" and insert in lieu thereof the word "imitation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5 line 42, of the amended bill, after the period, after the word "act" insert the following "Any person who shall take samples of milk or cream for testing shall be responsible for the safe keeping of all samples taken by him until delivery in an unchanged condition to a licensed tester."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 75—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, and providing for the furnishing of food to pupils and employees of the school district at not less than actual cost.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the fourth line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "at" strike out the words "not less than actual"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 10 and insert in lieu thereof the following "meals shall be furnished at cost."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 54—An act to amend section 862 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the power of boards of trustees in cities of the sixth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 473—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory or two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 476—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities; for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such districts to meet the cost of such improvements;

and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements," approved April 20, 1915, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 11½, providing for the disposition of money raised by the sale of bonds under said act, whenever it has by resolution been declared to be no longer necessary to expend said money for the purpose for which the bonds were voted by reason of the fact that such purpose has been accomplished by other means.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 408—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 10, 16 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relative to maps, to the contribution by the municipality to the expense of the improvement, the overruling of protests, condemnation proceedings, the date of valuation and the payment of compensation.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, so as to permit the improvement of rights of way and property of which a municipality has possession.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 410—An act to authorize and empower legislative bodies of municipal corporations to establish, maintain, use and reimburse revolving funds in connection with or incident to the laying out, construction or improvement of streets or other public work or the acquisition of lands, rights of way or other property necessary therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 407—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act authorizing counties to improve or assist in the improvement of streets lying in municipalities," approved April 30, 1923, amending the provisions thereof relative to the aid to be given by counties in the improvement of city streets and relative to the funds from which such aid may be given.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 135—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any

express or transportation company, compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to hours of labor of female employees.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work and to make the affidavit or verified complaint of any person as to the age of any child affected by this act, prima facie evidence of the age of such child.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 17 of the title of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "affidavit or verified complaint of any person" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sworn statement of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics or his deputies or agents".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 17, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "affidavit or verified complaint of any person" and insert in lieu thereof "sworn statement of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics or his deputies or agents".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 9 to 21, inclusive, and in lieu thereof substitute the following

"3. The recorder shall receive three thousand three hundred dollars per annum, and there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county recorder two deputies who shall be appointed by the recorder, one chief deputy, who shall be paid two

thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall be paid one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum

Said recorder may also appoint such copyists as may be required for the recording of all papers, notices and documents in his office, who shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of six cents per folio for actual work done in copying any instrument to be recorded (except maps and plats) and for making copies of all records or papers; *provided*, that the total amount paid to such copyists shall not exceed one thousand two hundred dollars in any one year, and such copyists shall be paid on presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county duly verified claims therefor.

The salaries and compensations of all deputies and copyists herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county recorder is paid; *provided*, that the recorder shall file monthly with the auditor a verified statement showing in detail the persons employed as such copyists and the amount due to each for such copying. All fees collected by said recorder for filing and recording of instruments and other documents, maps and plats, or for copies made from records shall be paid into the county treasury."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 309—An act to amend sections 4149 and 4149*a* of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 4149*aa*, relating to county live stock inspectors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the amended bill, after the word "college" insert the following: "or if a licentiate he shall have served as a county live stock inspector at least five years"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 213—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*a*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people

of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384*b*, relating to the protection of the California poppy.

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 219—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 435—An act declaring the present highway from Malin on the Oregon state line and leading therefrom via Lookout and Willow Creek Pass to Susanville, California, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to amend sections 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, or transporting logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products from such logs and providing for means by which the owner of such logs or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor, to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1205—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State, to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other fire-

arms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons, to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Assembly Bill No. 576 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 302—An act relating to certain funds and property in the custody or control of State schools and providing for the allotment and apportionment thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 302 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Byrne, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Jones, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Oliva, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—30.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, and Woodbridge—31.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13—Relative to the improvement of the San Joaquin river and Stockton channel by the United States, and asking the United States to appropriate sums of money for dredging, deepening, widening, and otherwise improving the said channels.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter,

Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 13.

Relative to the improvement of the San Joaquin River and Stockton Channel by the United States, and asking the United States to appropriate sums of money for dredging, deepening, widening, and otherwise improving the said channels.

WHEREAS, The Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors of the United States War Department and the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, after extensive hearings and thorough investigations have recommended the improvement of the San Joaquin River and Stockton Channel to provide a channel from deep water in Suisun Bay to the city of Stockton, twenty-six feet deep at mean low water and one hundred feet wide on the bottom, following the river route in general, and

WHEREAS, The said board and the said chief of engineers have recommended that the federal government appropriate the sum of $2,407,500 to aid in said recommended improvements, and

WHEREAS, Concurrently with the recommendations above referred to the board of engineers and the chief of engineers have suggested that local interests contribute to the first cost of dredging and provide rights of way and terminal facilities and agree to maintain said improvements; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, United States War Department and the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, are convinced that the contemplated improvements are necessary and justified; and

WHEREAS, The deeper channel would immediately enhance the utility of a navigable river; serve the purposes of commerce, agriculture, and industry more adequately; and greatly aid the development of the State of California; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California respectfully memorialize the Congress of the United States to make appropriations in accordance with the recommendations of the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, to the Secretary of War as contained in House Document No. 554, sixty-eighth Congress, and be it further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the President of the United States, to the Secretary of War, President of the Senate, Speaker of the House, to members of the Rivers and Harbors Committee of the House of Representatives, to the members of the appropriate committee of the United States Senate and to each of the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of California.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution by adding a new section to article VI thereof to be numbered section 4¾, relative to courts of appellate jurisdiction.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16 read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 16 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 16.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution by adding a new section to article VI thereof to be numbered section 4¾, relative to courts of appellate jurisdiction.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-sixth regular session, commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that the constitution of the State of California be amended by adding to article VI thereof, a new section to be numbered section 4¾, and to read as follows

Sec 4¾. In all cases where trial by jury is not a matter of right or where trial by jury has been waived the court of appellate jurisdiction shall have power, in its discretion, to make findings of fact contrary to, or in addition to, those made by the trial court. Such findings may be based on the evidence adduced before the trial court either with or without the taking of additional evidence by the court of appellate jurisdiction pursuant to such rules as the supreme court may prescribe; and the court of appellate jurisdiction shall have power, in its discretion, for the purpose of making such findings or for any other purpose in the interest of justice, to take, pursuant to such rules, additional evidence of or concerning facts occurring at any time prior to the decision of the appeal, and shall have power to give, or direct the entry of, any judgment or order and to make such further or other order as the case may require. This section shall be liberally construed to the end, among others, that wherever possible causes may be finally disposed of by a single appeal and without further proceedings in the trial court except where the interest of justice requires a new trial.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, strike out the words "an action" and insert in lieu thereof the words "several causes of action joined in a single complaint."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 191, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 194 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton,

Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—Coombs, Crittenden, Louttit, and Walters—4

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Dillinger moved that Assembly Bill No. 293 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 293 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, the motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 878 was passed was made a special order for this day, March 23, 1925, at two o'clock p.m.

Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 414 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Crowe, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act relating to the liquidation of banks by the Superintendent of Banks; empowering him to levy assessments against the members and stockholders of any bank in process of liquidation by by him to an amount which he may determine to be necessary to promptly pay the creditors of such bank in full; to enforce such assessments by suit and empowering the superior court to determine the equities of the members and stockholders of any such bank to any surplus which may remain after the payment of the creditors of such bank

in full and to award and distribute the same accordingly," approved May 17, 1917.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 726 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Coombs—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 533—An act adding a new section to the Civil Code of this State, to be numbered section 2205 and relating to the liability of stage lines, transfer companies and other common carriers operating over public highways for loss or damage to baggage.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 533 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 379—An act for the government of the "Sutro library."

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Murphy moved that Assembly Bill No. 379 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 379 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 373, relating to the dumping or deposit of garbage, offal, excreta or other refuse upon the beaches or shores of the Pacific ocean.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1096 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton,

Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Litttle, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Graves moved that Assembly Bill No. 851 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Banking.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 851 re-referred to Committee on Banking.

Assembly Bill No. 1086—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 9*a*.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Graves moved that Assembly Bill No. 1086 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Banking.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1086 re-referred to Committee on Banking.

Assembly Bill No. 21—An act declaring the public highway extending from Irwin street within the corporate limits of the city of San Rafael, in Marin County, California, to Point San Quentin, in Marin County, California, to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 21 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Smith: An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An

act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

By Mr Cloudman: An act making an appropriation for the purpose of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended

By Mr. Wright, S. V.—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

By Mr Scofield An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees, providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation, defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor.

By Mr Nielsen: An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts; providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor.

By Mr. Murray An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts

By Mr Carter An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.

By Mr. Louttit An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

McDOWELL, Chairman

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Smith: Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act

entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18, and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for state employees; providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation: defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Nielsen: Assembly Bill No. 1261—An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts; providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Murray: Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Louttit: Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 160—An act declaring the public highway extending from Fresno, in Fresno County, to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, and running through Mendota, Dos Palos, Newman and Crows Landing, to Tracy, to be a State highway;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to amend section 1873 of the Political Code, relating to the administration of oaths by educational officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend sections 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of an act entitled "An act

providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts, composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, relating to the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relative to incorporated cities and school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1016—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act relating to employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State; prohibiting false statements regarding the conditions of such employment and providing penalties for the violation hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1214—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to the holding of State fairs;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agricultural lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 194—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to the annexation of a high school district or union high school district to a junior college district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Education.

DEUEL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

ON AGRICULTURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the

standardization of farm products—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to add a new section to article III of chapter II of title III of part I of division IV of the Civil Code, to be known as section 3396, and relating to specific performance of marketing agreements of cooperative marketing associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorgbum halepense, otherwise known as "Johnson grass," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, and repealing that certain act entitled, "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act, providing penalties for violation of the same, making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act, and repealing an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to sell, offer for sale, or engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DUVAL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 44 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 47 thereof, relating to the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on Irrigation

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 678—An act authorizing justices of the Supreme Court and of the district courts of appeal and judges of the superior court of the State of California to temporarily retire from regular service after reaching the age of sixty-five years and after service of at least twenty years in one or more of said courts and providing for service and compensation therefor of such justices or judges and for designating and assigning justices and judges pro tempore to act in place of such retiring justices or judges, and providing for their duties, expenses and compensation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 9 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fly, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner,

Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to appropriate money to be used as a revolving fund by the Sixth District Agricultural Association for the purpose of creating, installing and maintaining special expositions at Exposition Park, Los Angeles," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the disposition of funds

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 480 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—Bernard, and Graves—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1200—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 384*b*, relating to the protection of the California poppy.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1200 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—49.
NOES—Anderson, R. J., Coombs, Dayton, Louttit, Murray, Rosenshine, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—11.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock p. m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER EIGHT HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, renovated butter, and prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with the notice given by Mr. Eksward on a previous day, Mr. Johnson moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 878 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Hornblower moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, two o'clock and ten minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. McPherson: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to the policy and practice of renting or leasing the exclusive right to hunt wild game or game birds on State lands, by-passes, drainage, levee, or protection districts or other properties of this State to persons, clubs or corporations.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of reinsurance companies to reinsure the business of county fire insurance companies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 561 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 562—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 562 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend sections 16 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 7, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 434 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act to make effective the laws of this State, relating to stock without any nominal or par value.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1230 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend sections 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of an act

entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, relating to the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 446 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 219—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for the resurvey, reconstruction and improvement thereof

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 219 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and twenty-five minutes p m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward

The roll of absentees was called, and the motion to reconsider Assembly Bill No 878 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, and Williamson—38

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

Assembly Bill No. 878 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 504 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Little, Louttit, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Burns, Deuel, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Remdollar, Rosenshine, Schmidt, and Williamson—17.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 627*b* of the Penal Code, relating to common carriers.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cleveland moved that Assembly Bill No. 504 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Wright, T. M., Roland, Campbell, Walters, and Sewell, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 504 to Committee on Fish and Game.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer carried by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—35.

NOES—Adams, Browne, Burns, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Smith, Williamson, and Woodbridge—31

Assembly Bill No. 504 ordered re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 24, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, March 24, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden,

Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Scofield, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Carter, Messrs. W. R. Fleming, Jonah Jones and Pete Mohabacker of Long Beach, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dodge, Mr. G. E. Newhie of Los Angeles, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Murray, Mr. J. A. Murray of Woodland, California, a former member of this Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Miss Elaise B. Cushing of Oakland, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Deuel, Mr. F. B. Smith, principal of Biggs Union High School; also Rev. and Mrs. Johnson and the following pupils of the senior class, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Leslie Brink, Leslie Pryde, Leaman Little, Kenneth Elder, Ellsworth Elder, Walter Gosselin, Melvin Pryde, Kenneth Greene, Enid Swenson, Dixie Graham, Alice Tewens, Alice Longanecker, Helen Haselbush, Alberta Hill, Ferne Longanecker, Glenn Gibson, Leona Pierce, Minnie Johnson and Dorothy Larsen.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Noyes, Mr. L. E. Du Bois, instructor of Woodland High School, and the following pupils of the agriculture class, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Gordon Leiser, Wesley Smith, Fred Martin, John Dixon, Vernon Walker, Edgar Diggs, Glenn Black, Raymond Sieber, Jesse Stephens, Leonard Wademan, John Herger, Carl Roberts, Carl Simon, Clarence Riner, Louis Cramer, Robert Kessel, Edward Ness, Clarence Vaughn, Kinchelve Werth, Charles Leathers, Albert Nuttal, Melvin Fish, Wesley Shepherd, Donald Hansen and Kennard Leathers.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 331—An act providing for the survey and subdivision of lands belonging to the State of California to be sold or leased, and the recording of maps of surveys and subdivisions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 541—An act to repeal section 4099 of the Political Code, relating to joint statements of auditor and treasurer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 686—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class, and fixing the mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1076—An act to amend section 846 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to alias summons,

Also Assembly Bill No 856—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration of mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921

Also Assembly Bill No 866—An act to amend section 2322*e* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1092—An act to prevent the spread of certain species of plant pests by means of containers, appliances or articles used in connection with various agricultural commodities, to confer upon the Director of the Department of Agriculture the power to designate such species and such treatment therefor as he shall deem adequate to prevent such spread, to confer upon the county horticultural commissioners the power to prescribe such treatment, to prohibit the transportation from or into any county or locality of the state of any such containers, appliances or articles unless proof shall have been furnished that the same have not been exposed to infection or infestation by such plant pests, to make a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, and to repeal an act entitled "An act for the prevention, eradication and control of insect pests and diseases affecting grapes, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation thereto," approved June 3, 1921;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-third day of March, 1925, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1236—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 362—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to fires,

Also: Senate Bill No. 149—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (ribes nigrum), a

public nuisance, and providing for its eradication, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 644—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code of the State of California in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to city justice courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the classification of municipal corporations," approved March 2, 1883, as amended, relating to municipal corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 559—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection;

Also: Senate Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer in counties and cities and counties of the first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth class, and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties;

Also: Senate Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended relating to the salary of the sealer of weights and measures in counties of the fifth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 644 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 181 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 741 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 559 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 199 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 157 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 548—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, relating to the license fees to be paid by licensed employment agencies and surety bonds required of them.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 548 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 783—An act to amend section 196 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No 620—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 17 of the "Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to the salaries and expenses of the Building and Loan Commission and the building and loan inspection fund,

Also Senate Bill No 560—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to create a drainage district to be called Knight's Landing Ridge Drainage District; to promote drainage therein by the making of a cut through Knight's Landing ridge, and the construction of a canal leading therefrom; to provide for the election and appointment of officers of said drainage district; defining the powers, duties and compensation of such officers, and providing for levying and collecting assessments upon the lands within said drainage district, the issuance of bonds by said drainage district and testing the validity of the levy of such assessments and the issuance of such bonds," approved April 30, 1913, relating to the collection of installments;

Also Senate Bill No 561—An act to amend section 3466 of the Political Code by providing that assessments in reclamation districts shall be collected in not more than one separate installment for warrants issued for more than three years;

Also Senate Bill No 549—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended by providing for penalties for violations of the said act.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 783 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No 620 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No 560 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 561 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 549 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to amend section 19*x*12 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended, relative to the salary of probation officer in counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1084—An act to create and define the powers and duties of a State commission to represent the State in arranging and carrying out a program for the celebration of the bicentennial of the birth of George Washington.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "any" insert the words "nonprofit cooperative".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, following the word "association", strike out the remainder of line 19 and all of line 20 except the last word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "agricultural".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 21 to 26, inclusive, and on page 2 strike out all of lines 1 and 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "an action at law, the performance of which would not be specifically enforced; *provided, however*, that an injunction may be granted to prevent the breach of a contract entered into between any non-profit co-operative corporation or association and a member or stockholder thereof in respect to any provision regarding the sale or delivery to the corporation or association of the products produced or acquired by such member or stockholder."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of

the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to add a new section to article III of chapter II of title III of part I of division IV of the Civil Code, to be known as section 3396, and relating to specific performance of marketing agreements of cooperative marketing associations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the printed bill, in line 4 of the title, strike out the word "ninety-six" and insert in lieu thereof "ninety-seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, following line 4, of the printed bill, insert the following:

3397. A contract entered into by a member or stockholder of a non-profit cooperative association or corporation, providing for the delivery to such association or corporation of products produced or acquired by the member or stockholder, may be specifically enforced by the association or corporation to secure the delivery to it of such products, any provisions contained in this part of the Civil Code to the contrary notwithstanding.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ninety-six" and insert in lieu thereof "ninety-seven".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act to add a new section to an act known as the "general dairy law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section sixteen and one-half, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. A new section to be numbered sixteen and one-half is hereby added to an act known as the "general dairy law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to read as follows:

Sec. 16½. (*a*) For the purposes of this act, a dairy produce exchange shall be deemed to be an association of persons, firms or corporations organized for the purpose of furnishing a medium for trading in butter, cheese or eggs, to facilitate the marketing of said products, or to establish their wholesale market value.

(*b*) It shall be unlawful for any association or corporation to establish or operate a dairy produce exchange without first obtaining from the department of agriculture a license to do so.

(e) Every dairy produce exchange within the expiration of thirty days from and after the effective date of this act, and any association or corporation thereafter desiring to operate a dairy produce exchange, and before engaging in such activity, shall file with the director of the department of agriculture a written application for a license, which application shall be accompanied by the license fee, as hereinafter provided, and shall state or include the following information:

(1) The name under which said exchange proposes to operate.

(2) The location of its place of business.

(3) The names of its officers, directors, and the persons and/or firms constituting its membership.

(4) A certified copy of its articles of incorporation, its constitution and by-laws, and the rules and regulations and bases of trade under which it proposes to operate.

(5) Such further or additional information as may be necessary to satisfy the director of agriculture that the by-laws and rules of the applicant are fair and equitable to both buyer and seller; that they safeguard the interest of both producer and consumer; and that they allow for a free operation of the economic law of supply and demand.

(d) The director of agriculture shall, within sixty days after receipt of said application, issue a license to said applicant, *provided, however*, that said director of agriculture, may after a public hearing, conducted in the city in which said applicant or licensee is located, refuse to grant said license or may suspend or revoke any license, upon thirty days notice to the applicant or licensee, when he shall be satisfied of the existence of any of the following facts:

(1) That the applicant, or licensee, has intentionally made any false or misleading statements, or misrepresentation of facts, or was guilty of fraud or deception in its application for or procurement of a license.

(2) That any fraudulent or unfair practice or illegal act shall have been committed by the applicant or licensee in the conduct of its business.

(3) That such applicant, or licensee, or its membership, by collusion or otherwise, is guilty of unlawfully fixing market prices or any act resulting in restraint of trade or in the making of fictitious market quotations.

(4) That the applicant, or licensee, has failed or refused to make such reports or submit such records or statistics to the director of agriculture as may be required by him.

(e) The director of agriculture may require such monthly or other periodical reports, records of market quotations, and other statistical information as may be necessary to him in administering this act, and all such reports, statistics or information pertaining to each licensee shall be kept on file in the office of the director of agriculture and subject to public inspection.

(f) The director of agriculture shall, upon verified complaint, conduct such investigation and require such showing from any licensee as he may deem necessary to determine whether all of the provisions of this act have been complied with, and if such investigation develops the fact that any licensee has been guilty of any unlawful act, or acts, the director of agriculture may initiate legal proceedings again such licensee.

(g) Any action of the director of agriculture with reference to the granting of, or the refusal to grant any license, or the suspension or revocation of any license granted under the provisions of this act, may be reviewed by any court of competent jurisdiction and, pending final determination of any such review in the case of the revocation or suspension of the license of any dairy produce exchange, such license shall be deemed to be in full force and effect until final determination of such proceedings.

(h) The director of agriculture shall have access to all records of every licensed dairy produce exchange, and may serve, or appoint a representative to serve for him, as ex officio member of the board of directors of any such exchange or exchanges.

(i) Except as otherwise provided herein, each license issued by the director of agriculture shall continue in effect so long as the licensee shall continue in business; *provided, however*, that a fee of $100 shall be paid annually to the director of agriculture, such fee being payable on the first Monday of each calendar year.

(j) All license fees collected by the director of agriculture under this act shall be used by said director of agriculture in administering the provisions of this act.

(k) No provision in this act shall be so construed as to conflict with interstate trade or commerce, as defined by the supreme court of the United States and of the State of California.

SEC. 2. It is hereby expressly provided that this amendment shall become an integral part of the general dairy law of California and that it shall be read and interpreted in connection with the context of said act as a whole, and that it is subject to the same general provisions relating to unlawful sales, enforcement, violations and penalties, as are provided by said law.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as 'Johnson grass'," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, and repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, after the word "weed" insert the following: "which is not of common occurrence in the county or locality".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to sell, offer for sale, or engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 658—An act authorizing justices of the Supreme Court and of the District Courts of Appeal and judges of the superior court, of the State of California, to temporarily retire from regular service after reaching the age of sixty-five years and after service of at least twenty years in one or more of said courts and providing for service and compensation therefor of such justices or judges and for designating and assigning justices and judges pro tempore to act in place of such retiring justices or judges, and providing for their duties, expenses and compensation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, beginning on line 5, of the printed bill, after the period after the figure 5, strike out the remainder of the line and down to and including the period after the word "serving" on line 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Any justice or judge during the time of his temporary retirement shall receive and be paid one-half of his regular salary; *provided*, that if during such period such justice or judge should serve or be called to serve in any such court or courts he shall receive during his time of such sitting and service, the same amount of salary as the justices or judges of the court in which he is sitting and serving. Such one-half salary shall be paid by the state or by the state and county in the manner provided by law for paying regular salaries of justices or judges in such respective court or county. In case of such service being rendered in the supreme court or in any of the district courts of appeal, the state shall pay such salary in the manner provided

by law for paying the salary of justices of the court in which such service is rendered, but in case such service is rendered in the superior court the state shall pay one-half of such salary and the county in which such service is rendered shall pay the other one-half as full compensation to such justice or judge so sitting and rendering such service in any of such courts."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 137—An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the third line of the title of the amended bill, after the comma following the word "purchasing", insert the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the fourth line of the title of the amended bill, after the word "sale", strike out the comma and the following "and persons selling,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the amended bill, at the beginning of line 39, strike out the words "an appeal".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, lines 50 and 51, of the amended bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 23, of the amended bill, after the word "order", strike out the word "for" and insert in lieu thereof a period and the word "For".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 14, of the amended bill, after the word "name", strike out the words "and the signature".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 4, of the amended bill, strike out the words "secretary of state" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state mineralogist".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 48, of the amended bill, after the period following the figures "10", insert the following: "Should the duties of the state mineralogist be transferred to a director or department of mines and mineral resources, all of the powers, rights, duties and responsibilities of the state mineralogist provided in this act shall be thereby transferred to such director or department of mines and mineral resources.

Sec. 11."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No 137, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the twelfth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 616 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 435—An act declaring the present highway from Malin on the Oregon State line and leading therefrom through Lookout and Bieber to Susanville, California, to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 435 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, or transporting logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products from such logs and providing for means by which the owner of such logs or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's

bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor; to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens, to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887; and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 715 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noves, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of judgments against counties, cities, cities and counties, and towns," approved March 23, 1901.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 749 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims

prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McDonough moved that Assembly Bill No 895 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 895 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 305 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—55.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 2 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—55.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agricultural lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1219 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry,

Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Bernard, Browne, and Murphy—3.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Coombs gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1219 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 507 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1016—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Assembly Bill No. 1016 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Anderson, R. J., moved that Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Bill No. 765—An act to open and dedicate as a public street a certain strip of submerged land one hundred fifty feet wide known as First avenue south and as Arthur avenue, extending from Third street, formerly Kentucky street, to Newhall street, in the city and county of San Francisco, and to grant said strip of land for that purpose to the city and county of San Francisco, and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 765 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 730—An act concerning the acquisition by the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of lands lying seaward of the waterfront line of the city and county of San Francisco for purposes of commerce and navigation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 730 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 738—An act to amend sections 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco," approved June 3, 1921, and adding a new section thereto to be numbered 4*a*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 738 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following resolution was offered:
By Committee on Prisons and Reformatories:

WHEREAS, One Clarence Reid has been convicted of murder, in the first degree in the superior court of Los Angeles County, and is now in San Quentin Prison awaiting execution, and

WHEREAS, One Lawrence McMullen, Reid's partner in the crime and now serving a life sentence in San Quentin Prison, has recently made a written confession in which he assumes full responsibility for the shooting of Charles Weingarten, for whose murder Reid is to pay the extreme penalty, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of this committee in view of this new development in the case and in order to afford the fullest opportunity for proof of the alleged guilt of McMullen for the actual murder, that any and all evidence tending to establish the innocence of Reid, so far as the actual shooting is concerned, be forthwith presented to the Governor of the State for his consideration to the end that the death penalty be not invoked against Reid should his innocence of the actual shooting be established

(Signed out)

DODGE, Chairman.
REINDOLLAR.
MILLER, ELEANOR.
DILLINGER.
ADAMS.
EASLEY.
SEWELL.
SCOFIELD.
FRY.
HAWES.
HARTRANFT.
McDONOUGH.
CROTER.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Dodge asked for and was granted unanimous consent to consider the above resolution, at this time, without reference to committee.
Resolution read.

MOTION TO AMEND.

Mr. Carter moved to amend the resolution as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 15 of the resolution, strike out the word "committee" and insert in lieu thereof the word "assembly".

The question being on the motion to amend by Mr. Carter.
Motion carried.
The question being on the adoption of the resolution, as amended.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Hawes, Schmidt, Burns and Reindollar, the the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the adoption of the resolution by Mr. Dodge.

The roll was called, and the resolution refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Croter, Dodge, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, and Williamson—26.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The following report of Select Committee was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

This Assembly did by resolution adopted on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1925, appoint a sub-committee consisting of five members to investigate fully the facts in connection with Assembly Bill No. 440 and report back to the Assembly its findings thereon; and

On the twenty-seventh day of February, 1925, this Assembly did by resolution authorize said sub-committee of investigation to employ a stenographer to take down and transcribe all proceedings in said matter and to incur further expenses as may be necessary, all to be paid out of the contingent fund of the Assembly, not to exceed, however, the sum of $1,000; and

The total expenses of the above investigation as set forth herein amount to the sum of $637.90;

J. J. Petermichel, stenographic reporter	$463 00
Earl Warren, witness	21 65
Gouna Sam, Chinese interpreter	12 50
Mrs. S. M. Smith, witness	26 75
Y. T. Dang, witness	34 00
Fong Wan, witness	36 00
Lee Shuck, witness	34 00
Martha Clarke, typist	10 00
Total	$637 90

GRAVES, Chairman.
WRIGHT.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. McPherson moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 449 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Dodge, Foster, Johnson, Lyons, McPherson, Noyes, Smith, and Wright, S. V.—10.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relating to the California Diamond Jubilee celebration.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 16.

Relating to the California Diamond Jubilee celebration.

WHEREAS, California will celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of its admission into the Union on September 9, 1925, and this historical event is to be known as the Diamond Jubilee celebration throughout the State; and

WHEREAS, Various celebrations will be held in California commemorating this event, culminating with a final celebration in the city of San Francisco, on September 9, 1925; now therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Governor be requested to send an invitation to His Excellency, the President of the United States and to the members of his cabinet, and request the Congress of the United States to appoint appropriate committees representing both houses, to attend said celebration; and be it further

Resolved, That the Governor be requested to communicate with the governors of the various states inviting them personally to attend said Diamond Jubilee, or to send an official representative; and be it further

Resolved, That the Governor be requested to issue a proclamation calling the attention of the people to the significance and importance of this great historical event.

Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific Ocean, unless such dwellings or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "within a distance of one hundred feet from".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the following. "the mean high tide of the Pacific ocean,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 8.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "the mean high tide line of the Pacific ocean".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1094, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

By Mr. Speaker:

To the Members of the Assembly, State of California.

I desire to announce that, in accordance with section 247 of the Political Code, I hereby appoint the following Page, at the per diem provided by law:

Bradford M. Crittenden.

FRANK F. MERRIAM, Speaker.

Mr. Graves moved that the appointment be confirmed.

The question being upon the confirmation of the appointment.

The roll was called, and the appointment confirmed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales,

And respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 196?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5, after the word "session", insert the word "laws".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 196 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 460?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 11, strike out the word "encumber" and insert in lieu thereof the word "encumbrance".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 460 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Browne—1.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and three minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read.

ON CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 509—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code, excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

JACOBSON, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to amend section 311 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may call stockholders meetings of corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1027—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to bail after indictment, so as to provide for the justification and approval of the same by a judge of the municipal court.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1028—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1461*a*, relating to proceedings in justice's and police courts, so as to make the procedure in said courts apply to municipal courts;

Also Assembly Bill No 1030—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may solemnize marriages.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to change of place of trial of actions;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1032—An act to amend section 161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to employment of judicial officers;

Also Assembly Bill No 1033—An act to amend section 147 of the Code of Civil Procedure, prescribing what courts shall have seals;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1035—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1617, relating to county jails to provide for the imprisonment of convicts in the municipal court in city jails;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to amend sections 1466, 1467, 1468, and 1469 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section 1468*a*, relating to appeals from municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend sections 33 and 34 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to courts and courts of record;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1039—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 149*a*, relating to seals of municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1040—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered section 1281*a*, providing that judges of the municipal courts may admit to and justify bail;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 808 of the Penal Code, prescribing who are magistrates;

Also Assembly Bill No 241—An act to amend section 1281 of the Civil Code, relating to wills, the validity of which by its own terms, is made conditional;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered IV to title XIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals from municipal courts,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1425*a*, providing that municipal courts shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all misdemeanors,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1037—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4300*l*, relating to fees of clerks of municipal courts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to amend section 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17 and 25 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities, providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

JACOBSON, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 996—An act to create a public park district to be known as "the Angeles park district," to provide for the acquisition, control and management of public parks, playgrounds and parkways within and without said district, and the acquisition of property therefor, to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district, to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MINES AND MINING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 470—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of director of said department; providing rules and regulations therefor and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof, providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the department of petroleum and gas, creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, etc—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

DILLINGER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER, Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 231—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of Horticultural Commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department and to assess and collect taxes from time to time for such purposes, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No 444—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to amend section 1917 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment of commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also Assembly Bill No 214—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895, as amended, relating to compensation of certain officers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was re-referred Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend sections 3756 and 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1*a* of article XIII thereof, relating to the exemption from taxation of colleges and secondary schools accredited to the University of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work, for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts, established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work," approved March 21, 1907, as amended, so as to include therein provisions for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and other public property within incorporated cities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and also upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class:

Also: Senate Bill No. 64—An act to amend section 1950 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody, and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 763—An act to amend section 4290 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county officers.

Also: Senate Bill No. 488—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*h*, relating to fires on highways;

Also. Senate Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Also: Senate Bill No 524—An act to amend section 3366 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of boards of supervisors, city councils and town trustees, in their respective counties, cities and towns to impose a license tax;

Also: Senate Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 19*h* of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the eighth class.

Also: Senate Bill No 381—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 628—An act to amend section 643 of the Civil Code, relative to building and loan associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectively reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 626—An act to amend an act known as "the Building and Loan Commission Act" approved April 5, 1911, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 15*b*, which section relates to the furnishing of bonds by certain officers and employees of building and loan associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 625—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1454*a*, relating to obtaining money by heirs—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 641 of the Civil Code, relating to guarantee stock surplus of building and loan associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 14 of "the Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 621—An act to amend section 15*a* of the Building and Loan Commission Act, approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to building and loan associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 620—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 17 of the Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to the salaries and expenses of the building and loan commission and the building and loan inspection fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 619—An act to amend the Building and Loan Commission Act by adding thereto two new sections relating to building and loan associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 533—An act to enable the Electro Metals Company, a trust organization, or its trustees or officers to sue the State of California:

Also, Senate Bill No. 55—An act to amend section 2969 of the Civil Code, relating to levy of writs of attachments and executions;

Also Senate Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 209—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 623—An act to amend section 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1893, providing for the creation of revolving funds in school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto,

Also Assembly Bill No. 354—An act to amend section 19*a*6 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1084—An act to create and define the powers and duties of a State commission to represent the State in arranging and carrying out a program for the celebration of the bicentennial of the birth of George Washington;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to sell, offer for sale, or engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to amend section 19*x*12 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended, relative to the salary of probation officer in counties of the twelfth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14—Relative to the planting of trees in memory of Clara Barton—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of March, 1925, at nine o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Jones:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to appropriate $5,000,000 for the improvement of certain State highways and certain extensions thereof which are hereby declared to be State highways.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 629—An act to amend sections 647 and 647*a* of the Civil Code of the State of California, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 647*b*, all relating to building and loan associations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 434—An act regulating private trade schools, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, and a bond, providing for proper equipment and for refunds of tuition where courses are not taken, prohibiting misleading advertisements and false representations and promises, providing for registers, receipts, diplomas and prescribed courses of instruction, providing for supervision of such schools by the Commissioner of Labor and granting to the said commissioner the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purposes and intent of this act, and providing penalties for violations of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 795—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1584*a*, relating to the establishment of retirement systems for teachers in cities and cities and counties organized under freeholders charters.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 629 read first time, and referred to Committee on Building and Loan Associations.

Senate Bill No. 434 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 795 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 1729 of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1913, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll bridges over navigable waters within the State of California.

And respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 877?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the second and third lines of the title of the printed bill, strike out "March 8, 1909", and insert in lieu thereof "June 5, 1913".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "approved", strike out "March 8, 1909", and insert in lieu thereof "June 5, 1913".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 877 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1175?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the words "provided that the" insert the following words "actual and physical"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "years", strike out the word "are" and insert the word "is".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1175 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the State Highway Commission for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;
And respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1001?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 5, 1925, strike out the second word "state" and insert in lieu thereof the word "California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended March 5, 1925, strike out the following "state highway commission" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "state director of institution, with the approval of the state board of control,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended March 5, 1925, after the word "authorized" add the following: "to grant to the California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended March 5, 1925, strike out the word "to" and insert in lieu thereof the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended March 5, 1925, after the word "use" add the word "of".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1001 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 593?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 14, after the word "sheriff" insert the following ", Coroners, recorders,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 593 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering, providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the

examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McPherson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, after the word "be", insert the words "fixed and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 28, of the printed bill, after the figures "($10.00), insert the following: ", the amount to be fixed and retained by the board,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 39, of the printed bill, after the figures "($25.00)", insert the following: "to be fixed and retained by the board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 5, line 16, of the printed bill, after the figures "($15.00)", insert the following: "to be retained by the board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 9, of the printed bill, after the figures "($5.00)", insert the following: 'the amount to be fixed and retained by the board".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McPherson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 333, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McPHERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person in giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Scofield moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 20, of the amended bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

Motion lost.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 478 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost,

Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Coombs, Dorris, Jones, Louttit, McDowell, Mueller, and Smith—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Melville moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "that" strike out the rest of line 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following matter "the candidate has rendered successful professional service in the public schools of the county for a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "months" strike out the words "of teaching" and insert in lieu thereof the words "of successful school".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following matter 'or else the facsimile signatures of the said officials, counter-signed by an assistant secretary authorized by the board to perform such services."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Melville as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 452, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MELVILLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Levey moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "corporation" insert the words "which may be hereafter formed".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Levey as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 538, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LEVEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 354—An act to amend section 19*x*6 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 354 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act relating to employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State; prohibiting false statements regarding the conditions of such employment and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1107 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. West moved that Assembly Bill No. 328 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 328 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Walters:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompaying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia Exposition, to be held in the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the sixth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 275—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, towns, counties or consolidated cities and counties, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population, may be regulated by ordinance; and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance," approved May 31, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California, to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No 680—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the county superintendent of schools.

Also Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 960—An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a division of cannery inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 106—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Also Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealer engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create the produce dealers' license fund, to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein, to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products to declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered eight hundred eighty-seven, relating to liability of public officers

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3244*a*, relating to hours of labor of employees and guards at the State prisons;

Also Assembly Bill No 308—An act to amend section 2152 of the Political Code, relating to the appointment, qualifications and removal of medical superintendents of State hospitals,

Also Assembly Bill No. 311—An act to repeal section 2184 of the Political Code, relating to the commitment of insane persons to the Southern California State Hospital,

Also, Assembly Bill No 312—An act to amend section 2153*a* of the Political Code, relating to the duties of medical superintendents of State hospitals;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of March, 1925, at two o'clock and five minutes p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ON CIVIL SERVICE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to trials of employees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread—has

had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BURNS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 640—An act to amend sections 8 and 20 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law" of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of milk in bottles and the labeling thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended and be re-referred to Committee on Livestock and Dairies

(Signed out)

BURNS, Chairman.
HORNBLOWER.
CROTER.
BYRNE.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

ON BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 629—An act to amend sections 647 and 647a of the Civil Code of the State of California, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 647b, all relating to building and loan associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund; selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 730—An act to amend sections 852a and 881 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections for and adoption of the commission form of government, and relating to the compensation of officers of municipalities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 4041f 4408a of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 299—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District' to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district, to provide for the government and control

of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district:

Also Assembly Bill No. 563—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act creating a reclamation district to be called and known as 'Reclamation District No. 1500,' providing for the management and control thereof and dissolving all levee districts, swamp land districts, and reclamation districts, lying wholly within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500; providing for the liquidation and winding up of said dissolved districts, and excluding from any levee district, swamp land district and reclamation district any land lying within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500," approved April 30, 1913, as amended, relating to the election, appointment, powers, and duties of the trustees of said district, and relating to the management and control thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class:

Also Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class;

Also Assembly Bill No 1203—An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 1915 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 4262 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-third class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 643—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class.

Also Assembly Bill No 443—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and compensation of officers in counties of the forty-first class;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 121—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the forty-fourth class.

Also Assembly Bill No 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the claim filed with him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred.

Also Assembly Bill No 1185—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2210*h*, relating to pensions.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

ADJOURNMENT.

At three o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Foster, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Wednesday, March 25, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, March 25, 1925.

At nine o'clock a m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Brougfton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rt. Rev. Bishop Wm. H Moreland of Sacramento, former Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Little, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Mueller, Mr. Davis was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Noyes, Miss Mabel L. Dorsey, teacher at the University Farm at Davis, California, and the following pupils, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal·

Harold Tuttle, Geo. G. Bossford, Jr., John Slurges, E. A. Court, Louis Thompson, Geo. I. Murphy, C. L Muller, T. D. Bird, F. F. Wrenn, L. S. Stitt, J. M. O'Dowda, E. I O'Connell, and S. A. Di Giorgio.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Graves, Miss Peggy O'Neil of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Browne, Messrs. J. S. Eastman, T. G. Watterson, Jess Hession and Harry A. Glasscock were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Judge and Mrs. Frank C. Collier of Los Angeles, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Lombard of Pasadena, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Miss Miller, Mr. Albert E. Lombard, Jr, of Pasadena, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Levey, Rabbi Louis I Newman of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution—*Resolved*, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the Contingent Expense Fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, for the sum of one hundred dollars ($100), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expenses of the Chief Clerk's office—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
NOYES.
MILLER.
LEVEY.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43

NOES—None

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1239—An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 509—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "unless it shall be so provided in their by-laws or rules and shall not apply" and insert in lieu thereof the following after the word "shares" the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word organizations add the words "unless it shall be so provided in their by-laws or rules".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1025—An act to amend section 311 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may call stockholders' meetings of corporations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to bail after indictment, so as to provide for the justification and approval of the same by a judge of the municipal court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1028—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1461*a*, relating to proceedings in justice's and police courts, so as to make the procedure in said courts apply to municipal courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1030—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may solemnize marriages.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1031—An act to amend section 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to change of place of trial of actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1032—An act to amend section 161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to employment of judicial officers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1033—An act to amend section 147 of the Code of Civil Procedure, prescribing what courts shall have seals

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1035—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1617, relating to county jails to provide for the imprisonment of convicts in the municipal court in city jails.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to amend sections 1466, 1467, 1468, and 1469 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section 1468*a*, relating to appeals from municipal courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1038—An act to amend sections 33 and 34 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to courts and courts of record.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1039—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 149*a*, relating to seals of municipal courts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1040—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered section 1281*a*, providing that judges of the municipal courts may admit to and justify bail

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 808 of the Penal Code, prescribing who are magistrates.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 1281 of the Civil Code, relating to wills, the validity of which by its own terms, is made conditional.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered IV to title XIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals from municipal courts

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the semicolon after the word "judgment" in line 10, page 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof a period; beginning with the word "provided" in line 10, page 1, strike out lines 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, of the printed bill, down to and including the word "less" in line 16.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

After the word "rendered" in line 17, page 2, of the printed bill, add the following: "on appeal".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1425*a*, providing that municipal courts shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all misdemeanors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the article "(*a*)" and insert in lieu thereof "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "to be numbered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Strike out all of lines 2, 3 and 4 of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following ", relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal courts and the disposition of all moneys collected therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 1 of the printed bill, after the word "to" insert the following: "part two, title eleven, chapter one, of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In line 2 of the printed bill, strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the word and letter "five*a*" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

Insert after line 15 of the printed bill, the following: "such courts should also have jurisdiction over any misdemeanor committed in the county in which such city is located.

SEC. 2 A new section is hereby added to part 2, title 11, chapter 1, of the Penal Code, to be numbered one thousand four hundred sixty-three, and to read as follows

1463. Except where otherwise specifically provided to the contrary all fines and forfeitures collected upon conviction or upon the forfeiture of bail in any municipal court following the arrest by any officer employed by the state of by the county in which such court is situated, shall be paid into the general fund of the county; and all fines and forfeitures collected in such court upon conviction or upon the forfeiture of bail following the arrest by any officer employed by the city for which such court is established shall be paid into the general fund of the city.

All such fines and forfeitures, together with moneys deposited as bail shall as soon as practicable after the receipt thereof be deposited with the county treasurer.

At least once a month the county treasurer shall pay over to the treasurer of any city entitled thereto, all moneys, fines and forfeitures belonging to such city.

Any money deposited with such court or the clerk thereof which by order of the court or for any other reason should be returned in whole or in part to any person, shall be paid to such person upon demand certified to be correct by the clerk of the court.

All money deposited as bail, which has not been claimed within one year after the final disposition of the case in which said bail is deposited, shall be paid into the general fund of the county if the bail was deposited following arrest by an officer employed by the county or state, or in the general fund of the city if the bail was deposited following arrest by an officer employed by the city."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "1425*a*" and insert in lieu thereof "1462".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1037—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4300*l*, relating to fees of clerks of municipal courts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "clerks of" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "officers, witnesses and jurors in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "section" following the word "new" insert the following: "to be numbered".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the" following the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the following "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "courts" and insert in lieu thereof the word "court".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "statement of claim" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "complaint".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the following "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "behalf" add the following: "if a demurrer,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 15 of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", otherwise, one dollar."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, at the end of the printed bill, add the following: "On the commencement in or removal to the municipal court of any municipality, of any civil action or proceeding, the clerk shall collect the sum of one dollar for the law library fund, and shall pay the same to the treasurer of his county, who shall keep the same in the law library fund designated in section four thousand one hundred ninety of this code.

Marshals of municipal courts, except as otherwise provided by law, shall charge and collect the fees provided in section four thousand three hundred *d*, Political Code, except that for keeping property taken under attachment or execution they shall collect the actual amount charged by any reputable warehouse or storage house for safely keeping and storing such property, but if such property shall be placed in the care of a keeper, the fee for such keeper shall be four dollars per day.

All fees shall be paid into the county treasurer, as provided in section four thousand three hundred five of this code.

Witnesses in municipal courts, except as otherwise provided by law, shall be paid the fees provided to be paid to witnesses in the superior court in the county or city and county in which any such municipal court is situated.

Jurors in municipal courts, except as otherwise provided by law, shall be paid the fees provided to be paid to trial jurors in the superior court in the county or city and county in which any such municipal court is situated.

Witnesses and jurors in criminal cases shall be paid by the county in the manner provided for the payment of such fees in the county or city and county in which any such municipal court is situated."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to amend section 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the "semicolon" following the word "lessee" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "if known;".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17 and 25 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 996—An act to create a public park district to be known as "the Angeles park district"; to provide for the acquisition,

control and management of public parks, playgrounds and parkways within and without said district, and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "create a public park district to be known as the Angeles park district" and insert in lieu thereof the following "provide for the formation of regional park districts consisting of all or parts of one or more counties".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "said district" and insert in lieu thereof the words "such districts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In lines 7 and 8 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "said district" in both places where same appear, and insert in lieu thereof in each case the words "such districts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following "and to define certain powers of cities and other governmental agencies in relation thereto."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 20, inclusive, and in lieu thereof insert the following

SECTION 1. Regional park districts may be created and governed as in this act provided. Such districts may consist of all or portions of one or more contiguous counties.

SEC. 2. In case a proposed regional park district consists of all or a portion of one county, the procedure shall be as follows: The board of supervisors of such county may, and upon petition signed by at least five per cent of the registered electors residing within such proposed district, must submit to the voters residing within such proposed district, at any regular election or at a special election called for the purpose, the question of the formation of such district. Notice of such election shall be published at least once a week for three consecutive weeks prior to such election in some newspaper of general circulation within the proposed district. Such notice of election shall designate the polling places and shall name the election officers, which shall consist of one clerk, one inspector and one judge for each polling place. Such notice shall particularly describe the boundaries of the proposed district and shall require the voters voting at such election to cast ballots which shall contain either the words "Shall _____ (naming it) Park District be formed?" or the words "Shall _____ (naming it) park district be formed and shall a tax of _____ (specifying the rate) be levied each year upon all taxable real property in the district to carry out the purposes of the district?" opposite which shall be the words "Yes" and "No" with voting squares. In all particulars not described in this act, the election shall be conducted in the manner ordered by the board of supervisors.

SEC. 3. The board of supervisors shall meet on the first Monday following such election and shall canvass the returns thereof. If, upon such canvass, it appears that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of the formation of the district, the board shall make an order creating the district, and thereupon the same shall be created. Such order must contain the name of the district and a description of the boundaries thereof.

SEC. 4. In case a proposed regional park district consists of all or portions of two or more counties, the procedure shall be as follows: There shall be presented to the board of supervisors of the county having the largest population of the counties, all or parts of which are included in the proposed district, either petitions signed by at least five per cent of the registered electors of all or of those portions, respectively, of each of the counties all or parts of which are included in the proposed district, or resolutions adopted by the board of supervisors of each county, all or part of which is included within the proposed district, or both such petitions and resolutions, which petitions or resolutions shall describe the boundaries of the proposed district as a whole and as to the counties or parts of counties included therein and shall pray that an election be held to determine whether such district

shall be formed The board of supervisors of the county receiving such petitions or resolutions, either or both, shall thereupon give notice of an election to be held in each of the counties or parts thereof included in the proposed district. Such notice shall be thereupon transmitted to the board of supervisors of each county, all or part of which is included in the proposed district Such boards of supervisors, and the board giving such notice, shall thereupon cause the same to be published at least once a week for three consecutive weeks in some newspaper of general circulation in their respective counties or parts thereof Such notice of election shall particularly describe the boundaries of the proposed district as a whole and as to the counties or parts of counties included therein, shall fix the polling places, shall name the election boards and shall otherwise order the conduct of such election as prescribed in section 2 of this act The election in each county or part thereof shall be conducted by the board of supervisors thereof

SEC. 5 The board of supervisors of each county, all or part of which is included in the proposed district, shall meet on the Monday next following such election and canvass the vote thereof. The results of such vote shall be certified by each such board of supervisors to the board of supervisors of the county having the largest population The board of supervisors of the county having the largest population shall thereupon adopt an order describing the district so as to include those counties or portions thereof as described in the notice of election, in each of which a majority vote has been cast in favor of the formation of the district, and declaring such district formed, and the same shall thereupon be formed, *provided, however*, that such order shall not be adopted unless the total vote cast in such counties or portions thereof in each of which a majority vote has been cast in favor of the formation of the district is equal to at least three-fourths of the total vote cast in the entire territory proposed to be formed into such district Without such order the district shall not be deemed to be formed

SEC 6 The purpose of the creation of a district under the provisions of this act is to provide for the acquisition, protection and use of areas adaptable to use as public parks and playgrounds and parkways with the objects of (*a*) securing such areas for the public before they become so highly developed for private uses that the cost of their acquisition would be prohibitive, (*b*) developing such areas so that they may be most serviceable as parks, playgrounds and parkways and for their recreational value of any kind, and (*c*) managing such areas that the public may receive the greatest benefit from their use

SEC 7 A district created under the provisions of this act shall be a body corporate and politic with power

(*a*) To have perpetual succession

(*b*) To sue and be sued.

(*c*) To adopt a seal and alter it at pleasure.

(*d*) To enter into contracts necessary to carry out any of the objects or purposes of its creation.

(*e*) To acquire by purchase, lease, gift, condemnation, or in any other manner, and hold, improve, develop and dispose of property, either real or personal or an interest therein or the use thereof, situate within or without the district, necessary or convenient to carry out any of the objects or purposes of its creation.

(*f*) To incur indebtedness and to issue bonds therefor in the manner hereinafter provided

(*g*) To levy and collect taxes for the purpose of paying any indebtedness incurred by the district and also for the purpose of meeting the expense of carrying out the other objects and purposes of this act

SEC 8 The powers of such district shall be exercised by a board to be known as the "Board of Park Commissioners of _____ (naming it) Park District" or as the "_____ (name of district) Park Board" (hereinafter referred to as the "park board"), and by agents of the district employed by said park board.

SEC 9 In case such district consists of all or a part of one county, the park board shall consist of five members, who shall be electors residing within the district and shall be appointed by the board of supervisors of the county in which the district is located. The terms of office of such members shall be five years, except that of the board first appointed the members thereof shall so classify themselves by lot that the term of one member shall expire at the end of one year, the term of one member at the end of two years, the term of one member at the end of three years, the term of one member at the end of four years and the term of one member at the end of five years. Vacancies on the park board shall be filled by the board of supervisors of the county.

In case the district consists of all or portions of two or more counties, the park board shall consist of seven members, appointed as follows Each county, all or part of which is included within the district, shall be entitled to representation on the park board in proportion to assessed valuation *provided however*, that each such county shall be entitled to at least one member of such park board; *provided, further*, that no such county shall be entitled to more than four members of such board The members of such park board to which each county, all or part of which is included within the district is entitled, shall be appointed by the board of supervisors of such county from among the electors of such county; *provided, however*, that if there are less than seven members appointed to such park board,

as above provided, the members so appointed shall choose the additional members necessary to bring the total number to seven. All of the members of such park board shall be electors of the district. The terms of office of the members of such a park board shall be five years, *provided, however*, that of the park board first appointed the members thereof shall classify themselves by lot in such manner that the term of one member shall expire at the end of one year, the term of one member shall expire at the end of two years, the term of one member shall expire at the end of three years, the terms of two members shall expire at the end of four years and the terms of two members shall expire at the end of five years. Vacancies on such a park board shall be filled by the board of supervisors of the county of which the member whose place is left vacant is the representative, or, if such member was chosen by the other members of the park board, by the other members of such park board.

SEC. 10. The park board shall be appointed within one month after the formation of the district, and shall immediately organize by electing one of its members president and one vice president, which officers shall hold office for one year and until their successors are elected, unless their membership on the board sooner expires. The park board may fill for the unexpired term any vacancy occurring in the office of president or vice president. The park board shall by resolution fix the time and place of its regular meetings and may meet at any time upon a call signed by all of its members to transact such business as may be set forth in the call. A majority of the park board shall constitute a quorum and no act of the park board shall be valid unless a majority of the members concur.

SEC. 11. The park board shall appoint a secretary, not a member of the board, and a chief accounting employee who may be the secretary. The secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings and transactions of the park board, specifying therein the names of the members of the park board at all meetings and giving the ayes and noes upon all votes. He shall post and publish all orders, resolutions and notices which the park board shall order to be posted or published and shall perform such other duties as are herein, or may be by order of the park board, imposed on him.

SEC. 12. The park board shall have power to supervise, control, regulate and manage the government of the district and to make and enforce all necessary and desirable rules and regulations therefor and for the exercise of the powers conferred upon the district by this act.

SEC. 13. The park board shall appoint and shall have power to remove a general manager for the district who shall be the chief administrative officer of the district. Such general manager shall not be a member of the park board. His office shall be known as that of "General Manager of _____ (naming it) Park District". The park board may issue instructions to the general manager of the district concerning his exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by this act. Failure on his part to comply with such instructions, or incompetency, dishonesty, discourtesy or neglect of duty on his part, as determined by the park board, shall constitute adequate grounds for his removal by said board, *provided*, that the person affected shall be given previous written notice of the grounds of the proposed removal and opportunity to be heard by the board.

SEC. 14. Subject to the provisions of this act, the rules of the district and the instructions of his board, said general manager shall have the power and duty

(1) To administer the affairs of the district as its chief administrative officer;

(2) To appoint, discharge, suspend or transfer the employees of the district other than the secretary of the board and the chief accounting employee of the district, which employees may include clerks, counsel, engineers and other persons as the needs of the district may require, and to issue instructions to said employees other than the secretary and the chief accounting employee, in the line of their duties, all subject to civil service provisions;

(3) To expend the funds of the district in accordance with the provisions of the budget appropriations or of appropriations made subsequent to the budget;

(4) To recommend to the park board, prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, an annual budget covering the anticipated revenues and expenditures of the district, conforming so far as practicable to the forms and dates provided by law in relation to the budgets of the counties, all or parts of which are included within the district;

(5) To certify all expenditures of the district to the chief accounting employee;

(6) To exercise such further powers in the administration of the district as may be conferred upon him by the park board.

SEC. 15. The general manager of the district at least once a month shall file with the park board a written report on the work of the district.

SEC. 16. Any action by the park board authorizing the acquisition or sale of real property, approving of contracts which obligate the district for a longer period of time than one year, or which involves values in excess of two thousand dollars ($2,000) or which involves a rule of general application to be followed by the public, shall be taken by the park board by order or resolution. Every order or resolution adopting a rule of general application to be followed by the public shall be published once in a daily newspaper and shall take effect upon such publication.

SEC 17. The park board may contract with any county or city or other political subdivision of the state, and the counties, cities and other political subdivisions of the state are empowered to contract with the district for the furnishing of service or equipment or facilities of any kind needed by the district

SEC. 18 The district shall have power to condemn real property or any interest therein for the purposes of the district A resolution adopted by a four-fifths vote of the park board declaring that public necessity requires the acquisition of the real property or interest therein described in the resolution for a park, playgound or parkway shall be conclusive evidence of the facts set forth in the resolution.

SEC. 19 In case the question voted upon at the election held as in section 2 or section 4 of this act specified a tax rate, the rate as so specified shall be the rate at which the board of supervisors of each county, all or part of which lies within the district, must annually, at the time and in the manner of levying general taxes for county purposes, levy and collect a tax on all the taxable real property, exclusive of operative property, within the county, which is also within the district.

SEC 20 In case the question voted upon at the election held as in section 2 or section 4 of this act did not specify a tax rate, the park board shall each calendar year, including the year in which this act takes effect, on or before the fifteenth day of August, furnish to the board of supervisors of each county, all or part of which lies within the district, a written statement of the amount of money necessary to carry out any of the purposes of the district, exclusive of any purposes to be carried out by payments from funds from bonds issued as in this act provided, as may be determined by said park board, and to defray all other expenses incidental to the exercise of any of the powers granted by this act, during the ensuing year.

In case the district lies wholly within one county, the board of supervisors of such county must, at the time and in the manner of levying other county taxes, levy and cause to be collected a tax upon all the taxable real property in such district, exclusive of operative property, based upon the last equalized assessment roll of said county, sufficient to pay the amount necessary to carry out the purposes of said district and to defray all other expenses incidental to the exercise of any of the powers granted by this act, during the ensuing year: *provided, however*, that such tax shall be at a rate not to exceed one mill on each dollar of assessed value in the district

In case the district lies in one or more counties, the assessor of each of such counties must annually, as soon as the county assessments have been equalized by the state board of equalization certify to the board of supervisors of each of the counties in which any portion of such district is situated, the assessed value of all taxable property in such county situated in such district and the total assessed value of all taxable property in the district, securing such information as may be necessary from the assessors of the other counties involved.

A tax shall be levied each year according to the ratio which the assessed value of the property in such district in any county bears to the total assessed value of the property in such district, each board of supervisors to levy upon the taxable real property, exclusive of operative property, in such district and within their own county such rate of tax, not to exceed one mill on each dollar of assessed value, as will in the entire district raise the amount necessary to carry out the purposes of said district and to defray all other expenses incidental to the exercise of any of the powers granted by this act, during the ensuing year. Said tax shall be levied and collected at the same time and in the same manner as the general levy for county purposes, and shall be based upon the last equalized assessment roll of the county

SEC. 21. The moneys collected by the tax collector of each county as a result of the tax levy as in section 19 or section 20 of this act shall be paid to the treasurer as provided by law with respect to county taxes, and shall be kept by him in a special fund Such funds shall thereafter, upon order of the park board, be paid to the treasurer of the county which shall be designated by the park board as the treasurer of the district. All claims against the district shall be audited, approved and paid as are claims against the general fund of the county, the treasurer of which has been chosen as treasurer of the district, except that such claims shall be presented to the park board and not to the board of supervisors The auditor of such county shall be the auditor of the district. The district shall pay the county such sum for the services of its auditor and treasurer and other officers, their deputies and employees as may be agreed upon between the district and the county.

SEC. 22 The park board shall, prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, adopt an annual budget and make an annual budget appropriation, covering the anticipated revenues and expenditures of the district Such budget shall conform as far as practicable, to the forms and times provided by law for the budgets of the counties, all or part of which are included within the district. Each such budget shall contain a sum to be known as the "unappropriated balance", which sum shall be available for appropriation by the park board later in the ensuing fiscal year to meet contingencies as they may arise A copy of such budget, when adopted, and of every resolution subsequently adopted making appropriation from said unappropriated balance, shall promptly be filed with the board of supervisors of each county, all or part of which is included within the district. No expenditure shall be made

or financial obligations incurred by the district except as authorized by the annual budget appropriation or appropriations made subsequent to said annual budget.

No money shall be drawn from any fund under the control of the district except upon warrants authenticated by the signature of the chief accounting employee of the district who shall be directly appointed by the park board and shall be directly responsible to it in the discharge of his duties.

SEC. 23. The district may vote to incur a bonded indebtedness for the purposes of acquiring real estate or any interest therein and making improvements thereon as in this section provided. The park board shall adopt a resolution setting forth

(*a*) The purpose of the proposed bond issue.

(*b*) The number of years, not to exceed forty, the bonds or any part thereof are to run.

(*c*) The total amount for which the bonds are to issue.

(*d*) The date of holding the election.

(*e*) The regulations governing the election.

(*f*) Provision for publishing the resolution.

(*g*) The rate of interest or a maximum rate of interest.

(*h*) The names of the officers of election appointed to conduct the same.

The purpose of the proposed bond issue may include the acquisition and improvement of one or several parcels of land or interests therein.

SEC. 24. For the purposes of said election, the park board shall establish election precincts within the boundaries of the district and may form election precincts by consolidating the precincts established for general election purposes in said district, not exceeding six for each said bond election precinct, and shall designate polling places and appoint two inspectors, two judges and two clerks for each of such precincts. In all particulars not recited in the resolution calling the same, such election shall be held as nearly as practicable in conformity with the general election laws of the state. Said resolution calling such election shall, prior to the date set for such election, be published ten times in a daily or four times in a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in each of the counties comprising said district and designated by the park board for said purpose. No other notice of such election need be given. If, at such election, two-thirds of the votes cast is in favor of incurring such bonded indebtedness, then the bonds of said district for the amount stated in said resolution shall be issued and sold as in this act provided. Any defect or irregularity in the proceedings prior to the election shall not effect the validity of the bonds.

SEC. 25. The park board shall, subject to the provisions of this act, prescribe the form of said bonds and of the interest coupons attached thereto. Said bonds shall be payable substantially in the following manner. A part, to be determined by said park board and which shall be not less than a one-fortieth part of the whole amount of such indebtedness, shall be payable each and every year on a specified date and at a place either within or without the State of California to be fixed by said park board and designated in such bonds, together with the interest thereon payable either annually or semiannually as the district board may determine. The rate of interest specified in such bonds shall be fixed by the park board, which rate may be less than, but shall not exceed the rate of interest stated in the resolution calling said election. Such bonds shall be issued in such denominations as the park board may determine, except that no bonds shall be of less denomination than one hundred dollars nor of a greater denomination than one thousand dollars.

SEC. 26. The park board may issue and sell the bonds of such district authorized as hereinbefore provided at not less than par value and the proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be placed in the treasury of the district, to the credit thereof, and a record of such transaction shall be made upon the books of the treasurer and auditor of said district, and such proceeds shall be applied exclusively to the purposes and objects mentioned in the resolution calling such bond election as aforesaid, subject to the provisions in this act contained. Payment from said district funds shall be made by warrants authenticated as provided in section 20 of this act and issued upon demands allowed by said park board and prepared, presented and audited in the same manner as demands are prepared, presented and audited upon the funds of counties.

SEC. 27. Should the proposition of issuing bonds submitted at any election under this act fail to receive the requisite number of votes of the qualified voters voting at such election to incur the indebtedness for the purpose specified, the park board shall have power and authority, at the expiration of six months after such election, to call or order another election for incurring indebtedness and issuing bonds under the terms of this act, either for the same objects and purposes, or for any of the objects and purposes of the district.

SEC. 28. Whenever bonds have been issued by said district and the proceeds of the sale thereof have been expended as in this act authorized, and said park board shall by resolution passed by a vote of four-fifths of all its members determine that the public interest or necessity of said district demands the issuance of additional bonds for carrying out any of the objects of the district, said park board may again proceed as in this act provided, and submit to the qualified voters of said district the question of issuing additional bonds in the same manner and with like procedure as hereinbefore provided, and all the above provisions of this

act for the issuing and sale of such bonds, and for the expenditure of the proceeds thereof shall be deemed to apply to such issue of additional bonds.

SEC. 29. Bonds issued under the provisions of this act shall be a lien upon the property of the district, and said bonds and interest thereon shall be paid by revenue derived from an annual tax upon all taxable real property, exclusive of operative property within the district. The park board must annually, on or before the fifteenth day of August, furnish to the board of supervisors of each county, all or part of which lies within the district, a written statement of the amount necessary to pay the interest on said bonds for that year, and such portion of the principal thereof as is to become due before the time of making the next general tax levy.

In case the district lies wholly within one county, the board of supervisors of such county must annually at the time and in the manner of levying other county taxes, levy and cause to be collected a tax upon the taxable real property in such district, based upon the last equalized assessment roll of said county sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds for that year and such portion of the principal thereof as is to become due before the time for making the next general tax levy. Should the park board fail to furnish to the board of supervisors said written statement of the amount necessary, it shall nevertheless be the duty of the board of supervisors of such county, to ascertain the amount necessary to pay the interest on said bonds for that year and such portion of the principal thereof as is to become due before the time for making the next general tax levy, and to levy and cause to be collected said amount as herein provided. Said tax shall be collected at the time and in the same manner as the general tax levy for county purposes and when collected, shall be paid into the treasury of the county to the credit of said district, and shall be used for the payment of the principal and interest upon said bonds, and for no other purpose. The principal and interest on said bonds shall be paid by the treasurer of said county, in the manner now or hereafter provided by law for the payment of principal and interest on the bonds of the county.

In case the district lies in two or more counties, the said tax shall be so levied according to the ratio which the assessed value of the property in such district in any county bears to the total assessed value of the property in such district, each board of supervisors to levy upon the property in such district and within their own county, such rate of tax as will be sufficient to raise in the entire district not less than the amount needed to pay the interest and such portion of the principal of such bonds as is to become due during such year. Said tax shall be entered upon the assessment roll and collected in the same manner as are other county taxes, and when collected shall be paid into the treasury of the county, and shall be kept in a special fund. Such moneys shall thereafter, upon written demand of the treasurer of the county which has been designated by the park board as the treasurer of the district, be paid to such treasurer, and shall be used for the payment of the principal and interest upon said bonds, and for no other purpose. The principal and interest on said bonds shall be paid by said treasurer in the manner now or hereafter provided by law for the payment of principal and interest on the bonds of the county.

SEC. 30. If there be a county or regional planning commission or commissions within the territory included within the district, such commission or commissions shall have the power to make recommendations to the park board relating to any of the purposes of the district. Such a commission may be designated, or such commissions may be jointly designated by the park board as the planning commission for the district. The park board may direct such planning commission to prepare a complete plan and report covering a system of parks, playgrounds and parkways for the district, and may appropriate funds to assist in the preparation of such report and to assist in such other functions of such planning commission as are directly related to the work and purposes of the district.

SEC. 31. It is the intent of this act that any system of parks, playgrounds and parkways established by any district formed under the provisions of this act shall be of such nature as to be of general benefit to the citizens of the entire district, rather than of local interest. The determination of the park board as to what parks, playgrounds and parkways are of general interest shall be conclusive.

SEC. 32. The park board may by agreement with any city or public agency take possession of any park, parkway or playground property necessary or convenient to carry out any of the purposes of this act, or may acquire by agreement the right to use same. Whenever any such property so taken possession of or otherwise acquired was paid for from the proceeds of a bond issue, the district shall assume and pay all outstanding bonds according to their terms, and the principal sum thereof remaining unpaid shall be credited to the district and deducted from any sum to be paid to the city or governmental agency therefor. Funds may be obtained to pay the principal and interest on such bonds as in section 29 above provided for obtaining funds to pay the principal and interest on the bonds therein referred to.

Each city and governmental agency within the district is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement or agreements with the district for the use of or entire

possession of and maintenance by the district of any park, playground or parkway property owned by such city or governmental agency.

SEC. 33. This act, and every part hereof, shall be liberally construed to promote the objects hereof, and to carry out its intents and purposes

SEC. 34. In case any section or sections, or part of any section of this act, shall be found to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remainder of the act shall not be thereby invalidated, but shall remain in full force and effect.

SEC 35. This act may be designated and referred to as the "Regional Park District Act," and any reference thereto by such designation shall be deemed sufficient for all purposes.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 52, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 51, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 52, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 16, both inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 470—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of Director of said department; providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof; providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the department of petroleum and gas; creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act; and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said state mining bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the state mining bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 231—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of Horticultural Commission.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first three lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to enable any water company organized under the laws of this state to cancel certain shares of stock hereinafter described, and in lieu thereof to issue a new certificate therefor to the owner of the land to which said shares of stock are attached or appurtenant," approved June 14, 1923."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of the printed bill after the period following the figure "1" in line 1, page 1, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

"Section one of an act entitled "An act to enable any water company organized under the laws of this state to cancel certain shares of stock hereinafter described, and in lieu thereof to issue a new certificate therefor to the owner of the land to which said shares of stock are attached or appurtenant," approved June 14, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows

Section 1. Whenever the owner of real property to which water stock by the terms of the certificate thereof is atttached or appurtenant at the time of conveyance, by properly executed conveyance transfers to another said real property with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, or whenever title to said real property passes by execution sale, or by foreclosure, or probate proceedings, then the secretary of the water company which issued such stock, upon satisfactory proof of such conveyance or transfer of title, shall enter the name of such grantee upon the books of said company as the owner of said shares of stock, or the proper proportion thereof, and said secretary shall thereupon cancel on said books the number of former shares of stock so attached or appurtenant to said land though the same stand in the name of said grantor, or of any previous owner of said land, or of any other person, and said secretary, upon the exhibition to him of a deed to said land, or any part thereof, duly recorded, or the necessary court order duly recorded, shall issue to the grantee named in such conveyance or order, and upon the latter's application therefor, a new certificate of stock for the number of shares attached or appurtenant to said land as shown by the books and records of said company."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department and to assess and collect taxes from time to time for such purposes, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first five lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following "An act to amend section five of an act 'to allow unincorporated cities and towns to equip and maintain a fire department', approved March 4, 1881, as amended, relating to rate of taxation."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", insert the following. "Section five of an act entitled an act 'to allow unincorporated cities and towns to equip and maintain a fire department', approved March 4, 1881, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 5 Such notice must specify the time and place for holding the election, and the amount required for the establishment and equipment of said fire department, and the amount of money to be raised for such purpose shall not exceed in any one year one and one-half per cent of the assessable property within the fire limits as fixed by the board of supervisors, *provided*, that the amount to be raised for the maintenance of said fire department each year shall not exceed three-fourths

of one per cent of the assessable property within the fire limits as fixed by the board of fire commissioners."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 444—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period insert the following:

In counties of the fortieth class the county officers shall receive, as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, to wit

1 County clerk The county clerk, three thousand dollars per annum, and the said county clerk may appoint one deputy county clerk, which said office of deputy county clerk is hereby created The salary of such deputy county clerk is hereby fixed at one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, such salary to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers are paid, *provided*, that in each year in which a new and complete or supplemental registration of voters is required by law, the county clerk shall appoint as many deputy registration clerks as may be necessary for the convenient registration of voters in the county, which deputy registration clerks shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of ten cents per name, for each and every voter registered by them; said compensation to be paid out of the general fund of the county on presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of the county of a duly verified claim therefor approved by the county clerk *provided, further*, that the county clerk shall appoint one additional deputy to compile the great register, and for mailing sample ballots, at a compensation not to exceed the sum of four hundred dollars for each such registration

2 Sheriff The sheriff four thousand dollars per annum, and his actual traveling expenses in the pursuit of arrest of criminals either in or out of his county; *and, provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby created the office of undersheriff, to be appointed by the sheriff, who shall be paid a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, which salary of said undersheriff herein provided for shall be paid out of the same fund and in the same manner and at the same times as the salaries of other county officers are paid Said undersheriff shall receive his actual traveling expenses in the pursuit or arrest of criminals either in or out of his county.

3. Recorder. The recorder, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and the said recorder may appoint one deputy recorder, which said office of deputy recorder is hereby created. The salary of such deputy recorder is hereby fixed at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, such salary is to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers is paid.

4 Auditor. The auditor, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

5 Treasurer. The treasurer, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and the said treasurer may appoint one deputy treasurer, which said office of deputy treasurer is hereby created The salary of such deputy treasurer is hereby fixed at one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, such salary to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers is paid.

6 Tax collector The tax collector, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which shall be in full for all services as tax collector and as license collector

7. Assessor The assessor, three thousand dollars per annum. The said assessor may appoint one office deputy assessor, which said office of deputy office assessor is hereby created, who shall serve as such only during five months of each calendar year. Said office deputy assessor shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, payable during the period of said services, at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers are paid The said assessor may also appoint one additional deputy assessor, who shall be designated as a "field deputy assessor", which said office of "field deputy assessor" is hereby created, who shall serve as such only during five months of each calendar year. Said "field deputy assessor" shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month payable during the period of such service, at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers is paid.

8 District attorney. The district attorney, three thousand dollars per annum. Said district attorney may appoint one clerk to the district attorney, which said office of clerk is hereby created. Said clerk to the district attorney shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, payable at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers is paid.

9. Coroner. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. Public administrator. The public administrator such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. Superintendent of Schools. The superintendent of schools, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county. The foregoing salary of the superintendent of schools shall be in full for all services rendered, including the services rendered by such superintendent of schools as a member of the county board of education. Said superintendent of schools may appoint one deputy superintendent of schools, which said office of deputy superintendent of schools is hereby created, who shall serve as such only during ten months of each calendar year. The salary of such deputy superintendent of schools is hereby fixed at seven hundred fifty dollars per annum, such salary to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of county officers are paid.

12. Surveyor. The surveyor, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and in addition thereto he shall receive his actual traveling and other necessary expenses incurred while engaged in work for the county.

13. Justices of the peace and constables. In Marysville township, the justice of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, and the constable of Marysville township shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred dollars per month.

The above salary shall be in full compensation of said justice of the peace and said constable in criminal cases, *provided*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed, said constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county, his actual traveling expenses when engaged in the service of a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case.

14. Supervisors. Each member of the board of supervisors, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and mileage when acting as road commissioner, twenty-five cents per mile one way; *provided*, the amount of mileage shall not exceed the sum of three hundred dollars in any one year.

15. Jurors. In counties of this class grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior court shall each receive for each day's attendance the sum of three dollars, and mileage to be computed at the rate of fifteen cents per mile for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from their residences to the county seat, in going only. Such fees and mileage shall be paid by the treasurer of the county out of the general fund of said county upon warrants drawn by the county auditor upon the written order of the judge of the superior court in said county.

Sec. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof, and not as new enactments, and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 6 and insert in lieu thereof the following "and fees.

1. The county clerk, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and registration fees; all other fees of the clerk's office to be paid into the county treasury; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be a chief deputy clerk who shall be paid a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum in equal monthly installments; said chief deputy in addition to his other duties, to prepare all deeds for the county without extra cost to the county.

One deputy clerk for each department of the superior court in this class of counties who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per

annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments, also one deputy clerk who shall be paid one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments; and also a stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, the salaries of said deputy clerks to be paid at the same time, and in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk, the clerk also to receive ten cents a name for each person registered in his office, which shall be allowed by the board of supervisors of the county. He shall also be allowed not to exceed ten deputies for the purpose of registering electors, who shall be paid by the county not to exceed ten cents for each elector registered, except that any of such deputies as are required to work in the office shall receive not to exceed four dollars per day for the time so employed. All deputies for the purpose of registering electors in excess of those above referred to shall be paid by the county clerk, the sum of ten cents for each elector registered by such deputies.

The changes provided for in this section shall not be effective until the beginning of the next term of office of the county clerk.

2. The sheriff, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum and mileage for the service of papers or process coming from courts other than those of his own county: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be one chief deputy sheriff at two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments; and five deputy sheriffs at one thousand eight hundred eighty dollars per annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments. The sheriff may also, with the consent of the superior judge, when necessary for the care of the jury, appoint a woman as deputy sheriff who shall be paid a per diem of four dollars when actually engaged in the performance of her duties. The sheriff may also employ a matron for the county jail, who shall be paid a per diem of four dollars for each day a female is imprisoned in the county jail. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in the compensation of the principal and it is intended that the same apply to the present incumbents

3 The recorder, three thousand dollars per annum; and said recorder shall collect and pay into the county treasury for the use and benefit of the county the fees required by law to be collected; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be one chief deputy recorder who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one indexing deputy recorder who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and three deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and such copyists as are necessary to perform the duties of the office, at a compensation of five cents per folio, the salaries of said recorder, deputies and copyists to be paid in equal monthly installments by the county.

4. The auditor, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be one deputy auditor who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy auditor who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum. And one deputy auditor who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum. The auditor shall also be allowed and may employ such additional clerical and office help as may be absolutely necessary for the performance of his official duties, at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day, and not exceeding a total sum of one thousand dollars per annum, such salary to be paid at the times and in the manner and from the same fund as the salary of the auditor is paid.

5. The treasurer, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum and the fees and commissions now or hereafter allowed by law.

6. The tax collector, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and the fees and commissions now or hereafter allowed by law; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be one deputy tax collector who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments at the same time and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid; *also, provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be one deputy tax collector for not exceeding seven months in each year at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and also one deputy tax collector for not exceeding five months in each year, at one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and also one deputy tax collector for not exceeding two months in each year at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, said salaries to be paid at the times and in the manner and out of the same fund as the tax collector's salary is paid The tax collector shall also be allowed and may employ such additional clerical and office help as may be absolutely necessary for the performance of his official duties, at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day, and not exceeding a total sum of five hundred dollars per annum, such salary to be paid at the times and in the manner and from the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in the compensation of the tax collector and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents.

7 The assessor, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, and the fees and commissions now or hereafter allowed by law, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be allowed three deputies who shall be appointed by the assessor, one to receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum to be paid in equal monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the assessor is paid. It shall be the duty of said deputies, among other things, to make and correct all plats, maps and block-books for the assessor's office, *provided, also*, that for each statement upon the assessment roll in excess of twenty thousand, the assessor shall receive the sum of fifty cents. *Provided*, that the assessor shall not be allowed or paid for more than one statement per tax payer in any one school district. *Provided further*, that in counties of this class the assessor shall also be allowed and may employ such additional clerical and office help as may be absolutely necessary for the performance of his official duty at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each, and not exceeding a total sum of three thousand dollars per annum, such salaries to be paid at the times and in the manner and out of the same fund as the assessor's salary is paid. The changes herein provided for shall not become effective until January 1, 1926. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in compensation of the assessor, and it is intended that after January 1, 1924, the same shall apply to the present incumbents.

8 The district attorney, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be one deputy district attorney at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy district attorney at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum to be paid in equal monthly installments by the county. In addition, the district attorney shall be allowed one stenographer who shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, to be paid in equal monthly installments by the county.

9 The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, three thousand dollars per annum. He shall also be allowed his actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of the county, which expenses shall not exceed the sum of one thousand dollars in any one year. He shall receive five dollars per day for his services while serving as secretary of the board of education. The superintendent of schools shall be allowed one deputy, to be appointed by the principal, who shall receive as salary two thousand dollars per annum; also, one deputy, who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, one deputy for not exceeding three months in each year, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month; said salaries of deputies to be paid in equal monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid.

12. The surveyor shall receive three thousand dollars per annum, and in addition thereto, all actual traveling and other necessary expenses incurred in connection with field work. He shall have one deputy county surveyor at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one draftsman at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, said deputy and draftsman to be appointed by the principal and paid at the same time and in the same manner as the county surveyor. It shall be the duty of the surveyor, among other things, to make all necessary county and road maps, and all necessary plans and specifications for bridge work and county buildings; also, to prepare all maps or plats necessary to accompany reports made by him on road work, and prepare and keep all the necessary and proper records in his office; *provided*, he shall receive nothing for preparing any map or plat necessary to accompany reports made by him on road work, nor for preparing and keeping the proper records in his office. He shall at all times be subject to the orders of the board of supervisors. The office of the county surveyor shall be kept open for the accommodation of the public, with the surveyor, a deputy, or a competent clerk in charge from nine o'clock a.m. until five o'clock p.m. the same as other county offices. The county surveyor shall be allowed the services of a competent clerk, to be appointed by the principal, and receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, to be paid out of the same fund, at the same time and in the same manner as other county officers are paid. Such compensation and salaries as above set forth shall be in full for all services as such county surveyor, and all fees and compensation received or collected by him for services other than for the county, shall be paid into the county treasury. In counties of this class, the surveyor shall be allowed and may employ such additional assistance as may be absolutely necessary for the performance of his official duties, except with regard to roads, at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each and their actual and necessary expenses incurred in connection with field work, said salary not to exceed a total sum of one thousand dollars, and to be paid at the times and in the manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the surveyor is paid. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in

compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents

13 For the purpose of regulating the compensation of justices of the peace and constables, townships of this class of counties are hereby classified according to their population, as shown by the total number of registered voters, in each township, at the next preceding general election, prior to the fixing of the classification, the said population to be determined by multiplying the said total number of registered voters by three and one-half townships having a population of fifteen thousand and more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class, townships having a population of eight thousand and less than fifteen thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class, townships having a population of three thousand and less than eight thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class, townships having population of one thousand and less than three thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class; townships having a population of less than one thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the fifth class; *provided*, that the board of supervisors of the county may, prior to any general election, consolidate two or more of such townships into one

13*a* Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as county officers are paid, which shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by them, to wit: In townships of the first class, one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, *provided*, in townships of this class the justice of the peace shall be allowed a clerk, which position is hereby created Such clerk shall be appointed by the justice of the peace of said township and shall hold office during the pleasure of said justice of the peace He shall have authority to receive and file all pleadings and other papers to be filed; sign and issue summons and process, including writs of attachment and execution, enter satisfaction of judgments; issue transcripts and abstracts thereof and shall have authority to administer and certify oaths and take and certify affidavits in any action, suit or proceedings in said justice's court.

The clerk shall be in attendance on the court in the court room of said justice's court for the dispatch of official business, daily, legal holidays excepted, from the hour of nine o'clock a.m. until five o'clock p m of each day

Such clerk shall receive a salary of one hundred dollars per month, payable monthly in the same manner as salaries of county officers are paid

In townships of the second class, one hundred dollars per month; in townships of the third class, seventy-five dollars per month, in townships of the fourth class, thirty dollars per month, in townships of the fifth class, twenty dollars per month. Each justice must pay into the county treasury once a month all fees and fines collected by him. Justices of the peace of the first class are required to keep their offices open from nine o'clock a m until five o'clock p.m. In townships of the first, second and third classes the board of supervisors shall furnish adequate office room, in all other townships all justices shall be allowed not to exceed five dollars per month for office rent These salaries shall also apply to incumbents.

14 Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as the county officers are paid, which shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit In townships of the first class, one hundred twenty-five dollars; in townships of the second class, one hundred dollars, in townships of the third class, eighty dollars, in townships of the fourth class, sixty dollars, in townships of the fifth class, forty dollars In addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed, each constable may receive and retain for his own use, such fees as are now allowed or may hereafter be allowed by law, for all services rendered by him in civil actions, and shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred in arresting and conveying prisoners to court or to prison, which expenses shall be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors, and paid out of the county treasury *provided, further*, that when a constable is required to go out of his own county to serve a warrant of arrest or any other papers in a criminal case, he shall be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred in arresting and conveying prisoners to court or to prison, which expenses shall be audited by the board of supervisors. These salaries shall also apply to incumbents

15. Supervisors shall receive the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, each, and mileage at the rate of ten cents per mile for each mile traveled in coming to and from the meetings of the board, *provided*, that only one mileage at any one session of the board shall be allowed. They shall act as road commissioners in their respective districts. It is hereby found as a fact that the change in compensation hereby made does not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents.

15½. The librarian shall receive two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that when the county librarian also acts as city librarian that he may receive additional compensation from said city for which he acts as city librarian. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this section do not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbents.

16. Witnesses in criminal cases and in cases of dependent and delinquent persons shall receive two dollars per day, and ten cents per mile for each mile actually traveled, one way only. The court shall make an order directing the auditor to draw his warrant on the county treasurer for the amount due, and the treasurer shall pay the same. The court may disallow any fee to a witness unnecessarily subpoenaed

17. Jurors in a county of this class, both grand and petty jurors in the superior court, shall each receive for each day's attendance, per day, the sum of three dollars, and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from their residence to the county seat in going and returning the sum of ten cents per mile, such mileage to be allowed but once during each session such jurors are required to attend. The court shall make an order directing the auditor to draw his warrant on the county treasurer for the amount due, and the treasurer shall pay the same.

18. The traffic officer shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per year, said officer to provide and maintain his equipment and all costs of operating thereof.

The traffic officer shall be allowed not to exceed four deputies. Each of such deputies shall receive a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars a month, and shall provide and maintain his equipment and all costs of operating the same.

Such traffic officer and his deputies shall be appointed by the board of supervisors, and shall hold office for the period provided by law; *provided, however,* that the board of supervisors shall have authority at any time to remove such officer, or any of said deputies.

This act shall go into effect immediately, and apply to all present incumbents, except as herein expressly provided and excepted."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 707—An act to amend section 19*x*17 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 214—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895, as amended, relating to compensation of certain officers.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend sections 3756 and 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 1125—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to trials of employees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 18 and 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "'split-top' loaves or words of like import"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "split-top."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the words "split-top".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts, established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work," approved March 21, 1907, as amended, so as to include therein provisions for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and other public property within incorporated cities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and also upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such

municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title by striking out lines 12 to 21, inclusive, of said title and inserting in lieu thereof the following "therein provisions for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property in unincorporated territory and also within incorporated cities whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of ways and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, for the incidental establishment, change or separation of grades thereof, and for the inclusion of the territory of any incorporated city or cities within the assessment district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 4 to 21, inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places easements, rights of way and other public property inside of incorporated cities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundary of such municipality, for the incidental establishment, change or separation of grades thereof, and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon, for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of such work for the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for the purpose, for the inclusion of the territory of any incorporated city or cities within such assessment district, and for county aid in such work"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

Strike out lines 30 to 52, inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, and also lines 1 to 3, inclusive, page 3 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights-of-way and other public property not within the territory of any incorporated city or town, and to construct or reconstruct, improve or reimprove in any of the manners hereinbefore specified or otherwise, in the whole or in part, either in length or width, one or more or all of the streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, courts, places, easements, rights-of-way and other public property inside of any incorporated city or cities, whenever in the judgment of said board such work within an incorporated city or cities is necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and to construct or reconstruct, improve or reimprove in any of the manners hereinbefore specified, or otherwise, in whole or any part either in length or in width and one or more or all of the streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, courts, places, easements, rights-of-way and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality, whenever in the judgment of said board said work is necessary or proper; *provided*, that the consent of the legislative body of any such incorporated city or cities shall be first obtained for the use for such purpose of the streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, courts, places, easements, rights-of-way and other public property lying within the boundary of such city or cities The power is hereby vested to improve roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property either outside of or inside of incorporated cities or towns so far as they are by dedication or otherwise public and open to public use, and to do so for any length or width"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

After the word "establish" in line 28, page 3, of the printed bill, insert the words "and change"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

After the semicolon following the word "districts" in line 29, page 3, of the printed bill, insert the following "and to separate the grade of any road, street,

avenue, boulevard or alley from the grade of any other road, street, avenue, boulevard or alley, or from the grade of any railroad or electric railway,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In line 36, page 3, of the printed bill, after the word "except" insert the words "grade separation,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 362—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to fires.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 149—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (ribes nigrum), a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 64—An act to amend section 1950 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody, and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 763—An act to amend section 4290 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county officers.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 488—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*h*, relating to fires on highways.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 3366 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of boards of supervisors, city councils and

town trustees, in their respective counties, cities and towns to impose a license tax.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 19*h* of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the eighth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No 628—An act to amend section 643 of the Civil Code, relative to building and loan associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 626—An act to amend an act known as "The Building and Loan Commission Act" approved April 5, 1911, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 15*b*, which section relates to the furnishing of bonds by certain officers and employees of building and loan associations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 12, 1925, strike out the comma following the word "society".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 625—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1454*a*, relating to obtaining money by heirs

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title by striking out all of the title and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered one thousand four hundred fifty-four *a*, and to amend section one thousand four hundred fifty-five of said Code, relating to the collection of money by heirs."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 19, 1925, on line 15, strike out all of the remainder of said line following the comma and all of lines 16, 17, 18 and the word "dollars" on line 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "collect any and all moneys which such decedent, if living, would have been entitled to collect from any building and loan association in this state, including any moneys of such decedent invested in, or represented by, shares of stock, membership shares, investment certificates, promissory notes or other evidences of indebtedness, standing

in his name, on the books or records of such association, at the time of his death, *provided*, that all of such moneys do not, in the aggregate, exceed the sum of one thousand dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 20, strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "that".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 20, after the word "investor" insert the following: "in, or creditor of, such association".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 9, strike out all of the remainder of the bill following the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the following "entire amount of investments of said decedent in shares of stock, membership shares, investment certificates, promissory notes and other evidences of indebtedness, standing in his name on the books or records of any and all building and loan associations in this state, at the time of his death, including all moneys owing to said decedent, at the time of his death, from any such association in this state, does not exceed in the aggregate the sum of one thousand dollars, may pay to said affiant or affiants any and all such moneys, if the total amount thereof does not exceed the sum of one thousand dollars and the receipt of such affiant or affiants shall constitute sufficient acquittance therefor and shall fully discharge such association from any further liability with reference thereto."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

At the end of the bill add section 2, reading as follows

SEC. 2 Section one thousand four hundred fifty-five of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby amended to read as follows

1455. The surviving husband or wife, or the guardian of the estate of any insane or incompetent husband or wife, of any deceased person who had been the recipient of an annuity from the public school teachers' retirement salary fund, or if no husband or wife is living, then the children or the guardian of the estates of any minor or insane or incompetent children of said deceased, or, if no children are living, then the father or mother or the guardian of the estate of any insane or incompetent father or mother of such decedent, and if neither the father nor mother is living, then the brothers and sisters or the guardian of the estates of any minor or insane or incompetent brothers and sisters of such decedent and if neither the brothers nor sisters are living then the nephews and nieces or the guardian of the estates of any minor or insane or incompetent nephews and nieces, may, without procuring letters of administration collect from the public school teachers' retirement salary fund, in the state treasury, any balance of retirement salary accrued to the credit of said deceased annuitant remaining unpaid at the time of death The public school teachers' retirement salary fund board, upon receiving an affidavit stating that said annuitant is dead, and that affiant is the surviving husband or wife or the guardian of the estate of an insane or incompetent husband or wife, as the case may be, of said decedent or stating that decedent left no husband or wife, and that affiant is the child, or that affiants are the children, or the guardians of the estates of the minor, insane or incompetent children, as the case may be of said decedent, or stating that decedent left neither husband, wife nor children, and that affiant is the father or mother, or the guardian of the estate of the insane or incompetent father or mother, as the case may be, of said decedent, or stating that the decedent left neither husband, wife, children, father nor mother, and that the affiants are the brothers and sisters, or the guardians of the estates of the minor, insane or incompetent brothers and sisters, as the case may be, or stating that the decedent left neither husband, wife, children, father mother, brother nor sister, and that affiants are the nephews and nieces, or the guardians of the estates of the minor, insane or incompetent nephews and nieces as the case may be, of said decedent, shall, at the next quarterly meeting of said board, when claims for retirement salaries are certified, include and certify a claim in favor of said affiant or affiants for the balance due said decedent, and the controller shall draw his warrant in favor of the affiant or affiants in the same manner as warrants are drawn for the payment of retirement salaries, and the indorsement of such affiant or affiants upon such warrant is sufficient acquittance therefor

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading

Senate Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 641 of the Civil Code, relating to guarantee stock surplus of building and loan associations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "their" and insert in lieu thereof the word "its".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No 622—An act to amend section 14 of "The Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 621—An act to amend section 15*a* of the Building and Loan Commission Act, approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 620—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 17 of the "Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to the salaries and expenses of the Building and Loan Commission and the building and loan inspection fund.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 619—An act to amend the Building and Loan Commission Act by adding thereto two new sections, relating to building and loan associations

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 533—An act to enable the Electro Metals Company, a trust organization, or its trustees or officers to sue the State of California

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 55—An act to amend section 2969 of the Civil Code, relating to levy of writs of attachments and executions.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No 209—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 9 of the printed bill, strike out the first comma after the word "appeal" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 9 of the printed bill, strike out every word included within the brackets down to and including the semicolon in line 11.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 623—An act to amend sections 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "state" and add the following "or in bonds legal for investment by savings banks in this state"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No 629—An act to amend sections 647 and 647*a* of the Civil Code of the State of California, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 647*b*, all relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 630—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund; selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 12, 1925, strike out the words "either or both" and insert in lieu thereof the words "any or all".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Wright, S. V., moved that Assembly Bill No. 653 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 653 re-referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Crittenden moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 48, of the printed bill, as amended March 20, 1925, strike out the period following the word "thereon" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon (;), and add the following "*provided, however*, that whenever any state highway or highway system, as contemplated by the state highway act of 1915 or as otherwise provided by law, and the natural course of such highway or highway system runs or passes into or through any municipality, which has a population of not more than two thousand five hundred which population shall be determined by multiplying the total number of registered electors at the time of the last gubernatorial election of such municipality by three and one-half; *and provided, further*, that the vote of the trustees or the city council or other governing body of such municipalities shall release, dedicate or turn over to the State of California, by resolution, such street as a state highway, it shall be the duty of the highway commission to include said street as a part of such state highway and it shall be the duty of said highway commission and department of engineering to construct, pave and repair such portion of said state highway so dedicated to the state, located in such municipality, to same width and of same material or equivalent thereto as the highway approaching such municipality is constructed of, and the expense therefor to be a charge against the State of California and be paid by the department of engineering out of any funds available to said department for the paying of new highway construction or maintenance"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Crittenden as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 589, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

CRITTENDEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 327—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the Board of Education.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 327 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Cioter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Rimdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce brokers engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein; to define the powers and duties of the state directors of agriculture with reference thereto; to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to

declare certain acts to be offenses and fix the penalties therefor; to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 225 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 306—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1893, providing for the creation of revolving funds in school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 306 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Bernard, Deuel, Fry, Murphy, and Reindollar—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmited to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relative to incorporated cities and school districts

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 736 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State for and furnishing textbooks for the use of

pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 463 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Dodge, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge and Wright, S. V.—55

NOES—Broughton, Coombs, Dorris, Hornblower, Jones, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—11

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Spence gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 463 was this day passed.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Coombs waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1219 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1219 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Eksward, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1120 was made a special order for two o'clock p.m.

Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 860 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Denel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 275—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, counties and incorporated towns, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population may be regulated by ordinance; prescribing penalties, and providing for the appointment of a board of adjustment, and defining the powers and

duties thereof, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance," approved May 31, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 275 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Brock moved that Assembly Bill No. 729 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 729 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 1052—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1052 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 131 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 106—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway; providing for the acquiring of rights of way and construction of a causeway with approaches on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Assembly Bill No. 106 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 106 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 858 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Lyons moved that Assembly Bill No. 788 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 788 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to amend section 1873 of the Political Code, relating to the administration of oaths by educational officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 394 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 960—An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a division of cannery inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health, and to provide an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 960 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Denei, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—58

NOES—Jones, and Mueller—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following resolution was read and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Foster:

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a resolution of the Assembly a committee was appointed to make an investigation of the courses of study and expenditures of the State Teachers Colleges, and

WHEREAS, The committee in making such investigation has incurred certain necessary expenses, therefore be it

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent fund of the Assembly in favor of the Chief Clerk of the Assembly for $387.05 to pay the expenses of the said committee in making the above mentioned investigation.

The Speaker referred the above resolution to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Crittenden:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Hartranft:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for domestic, manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain, and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following constitutional amendment was introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Mr. Spence: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—Proposed amendment to article V of the constitution, relative to the compensation of State officers.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m, the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission;

providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass

SMITH, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to add a new section to be numbered 52*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by public utilities,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 426—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

SMITH, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON FISH AND GAME

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 677—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game,

Also Assembly Bill No. 573—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also Assembly Bill No. 816—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

CLEVELAND, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend sections 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts eighteen and nineteen—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 61—an act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance

of contracts of insurance by assessment associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 633c of the Political Code, relating to insurance—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 992—An act appropriating money for the support of the State Board of Health for the study of foci of plague infection among rodents during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 962—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products and fixing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof," approved June 3, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to boundaries of municipalities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An

act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, as amended, relating to powers of the districts.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 670—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Seal Beach, subject to certain trusts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 200—An act to amend section 2196 of the Political Code, relating to the care and treatment of mental defectives in private sanitariums;

Also: Senate Bill No. 393—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to poisons;

Also: Senate Bill No. 718—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of, and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 719—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, and other sanitary purposes, the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity, and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved March 31, 1891, as amended, relating to sanitary districts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 720—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Bureau of Tuberculosis under the direction of the State Board of Health; defining its powers and duties; providing for the granting of State aid to cities, counties, cities and counties and groups of counties for the support and care of persons affected with tuberculosis; making an appropriation therefor, and repealing certain acts of the legislature of the State of California," approved June 12, 1915, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the package and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921—has had the same

under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 471—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 549—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, by providing for penalties for violations of the said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 540—An act to amend section 626p of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of beaver;

Also Senate Bill No. 271—An act to amend section 628b of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 548—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act,' approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the license fees to be paid by licensed employment agencies and surety bonds required of them—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to amend sections 6, and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913 as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Roland:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1253—An act to amend section 19*c*12 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended, relative to the salary of probation officer in counties of the twelfth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1253 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Loutzit, McDowell McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and MR. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1084—An act to create and define the powers and duties of a State Commission to represent the State in arranging and carrying out a program for the celebration of the bicentennial of the birth of George Washington.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1084 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 454 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED TWENTY.

Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to teachers, principals and supervisors

Bill read third time.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Coombs the further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1120 was made a special order for Thursday, March 26, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to arson.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 368 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bâdham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Anderson, R. J, and Broughton—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1214—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to the holding of State fairs.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

MOTION FOR CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Murray moved a call of the House.

Motion lost.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1214 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Croter, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Mueller, Murray, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—31

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hornblower, Jones, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Woodbridge—41.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Jones gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1214 was this day refused passage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 read.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the copy as amended March 20, 1925, after the word "law", insert the words "except when bonded indebtedness would be incurred."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 24, of the copy as amended March 20, 1925, after the comma, following the word "further", cross out the words "no native of China", and insert in lieu thereof the words "no alien ineligible to citizenship".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 19, of the copy as amended March 20, 1925, after the word "disability", cross out the rest of the line and all that part of line 20, down to and including the word "and".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Williamson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 11—An act to amend sections 7 and 8*g* of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 5*a*, relating to poisons.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 11 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Loutit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 162—An act to regulate the working hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the

violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 162 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—63.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 54—An act to amend section 862 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the power of boards of trustees in cities of the sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 54 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 473 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Walters: An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia Exposition, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

By Mr. Jones: An act to appropriate $5,000,000 for the improvement of certain State highways and certain extensions thereof which are hereby declared to be State highways.

By Mr. Roland (by request): An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

By Mr. Crittenden: An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

By Mr. Hartranft: An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for domestic, manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain, and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully concurs in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 765—An act to open and dedicate as a public street a certain strip of submerged land one hundred fifty feet wide known as First avenue south and as Arthur avenue, extending from Third street, formerly Kentucky street, to Newhall street, in the city and

county of San Francisco, and to grant said strip of land for that purpose to the city and county of San Francisco, and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 785—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the dissolution of irrigation districts, the ascertainment and discharge of their indebtedness and the distribution of their property," approved February 10, 1923, as amended, relating to procedure and voting upon the question of dissolution;

Also: Senate Bill No. 240—An act to amend sections 1665 and 1666 of the Political Code, relating to courses of study in the elementary schools.

Also: Senate Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law, approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to support of wards of the juvenile court;

Also: Senate Bill No. 270—An act to provide for the sale of the sovereign lands of the State of California, lying within the United States meander lines of Clear Lake, Lake County, that are susceptible of reclamation;

Also: Senate Bill No. 794—An act to amend section 403 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations;

Also: Senate Bill No. 714—An act relating to and providing for the formation, organization and management of corporations for the purpose of receiving and maintaining a fund or funds and applying the income and principal thereof to promote the well-being of mankind;

Also: Senate Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code relative to the nomination of candidates otherwise than by primary election.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 785 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 240 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 224 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 270 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 794 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 714 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 425 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 392—An act to provide for the establishment, organization and government of municipal port districts; for the acquisition and construction by municipal port districts of harbor works and improvements, and railroad and

water transfer and terminal facilities; for the development, operation, maintenance, control, regulation and management of harbors and other waters and for the promotion of commerce, navigation and fishery by such municipal port districts; for the incurring by such districts of bonded indebtedness for the acquisition, construction or completion of such works and improvements and for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on bonds and for carrying on the operations of such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening and straightening, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, *boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, commons, and all public ways and* other property and rights of way of the public, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 588*d*, relating to the preservation against defacement of the public highways of the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 323—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 4 and 5, and adding three new sections to be numbered 3, 3*a*, and 6*c* to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highways by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, providing for the issue by incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties and counties of permits for the operation of such automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; empowering incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties, and counties to enact ordinances for the supervision and regulation of automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages, and auto stages, and providing penalties for the violation of such ordinances; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, and for the punishment of violation thereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provision of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the transportation of persons or property on the public highway by motor vehicle—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

SMITH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering, providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for professional engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board, providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to amend section 1519a of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor, regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison, authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as Johnson grass," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, and repealing that certain act entitled, "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific ocean, unless such dwellings or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 214—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895, as amended, relating to compensation of certain officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 1281 of the Civil Code, relating to wills, the validity of which by its own terms, is made conditional;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to add a new section to article III of chapter II of title III of part I of division IV of the Civil Code, to be known

as section 3397, and relating to specific performance of marketing agreements of cooperative marketing associations.

Also Assembly Bill No 658—An act authorizing justices of the Supreme Court and of the district courts of appeal and judges of the superior court, of the State of California, to temporarily retire from regular service after reaching the age of sixty-five years and after service of at least twenty years in one or more of said courts and providing for service and compensation therefor of such justices or judges and for designating and assigning justices and judges pro tempore to act in place of such retiring justices or judges, and providing for their duties, expenses and compensation;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to amend section 19*x*17 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also Assembly Bill No 725—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 15, 15*a*, 21*a*, 62, 65, 80, 83, 96, 101, 123, 130, 132, and 138, and by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 16, 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, 16*e* and 104, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to amend section 311 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may call stockholders meetings of corporations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to bail after indictment, so as to provide for the justification and approval of the same by a judge of the municipal court;

Also Assembly Bill No 1028—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1461*a*, relating to proceedings in justice's and police courts, so as to make the procedure in said courts apply to municipal courts,

Also Assembly Bill No 1030—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may solemnize marriages,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to change of place of trial of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1032—An act to amend section 161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to employment of judicial officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 147 of the Code of Civil Procedure, prescribing what courts shall have seals,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1035—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1617, relating to county jails to provide for the imprisonment of convicts in the municipal court in city jails;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to amend sections 1466, 1467, 1468 and 1469 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section 1468*a*, relating to appeals from municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend sections 33 and 34 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to courts and courts of record;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1039—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 149*a*, relating to seals of municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1040—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered section 1281*a*, providing that judges of the municipal courts may admit to and justify bail

Also Assembly Bill No 1041—An act to amend section 808 of the Penal Code, prescribing who are magistrates;

Also Assembly Bill No 1125—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to trials of employees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to provide for the organization and government of municipal corporations consisting of two or more municipalities, or of two or more municipalities and unincorporated territory;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Mr. Hartranft: Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for domestic, manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain, and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia Exposition, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year of 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Jones: Assembly Bill No. 1267—An act to appropriate $5,000,000 for the improvement of certain State highways and certain extensions thereof which are hereby declared to be State highways.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Roland (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1268—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 1269—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Runner:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., March 26, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, March 26, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Brock, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Miss Miller, Mr. Morrison was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Lyons, Mr. Dodge was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, F. G. Stevenot a former member of the Legislature was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Oliva and Miller, J. A., Messrs. E. Fritz, F. Taylor and Richard Savory of San Francisco, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. D. Fricate of Angels Camp was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Judge Smith of San Andreas, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Chas. Culbert of Jackson, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. McDonough, Mrs. James Anderson of Oakland, mother of the late Assemblyman Frank Anderson, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. McDonough, Mrs. Van Sander of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mrs. D. Fricat and Miss Rae Rooney of Angels Camp, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mrs. Judge Smith of San Andreas, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. L. E. Richards and Mrs. Frank Fine, teachers of the Tracy High School and the following pupils were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Vanodine Williams, Louverne Richards, Eleanor Moore, Margie Moore, Mary Tyson, Esther Songar, Lila Hewiston, Lelo Kaekhe, Midora Nakats, Caroline Kadner, Virginia Burbridge, Fred Molzahn, Alwin Freudendahl, Byron Fairbanks, Eudora Crittendon, Tom Eagan, Herbert Kelly, Leslie Mathies, Violet Schlunger, Chester Smith and May Brondeman.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mrs. L. E. Richards, Mrs. P. J Kelly, Mrs. George Wood, Mrs. H. N. Wilkinson and Mrs F. W. Locano of Tracy, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to the policy and practice of renting or leasing the exclusive right to hunt wild game or game birds on State lands, by-passes, drainage, levee, or protection districts or other properties of this State to persons, clubs or corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No 219—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¾ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts

and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 2¼, 3, 5, 7, 15, 17, 21¾, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38 and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, and to add nine new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, 22*a*, and 28½—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WRIGHT, S. V., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 290—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Niles and Santa Rita by way of Sunol and Pleasanton in the county of Alameda, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that the same be re-referred to the Committee on Roads and Highways.

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 807—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1180—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 808—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. K.

landram against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 189—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expense—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend sections 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts incon-

sistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts eighteen and nineteen.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 633c of the Political Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1255—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, as amended, relating to powers of the districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 2196 of the Political Code, relating to the care and treatment of mental defectives in private sanitariums.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 393—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to poisons.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 718—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of, and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 719—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of sanitary districts in any part of the state, for the construction of sewers, and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity, and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved March 31, 1891, as amended, relating to sanitary districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 720—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Bureau of Tuberculosis under the direction of the State Board of Health; defining its powers and duties; providing for the granting of State aid to cities, counties, cities and counties and groups of counties for the support and care of persons affected with tuberculosis; making

an appropriation therefor, and repealing certain acts of the Legislature of the State of California," approved June 12, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 549—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, by providing for penalties for violations of the said act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 540—An act to amend section 626*p* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of beaver.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 271—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 548—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the license fees to be paid by licensed employment agencies and surety bonds required of them.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the package and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables, and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 13, of the engrossed bill, beginning with the word "six" strike out all words to and including all of line 17, and substitute in lieu thereof the fol-

lowing "five dozen heads in a standard lettuce crate, there shall be the same numerical count of regularly arranged heads in each layer, and no heads shall be placed outside of the regular arrangement of three uniform flat layers. In the case of any fruits or vegetables, packed in sloping side containers, no layer below the top layer shall contain a greater numerical count than the top layer."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 5, between lines 8 and 9, of the engrossed bill, insert the following:

"12 basket cherry crate---------- 2⅞ 13½ 19½

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 24, of the engrossed bill, strike out the numeral "7¼", and insert in lieu thereof the words "not less than 7½ nor more than 7¼".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5 of the engrossed bill, strike out all of line 34 down to and including all of line 37, and in lieu thereof substitute the following:

"(14) Standard lettuce crates, depth, inside in inches, thirteen; width, inside in inches, eighteen; length, inside in inches, not less than twenty-one and three-fourths; length outside in inches not more than twenty-four and one-half."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 8, line 52, of the engrossed bill, strike out the words "four and a half dozen, five dozen or " and substitute in lieu thereof the following: "or five dozen."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 9, line 1, of the engrossed bill, strike out the words "six dozen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 9 of the engrossed bill, strike out all of lines 51 and 52.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 10 of the engrossed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 12, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 10, line 47, of the engrossed bill, after the word "products" insert the following: "which meet the requirements of this act,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No 471—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 20, of the amended printed bill, insert before the word "lodge" the following "radio broadcasting studio," and insert after the word lodge the following: ", community".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 21, insert before the word "without" the following: "or performance arranged for the entertainment of children where no admission fee is charged,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 30, of the amended printed bill, insert before the word "but" the following: "or any minor over the age of eight years from appearing in any performance, concert or entertainment during the public school vacation, with the written consent of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 30, of the amended printed bill, insert after the word "given" the words "at any time".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to add a new section to be numbered 52*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by public utilities.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "fifty-two" insert the words "and one-half" in lieu of the letter "a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the figure "52" insert the figure "½" in lieu of the letter "a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "corporation" insert the following: "when such securities are payable at periods of more than twelve months after the date thereof,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 426—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations

thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend" insert the words "section nine of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "Section 1", insert the following: "Section nine of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the railroad commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9. Neither this act nor any provision thereof shall apply or be construed to apply to commerce with foreign nations or commerce among the several states of this union, except in so far as the same may be permitted under the provisions of the constitution of the United States and the acts of congress; *provided, however*, that with reference to transportation companies operating solely in interstate commerce between any point or points within this state and any point or points in any other state or in any foreign nation, the railroad commission shall have the power to prescribe such reasonable, uniform and nondiscriminatory rules and regulations in the interest and aid of public health, security, safety, convenience and general welfare as shall in its opinion be required by public convenience and necessity."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 10 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "in fish and game districts one, one and one-half, two and two and one-half until the first day of".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 677—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, following the word "waters" strike out the rest of the line and all of lines 8 to 17, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of the Santa Barbara channel or on, near or about any lands adjacent thereto or in district 19, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof is

punishable by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; *provided*, that the state fish commission may grant permission to any person whom it deems fit, to kill, trap, net, or capture alive, seals or sea-lions for scientific or exhibition purposes, the number allowed to be killed or captured to be specified in said permit."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 573—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 3 and 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"628*f*. Every person who between the fifteenth day of January and the fifteenth day of March of the same year, both dates".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, before the word "any", strike out the word "dried" and insert in lieu thereof the word "dries".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 816—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following: "Every person who in fish and game district three between October first and March thirty-first of the following year, both dates inclusive, takes, catches, kills or destroys or has in his possession any variety of trout is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who in fish and game district seven A between the first day of October and the thirty-first day of March of the following year both dates inclusive, takes, catches, or kills or has in his possession any variety of trout is guilty of a misdemeanor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 23, following the semicolon insert the following: "*provided, further*, that nothing in this section shall prohibit the taking of trout between May first and September thirtieth of the same year both dates inclusive in any stream in district twenty-three flowing into the state of Nevada, not including, however, its tributaries, nor any lake from which said stream may flow, or shall prohibit the possession within the boundaries of fish and game district twenty-three of such trout so taken"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "December 31st of the same year" and insert in lieu thereof the following "February fifteenth of the following year."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, line 29, following the word three, strike out the words "and ten" and insert the following "ten, fourteen, and nineteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, in line 33, following the comma after the word two, insert the following "two and one-half,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the printed bill, in line 10 following the word commission, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following "; *provided*, that steelhead trout are not to be sold, offered or exposed for sale in fish and game district one and one-half between the first day of October and the thirty-first day of March of the year following, both dates inclusive".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 61—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 16 of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "association" and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following "but in no event shall the liability of such corporation upon any individual risk included in a group policy exceed one thousand dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "less" and insert in lieu thereof the words "not more".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, section 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "state" and insert in lieu thereof the word "county".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 962—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products and fixing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof," approved June 3, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "handling" strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "handling," strike out the remainder of page 1 of the printed bill and lines 1 and 2 of page 2 of the printed bill down to and including the word "used."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to boundaries of municipalities.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words and figures "twenty-five (25)" and in lieu thereof insert "five (5)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "are" insert the words "uninhabited or are".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "agricultural" insert a comma, following which insert the words "farming, dairying, oil or mineral".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and on file for third reading.

Assembly Bill No 670—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Seal Beach, subject to certain trusts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following:

There is hereby granted to the city of Seal Beach and to its successors all the right, title and interest of the State of California, held by said state by virtue of its sovereignty, in and to all that portion of the tidelands and submerged lands bordering upon, under, and situated below the mean high tide line of, the Pacific ocean, which are within the corporate limits of the city of Seal Beach to be forever held by said city and its successors in trust for the uses and purposes and upon the express conditions following, to wit:

(a) That said lands shall be devoted exclusively to public park, parkway, highway, playground and recreational purposes, and to such other uses as may be incident to, or convenient for the full enjoyment of, such purposes; *provided, however*, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent the granting or use by said city of easements or rights of way across said tidelands or submerged lands for power, telephone, telegraph or cable lines or landings, or for sewage disposal conduits;

(*b*) The absolute right to fish in the waters of the Pacific ocean over said tidelands or submerged lands, with the right of convenient access to said waters over said lands for said purpose is hereby reserved to the people of the State of California.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 588*d*, relating to the preservation against defacement of the public highways of the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the words "Department of public works" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Authorities having the same in charge".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 323—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 4 and 5, and adding three new sections to be numbered 3, 3*a*, and 6*c* to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highways by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; providing for the issue by incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties and counties of permits for the operation of such automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; empowering incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties, and counties to enact ordinances for the supervision and regulation of automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages, and auto stages, and providing penalties for the violation of such ordinances; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, and for the punishment of violation thereof; and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provision of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the transportation of persons or property on the public highway by motor vehicle.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend line 2 of the title of the printed bill by striking therefrom the first word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four" and also by inserting after the words "three *a*" the words "five *a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Amend the title of the printed bill by striking the letter "s" from the word "highways" in line 5.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Amend the title of the printed bill by striking therefrom the following clause, commencing with the word "providing" in line 7 and ending with the word "ordinances" in line 14.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Amend the title of the printed bill by inserting the words "for compensation" after the word "property" in line 21.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

Amend the title of the printed bill by adding the letter "s" to the word "highway" in line 22, and also by adding the letter "s" to the word "vehicle" in said line 22.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

Amend section 1 of the printed bill by striking therefrom the following clause, commencing with the word "providing" in line 5, page 1, and ending with the word "ordinances" in line 4, page 2, of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

Amend sub-paragraph (*c*) of section 1 of the act by striking therefrom the following clause, commencing with the word "whether" in line 22, page 2, of the printed bill and ending with the word "municipality" in line 23, said page 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "expressly excluding, however, all corporations, or persons, their lessees, trustees, receivers or trustees appointed by any court whatsoever, owning, controlling, operating, or managing, any vehicle used exclusively within the corporate limits of any town, city, or city and county, in the business of transportation of persons and/or property for compensation and not operated in such business beyond said corporate limits."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

Amend sub-paragraph (*e*) of section 1 of the act by striking the word "hitherto" in line 30, page 2, of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "heretofore", and also by striking the word "designation" in line 32, said page 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "destination".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

Amend sub-paragraph (*f*) of section 1 of the act by striking therefrom the following clause, commencing with the words "and also" in line 39, page 2, of the printed bill, and ending with the word "town" in line 42, said page 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

Amend sub-paragraph (*h*) of section 1 of the act by striking said paragraph therefrom (commencing with line 1, page 3, of the printed bill), inserting in lieu thereof the following

"(*h*) The term "locality", when used in this act, means any village, community, town, city or city and county in which an operator of a transportation company maintains his principal place of business."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

Strike the letter "s" from the word "persons" in line 18, page 3, of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

Amend section 2 of the act by changing the period after the word "act" in line 22, page 3, of the printed bill, to a comma, and adding the following clause: "and all transportation companies now, or hereafter, operating must comply with the requirements of section five *a* of this act, *provided, however*, that in cases of such emergency that the available facilities of class A and class B transportation companies are inadequate the owner, producer, or purchaser, of perishable or semi-perishable agricultural, horticultural, viticultural or dairy products may, to prevent loss, cause the same and the necessary containers therefor to be by any person or corporation transported over the highways of this state from the place of production to the place of storage, packing, canning, preparation, market or shipment, or between any of said places."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

Amend section 3 of the act by striking therefrom all that portion of section 3 of the printed bill, commencing with the word "Class" in line 29, page 3, of the printed bill, and ending with the word "act" in line 37 on said page 3, and inserting in lieu thereof the following "Class A transportation companies shall embrace all transportation companies heretofore and hereafter operating over regular routes or between fixed termini and each such transportation company must receive, and hold, from the railroad commission, a certificate authorizing it to conduct such business. Class B transportation companies shall embrace all transportation companies heretofore or hereafter operating over irregular routes or without fixed termini and each such company must receive, and hold, from the railroad commission, a permit authorizing it to engage in such business."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

Amend section 3*a* of the act by striking the word "auto" from line 40, page 3, of the printed bill. And also by striking the clause commencing with the words

"and it" in line 49, said page 3, and terminating with the word "act" in line 51, said page 3, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "and also, all transportation companies now operating between fixed termini or over regular routes, whose operations are now recognized as lawful by the railroad commission, shall have the right to continue such operation. But all Class A transportation companies heretofore and hereafter operating shall hereafter pay the annual license fee of sixty dollars ($60.00), in accordance with the terms of section 6c of this act, and all transportation companies must comply with section 5a of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

Amend section 3a of the act by striking out the word "auto" in line 1, page 4, of the printed bill. And also the same word "auto" from line 6, page 4, of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

Amend said section 3a of the act by changing the period after the word "permit" in line 8, page 4, of the printed bill, to a comma, and adding the following clause: "and it shall be the duty of the railroad commission to issue to any Class B applicant such a permit upon compliance by the applicant with the provisions of section 5a of this act, but the granting of any permit shall not authorize the holder thereof to violate or infringe upon the legal rights of any Class A transportation company heretofore or hereafter granted by a certificate from the railroad commission."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

Amend section 4 of said act by striking the word "permit" from line 31, page 4, of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "license", and also by striking the word "permit" from line 34, page 4, of said printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "license".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Amend section 5 of the act by striking out the paragraph commencing with the words "No transportation" in line 39, page 4, of the printed bill, and ending with the words "may require" in line 6, page 5, of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

'Any transportation company which shall hereafter desire to commence the business of operating a vehicle or vehicles for the transportation of persons and/or property for compensation on any public highway in this state between fixed termini or over a regular route, shall first make application to the railroad commission for a certificate as required by Sec. 3a of this act. The railroad commission shall determine whether public convenience and necessity require the issuance of such certificate and shall have power, with or without hearing, to issue the certificate as prayed for or to refuse to issue the same, or to issue it for the partial exercise only of said privilege sought, and may attach to the exercise of the right granted by said certificate such terms and conditions as in its judgment public convenience and necessity may require, but the railroad commission must require compliance with the provisions of Sec. 5a of this act before issuing any such certificate.

Any certificate, right, privilege, franchise or permit held, owned or obtained by any transportation company may be sold, assigned, leased, transferred or inherited as other property, only upon authorization by the railroad commission."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

Strike out all that paragraph commencing with line 19, page 5, of the printed bill, and end with line 45, said page 5, and add a new section to the printed bill, to be known as section 6½, to be as follows:

"SEC. 6½. A new section is hereby added to said act, to be numbered 5a, to read as follows.

Sec. 5a No certificate or permit shall be issued by the railroad commission to any applicant until and after such applicant shall have filed with the railroad commission a bond with the surety approved by the commission or liability insurance satisfactory to the commission, and in such sum as the commission may deem necessary to adequately protect the interest of the public with due regard to the number of persons and the amount of property involved, which bond shall bind the obligors thereunder to make compensation for injury to persons and loss or damage to property resulting from the operation of such vehicles; *provided*, the transportation company operating said vehicle is legally liable for said personal injury or loss or damage to property. The bond or insurance required by this section shall be kept in full force and effect during the life of the certificate or permit of the transportation company furnishing the same, and should said bond or insurance expire or for any reason become unenforcible, the railroad commission shall immediately suspend the permit or certificate to which the same applies until said bond or insurance is renewed or replaced and notify the holder of said certificate or permit that unless said bond or insurance is renewed or replaced within thirty days from the date the same expired or became unenforcible, the said permit or certificate will be revoked and canceled, and it is hereby made the duty of the commission to revoke any such permit or certificate unless the said bond or insurance is renewed or replaced within such period. The railroad commission shall adopt and furnish such

rules and regulations as may be found necessary to carry out the provisions of this section."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 959—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, strike out line 4 of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section nineteen *a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word and figure "Section 1" add the following "A new section to be designated section nineteen *a* is hereby added to an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof" approved May 29, 1923, as amended, such new section nineteen *a* to read as follows

Sec 19*a*. Whenever two or more sanitation districts shall find and declare by resolution adopted by their respective boards of directors that it will be for the interest or advantage of such districts so to do, such sanitation districts by their respective boards of directors may enter into an agreement for the maintenance of a centralized and joint administrative organization to care for the general administration of the affairs of each of such districts, and the construction, supervision, operation and maintenance of the work of each of said districts, and for that purpose the said districts may agree to employ the same engineers, surveyors, counsel and other persons needed to carry out the purposes of this act Such agreement shall specify the proportionate amount to be paid by each district, party thereto, toward the costs and expenses of such organization and the salaries, wages or other compensation of all persons employed jointly by such districts, and for the purpose of facilitating the payment of such joint costs, expenses, salaries, wages or other compensation, such agreement may also provide for the payment by each district, party to such agreement, of its proportionate share of such costs, expenses, salaries, wages or other compensation, into the funds of any one of such districts which may be designated for the purpose, and such designated district shall thereafter pay all such costs, expenses, salaries, wages or other compensation incurred by, or to be paid in connection with the maintenance of such joint organization."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

POINT OF ORDER.

Mr. Rosenshine arose to the following point of order:

That the bill before the Assembly carries an appropriation and should be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

RULING BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker ruled that the point of order raised by Mr. Rosenshine was well taken and ordered Assembly Bill No. 333 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 333 referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 452 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Broughton, and Wright, T. M.—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following resolution was offered:

By Miss Miller:

Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 128 be withdrawn from the Committee on Education and placed on file.

The question being on the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 128 from Committee on Education.

MOTION.

Mr. Coombs moved that the special order heretofore set for eleven o'clock a.m. be deferred until the consideration of the resolution by Miss Miller be disposed of.

Motion carried.

The question being on the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 128 from Committee on Education.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Walters, Sewell, Brock, Smith, and Campbell demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the motion by Miss Miller to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 128 from the Committee on Education.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw carried by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jones, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Burns, Cleveland, Crittenden, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough,

Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Spence, and Woodbridge—25.

The Speaker ordered Assembly Bill No 128 placed on file.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and three minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed; defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish stations for the inspection and certification of cotton seed, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California, prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 22 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relative to election of the Railroad Commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said state by amending section 12½, article XIII thereof, relative to exemption from taxation of certain trees and vines—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 12 of article XIII thereof, relating to poll taxes—has had the

same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 550—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the matters to be stated in contracts and receipts issued by such employment agencies, providing for standard and uniform forms of contracts and receipts to be prepared by the Commissioner of Labor and providing that an employer must so state on the reverse side of an employment contract or receipt if the applicant was not employed or if he was discharged in less than seven days, as the case may be—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC MORALS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 787—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any opium, morphine, cocaine, heroin or other narcotic is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such narcotics; and providing for the abatement of such nuisances;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WRIGHT, T. M., Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o*, and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 231—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to enable any water company organized under the laws of this State to cancel certain shares of stock hereinafter described, and in lieu thereof to issue a new certificate therefor to the owner of the land to which said shares of stock are attached or appurtenant," approved June 14, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to amend section 5 of an act "to allow unincorporated cities and towns to equip and maintain a fire department," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, relating to rate of taxation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and

appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

Also Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 633c of the Political Code, relating to insurance;

Also Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread;

Also Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to amend section 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens;

Also Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1037—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4300*f*, relating to fees of officers, witnesses and jurors in municipal courts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend sections 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts eighteen and nineteen;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1255—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, as amended, relating to powers of the districts;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1235—An act to amend section 4021*a* of the Political Code, relating to recall of officers of school districts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1609*a*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 1551 of the Political Code, relating to schools.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 767—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 973—An act to amend section 1665 of the Political Code, relating to schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1164—An act to amend section 1750 of the Political Code, relating to schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1165—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to public schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1166—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1087—An act to amend section 1548 of the Political Code, relating to the office expenses of the Superintendent of Schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1252—An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlements by executors and administrators.

Also Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate.

Also Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 2280 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts;

Also. Assembly Bill No 170—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims in civil actions and to repeal section 442 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to cross complaints in civil actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 346—An act to amend section 856 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 439 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway;

Also Assembly Bill No 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge, and from the south end of said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half miles south of the new bridge, to be a State highway;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relative to the construction of bridges and highways, approved May 25, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1189—An act to amend section 25 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers, and agents; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide penalties for the violation thereof; to create the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended, relating to the issuance of stock;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 798—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out and acquire a right of way, or rights of way for a highway or highways extending from a point at or near the town of Cordelia in Solano County, to a point at or near the north boundary of the city of Vallejo and thence extending said highway or highways from the south boundary of the city of Vallejo to the straits of Carquinez, declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved

May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, by amending sections numbered 44, 77, 95, 96, 114, 138, 145 and 153, relative to the renewal of registration of motor vehicles and to the operation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3650¼, relating to assessments—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 455—An act authorizing and empowering the division of water rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California to conduct investigations of streams, stream systems, lakes or other bodies of water, to investigate either or both surface and underground water conditions, to collect records of diversion and use of water, to supervise distribution of water in accordance with agreements therefor, to do all or any of such work either independently or in cooperation with a State or federal agency, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 44 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 47 thereof, relating to the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale;

Also Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend sections 8, 11, and 12 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution, and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and creating a board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure for exercising such powers and duties" approved June 18, 1923,

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections

5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c* 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 121—An act validating the formation, organization, and proceedings of the Potter Valley Irrigation District under the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended,

Also Senate Bill No 247—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

SPECIAL ORDER.

In accordance to the motion of Mr. Coombs, the special order heretofore set for eleven a.m. was taken up for consideration at this time.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED TWENTY.

Assembly Bill No 1120—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to teachers, principals and supervisors

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Cleveland moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert the word "three".

Motion lost.

The question being on the passage of Assembly Bill No 1120.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Cleveland moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word employment strike out the "period" and insert a "semicolon" and add the following, "*provided, however*, that any teacher who has been so classified who leaves such employment except for

physical disability duly certified by a licensed physician shall be forever denied the privilege to teach school in the state".

Motion lost.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1120 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M, and Mr Speaker—59

NOES—Anderson, R J, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Graves, Heisinger, Jones, Louttit, Runner, and Wright, S. V—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

In reading the Journal this morning I found to my surprise that I am recorded as voting "No" on Assembly Bill No. 1120 I introduced this bill and have at all times diligently followed its progress, endeavoring to have this bill passed by the Assembly at the earliest possible time I distinctly voted aye when my name was called to vote on this bill, but due to an error of the clerk, no doubt owing to the confusion in the Assembly Chamber at the time of taking the vote, he did not hear me vote aye and so did not record me correctly. I am making this statement to avoid any possible doubt as to my consistent and earnest support of Assembly Bill No. 1120

FRANK L. EKSWARD.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jones moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1214 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mueller, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—43

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Jost, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rosenshine, Smith Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T M—28.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FOURTEEN.

Assembly Bill No. 1214—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to the holding of State fairs.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Jones moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Lyons, Roland, Murray, Scofield and Sewell, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Jones for call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion of Mr. Jones for a call of the House carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Burns, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Jost, Louttit, Nielsen, Noyes, Rosenshine, and West—16.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.
THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 658—An act authorizing justices of the Supreme Court and of the district courts of appeal and judges of the superior court, of the State of California, to temporarily retire from regular service after reaching the age of sixty-five years and after service of at least twenty years in one or more of said courts and providing for service and compensation therefor of such justices or judges and for designating and assigning justices and judges pro tempore to act in place of such retiring justices or judges, and providing for their duties, expenses and compensation.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Wright, T. M., moved that Assembly Bill No. 658 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 658 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 50 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Williamson moved to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 128 was this day withdrawn from the Committee on Education.

The Speaker declared the motion out of order.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jones.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1214 was refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mueller, Murray, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—38.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Woodbridge—36.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 52 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Rosenshine—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Spence moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 463 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—Anderson, R. J., Cleveland, and Deuel—3.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State for and furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Spence moved that Assembly Bill No. 463 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 463 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 528 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways of State roads, providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation

and educational fund, providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison, authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 586 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 725—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 15, 15*a*, 21*a*, 62, 65, 80, 83, 96, 101, 123, 130, 132, and 138, and by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 16, 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, 16*e*, and 104, all relating to the definition and regulations of the business of banking.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 725 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1071—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Bernard moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, insert the words "with the approval of the state board of control".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "bags" insert the following: "which price shall not be more than one cent per bag in excess of the net cost of producing the same, exclusive of labor of prisoners and guards,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, at the end of the paragraph, insert the following: "It shall be the duty of the state board of prison directors and they are hereby authorized to adopt a trademark, and file the same with the secretary of state, together with its claim for the same, and procure a certificate thereof, under the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California applicable thereto, and it shall be the duty of the state board of prison directors to place said trademark on each and every bag manufactured by the state."

The question being on the motion to appoint a Select Committee of One to amend Assembly Bill No. 1071.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Broughton, Crittenden, West, Coombs and Bernard, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to appoint a Select Committee of One to amend Assembly Bill No. 1071.

The roll was called, and the motion to amend Assembly Bill No. 1071 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dorris, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Roland, Scofield, Spalding, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—21.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Davis, Eksward, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, and Wright, T. M.—33.

The question being on the passage of Assembly Bill No. 1071.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1071 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Fry, Johnson, Mixter, and Murphy—4.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Bernard gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1071 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 680—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the county superintendent of schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 680 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Broughton, Burns, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Nielsen, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Browne—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dayton moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "dollars" and insert in lieu thereof "per annum" and a semicolon.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dayton as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 419, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DAYTON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to provide for the organization and government of municipal corporations consisting of two or more municipalities, or of two or more municipalities and unincorporated territory.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Roberts moved that Assembly Bill No. 1172 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1172 re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 552 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—54

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 554 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to add a new section to article III of chapter II of title III of part I of division IV of the Civil Code, to be known as section 3396, and relating to specific performance of marketing agreements of cooperative marketing associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 550 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Friday, March 27, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, March 27, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Minter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Dayton, its further reading was dispensed with.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Little, Mr. Dodge was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jones, Mr. Byrne was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Schmidt, Mr. Morrison was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Schmidt, Mr. Mitchell was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Carter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Eksward, Mr. McPherson was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Roland, Mr. Croter was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Scofield, Mr. Cloudman was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mrs. Birdie Weaver, teacher of the Natoma Joint School, and the following pupils: Artie Coffey, Lavern Townsend, Louetta Townsend, Lester Brahm, Vincent Brahm and Evelyn Braham, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Coombs, Mr. J. R. Croad, principal of Calistoga Grammar School, and Mrs. J. R. Croad and the following pupils of eighth grade civics class, were extended the privilege of the

floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Billy Alving, Vincent Archulete, Richard Taylor, Montford Ward, Walter Lemke, Byron Karker, Janette Short, Henry Bryant, Clarence Butler, Clara Carenzola, Ruth Clark, Herbert Fecther, Charles Ghislofo, Harry Tamagni, Walter Tamagni, Honora Lynch, David Lecuri, Robert Turner, Amy Paltridge, Juniatta Lee, Adele Molo, Edith McArthur, Kenneth Saxon, Grace Petersen, Sidney Petersen, David Sharp, Felisbert Silveria, France Bell and Artel Austin.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Bradley Grover, principal, and Miss Mary Donelon and Miss Della M Silbough, teachers of Fair Oaks School, Stockton, and the following pupils of the eighth grade, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Esther Barkett, Anie Bennett, Trela Demaree, Rose Rombery, Beatrice Hendricks, Agnes Chelgren, Marion Brown, Margaret Winning, Margaret Abrahamson, Eloise Stevens, Hazel Wiles, Beulah Gray, Dorothy Boross, Viola Erhart, Ethel Viglino, Nellie Bohnake, Jessie Gren, Hazel Day, Benjiman Hoffman, George Thompson, Jacob Jensen, Alex Zolezzi, Norval Hammett, Nathan Roberts, Frank Miniace, Charles Doughtery, Frank Drake, Floyd Gray, Vinton Ryland, Emery Chalgren, Andrew Gotelli, Arthur Robin, Burleigh Winning, and George Stout.

Through the courtesy of Mr West, Mr. Frank J. O'Brien, a former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Oliva, Mr. Jos. F. Giannini of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hartranft, Mr. Clyde Bishop of Santa Ana, former member of this Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hartranft, Mr. E B. Collier of Santa Ana, former member of this Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Col. David C. Collier and Mrs. Collier, Director General Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition to be held in Philadelphia, 1926, President and Director General Panama California Exposition at San Diego, 1915, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. J. R. Broughton of Modesto, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Miss C. M Belshaw of Antioch, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Judge J. Perry Wood of Los Angeles, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate for mining, irrigation and domestic purposes, and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 674—An act to amend sections 1775 and 1778 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of teachers certificates—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1167—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No 1258—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and they be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 67—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 863—An act to amend section 1208 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon animals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices in cases of mortgaged property of decedents or minors;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LITTLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1175—An act providing for the time of completion of toll-bridges over navigable waters within the State of California—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-sixth day of March, 1925, at two o'clock and ten minutes p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617½, relating to the selling or leasing of real property upon which no public school is being maintained;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 996—An act to provide for the formation of regional park districts consisting of all or parts of one or more counties; to provide for the acquisition, control and management of public parks, playgrounds and parkways within and without such districts, and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds and the levying and collecting of taxes by such districts; to provide for the government and control of such districts, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; and to define certain powers of cities and other governmental agencies in relation thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered IV to title XIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals from municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code, relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal courts and the disposition of all moneys collected therein;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to supervise, regulate and control the transportation and sale of poultry, to provide rules and regulations therefor and provide a penalty for violations thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 538—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding, to regulate the importation transportation and exhibition of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals, to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Building and Loan Associations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 627—An act to amend section 642 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the withdrawing of shares of stock and investment certificates issued by building and loan associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAVIS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 181—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to city justice courts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 145—An act to amend section 1431 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to change of place of trial in justice's courts;

Also Senate Bill No 433—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1054*a*, relating to the postponement of a trial and the extension of time within which an act is to be done when the attorney of record in or the party to any action is in attendance upon a session of the legislature as a member thereof;

Also Senate Bill No. 732—An act to amend section 3681*a* of the Political Code, relating to the correction of any error in the assessment of land or any subsequent step in the collection of the taxes thereon;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No 56—An act to amend section 1208 of the Political Code, relating to illiterate or helpless voters—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

LITTLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 539—An act requiring boards of supervisors to provide for the payment, to the owner of cattle slaughtered pursuant to law, of a sum representing the difference or part of the difference between the appraised value and salvage value of such slaughtered cattle in cooperation with the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture, to provide for the appraisement of such slaughtered cattle in cooperation with the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture, to authorize boards of supervisors to levy a special tax on all taxable property to carry out the provisions of this act; to authorize boards of supervisors to establish a fund or funds for the purposes of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4a and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State, providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 3465 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed salt marsh and tidelands—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 3480 of the Political Code, relating to the issuance of bonds of reclamation districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to amend section 3480½ of the Political Code, relating to and providing for a method of refunding the installments of the principal of any reclamation district bonds now or hereafter issued as and when the said installments, or any thereof, or any part thereof, shall mature—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 874—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and Charles H. Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Jacobson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges, and the district attorney's special fund

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Crittenden:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 38, said new section relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Mitchell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of National Cleaning and Dyeing Works against the State of California

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Adams:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Hornblower:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 3 and 9 and to add a new section to be numbered 15 to an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens

and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," approved by electors November 2, 1920, as amended, relating to rights of aliens with respect to real property.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Deuel:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Johnson (by request):

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 19r13 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGE

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 510—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book:

Also Senate Bill No 302—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act", approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act and sections 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60 and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a* and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands, by adding 19 new sections to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section to be numbered 64*s* and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators to act as owners of title or evidence of title

Also Senate Bill No. 30—An act to repeal section 622*a* of the Political Code, relating to the taxation of insurance companies operating in this State:

Also Senate Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 421*a*, providing that officers, directors, trustees, agents or attorneys for insurance companies shall not receive benefits from loans or investments made by such companies,

Also Senate Bill No. 20—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 633*e*, defining insurance adjusters and providing for licensing, supervising and regulating them and for the suspension and revocation of their licenses by the Insurance Commissioner

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 510 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 302 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 30 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 17 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 20 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 392—An act to provide for the establishment, organization and government of municipal port districts; for the acquisition and construction by municipal port districts of harbor works and improvements, and for the development, operation, maintenance, control and management of harbors and other navigable waters therein; for the regulation and promotion of commerce, navigation and fishery by municipal port districts; for the incurring by such districts of bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of such works and improvements, and for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on bonds and for carrying on the operations of such districts; for the dissolution of municipal port districts and prescribing the procedure therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title, after the words "An act" strike out the remainder of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following "to provide for the establishment, organization and government of municipal port districts; for the acquisition and construction by municipal port districts of harbor works and improvements, and railroad and water transfer and terminal facilities, for the development, operation, maintenance, control, regulation and management of harbors and other waters and for the promotion of commerce, navigation and fishery by such municipal port districts for the incurring by such districts of bonded indebtedness for the acquisition, construction or completion of such works and improvements and for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on bonds and for carrying on the operations of such districts."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "port district" strike out the remainder of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following, "for the acquisition and construction of harbor works and improvements, including railroad and water transfer and terminal facilities, for the development, operation, maintenance, control, regulation and management of harbors and other waters, and for the promotion of commerce, navigation and fishery by such districts may be established, organized and governed as in this act provided, and may exercise the powers herein expressly granted. A municipal port district shall include municipal corporations only, but no municipal corporation shall be divided in the formation thereof. Whenever any other municipal corporation is consolidated with, or whenever any unincorporated territory is annexed to, a municipal corporation that is already included in a municipal port district, such municipal corporation so consolidated and such unincorporated territory so annexed, shall by virtue of such consolidation or annexation become a part of such municipal port district.

SEC. 2. When two or more municipal corporations situated in the same county, each of which is contiguous to the other, or to one of the others, and within the corporate limits of which, or any one of which, is included in whole or in part any harbor, bay, inlet, arm of the sea, estuary, or other waters, may join in the establishment of a municipal port district. When any two or more municipal corporations desire to establish a municipal port district under the provisions of this act, the legislative body of each such municipal corporation, at a regular meeting thereof, shall pass an ordinance of intention declaring that the public interest requires the establishment by such municipal corporation, jointly with any other municipal corporation or corporations (naming the same), of a municipal port district under the provisions of this act, to comprise its territory with that of the other or others, and that it is the intention of such legislative body to initiate proceedings for the establishment of such municipal port district. Such ordinance shall state the name of the proposed district which shall include the words "Municipal port district" and shall describe the exterior boundaries of the harbor or harbors, or other waters, and of the water front, tidelands, submerged lands or other lands included therein or adjacent thereto, within the limits of such municipal port district, proposed to be

improved, operated, maintained, and managed by the proposed municipal port district. Such ordinance shall provide for the submission by the legislative body of such municipal corporation to the qualified electors thereof of the proposition of establishing such municipal port district, at a special election as hereinafter provided. The lands and waters so described in such ordinance, in the event that such district is established, shall be known as the harbor district of the municipal port district, and is hereinafter designated and referred to as the harbor district.

In the event, however, that the legislative body of any municipal corporation or corporations shall have passed the ordinance of intention mentioned in this section and the legislative body of the other or any of the other municipal corporations named therein shall fail or refuse to pass such ordinance within thirty (30) days after such ordinance of intention or the latest such ordinances to take effect shall have become effective, the electors of any such other municipal corporation so named therein may file a petition with the clerk of the legislative body thereof in like manner as petition provided for in section three of this act, praying for the establishment of such municipal port district. Such petition shall be signed by the same percentage of the qualified electors of any such other municipal corporation, and shall be signed, verified, filed, examined, certified and presented in like manner as petition provided for in section three of this act. Any such petition shall, as to any municipal corporation by the electors of which it is so filed, have like force and effect as petitions filed under said section three hereof, and thereupon the same proceeding shall be had thereon as to any municipal corporation in and for which it is so filed, as in the case of petitions of electors filed under the provisions of said section three: *provided, however*, that any such petition filed under this section need not state that it is filed concurrently with a petition or petitions of the electors of other municipal corporations, unless such be the fact, but it shall state the name of each municipal corporation whose legislative body has passed the ordinance mentioned in this section. So far as applicable the provisions of section three hereof shall otherwise govern and apply to petitions filed under this section.

SEC 3. A municipal port district may also be established under proceedings initiated by petition of qualified electors as hereinafter provided. Whenever the people of two or more municipal corporations shall desire to establish a municipal port district, a petition may be filed with the clerk of the legislative body of each such municipal corporation, signed by qualified electors of each such municipal corporation respectively, equal in number to fifteen per centum of all the votes cast within each such municipal corporation respectively for all candidates for governor at the last preceding general election at which a governor was elected, praying for the establishment of a municipal port district by such municipal corporation, jointly with any other municipal corporation or municipal corporations (naming the same), under the provisions of this act, to comprise the territory thereof and that of the other or others, and stating the name of the proposed district, which shall include the words "Municipal Port District". Such petition shall describe the exterior boundaries of the harbor or harbors, or other waters, and of the water front, tidelands, submerged lands or other lands included therein or adjacent thereto, within the limits of such proposed municipal port district, proposed to be improved, operated, maintained and managed by, such municipal port district. Such petition shall be addressed to the legislative body of the municipal corporation in which it is circulated and signed, and shall pray that the proposition of establishing such municipal port district be submitted to the qualified electors of such municipal corporation at a special election in such municipal corporation as in this act provided. No elector in any one municipal corporation of the proposed municipal port district shall sign any such petition of electors of any other municipal corporation proposed to be included therein. Each such petition shall, in addition to the other matters required to be stated therein, also designate the municipal corporation within which the electors as signing the same reside and shall state that it is filed concurrently with a like petition or petitions of electors of the other municipal corporations, designating the same. The lands and waters so described in such petition shall, in the event that such proposed municipal port district is established, be known as the harbor district of the municipal port district, and is hereinafter designated and referred to as the harbor district.

Such petition may consist of any number of separate papers or sections, all of which shall together constitute one petition, but a separate petition shall be required from each municipal corporation of the proposed municipal port district. The signatures to such petition need not all be appended to one paper or section. Each signer shall add to his signature his place of residence, his occupation, and if within a city having named streets and numbered houses, the street and number of such residence, and shall at the time of so signing such petition affix thereto the date of such signing. Each separate paper or section shall have attached thereto an affidavit made by a qualified elector of the municipal corporation in which it is circulated, and sworn to before an officer competent to administer oaths, stating that the affiant circulated that particular paper or section and saw written the signatures appended thereto; and that, according to the best information and belief of the affiant, each signature is the genuine signature of the person whose name purports to be thereunto subscribed, and of a qualified elector of such municipal corporation.

Within ten (10) days from the date of filing such petition, the city clerk of the municipal corporation in which such petition was circulated and signed shall examine and from the records of registration ascertain whether or not said petition is signed by the requisite number of qualified electors, and he shall attach to said petition his certificate showing the result of such examination If by the said certificate such petition is shown to be insufficient, it may be supplemented within ten (10) days from the date of such certificate by the filing of additional papers, duplicates of the original petition, except as to the names signed The said city clerk shall, within ten (10) days after such supplemental papers are filed, make like examination thereof, and if his certificate shall show that all the names to such petition, including supplemental papers, are still insufficient, no action shall be taken thereon and the proceedings for the establishment of the municipal port district proposed by such petitions shall be deemed to fail, but in such event, however, the petition shall remain on file as a public record, and the failure to secure sufficient names shall be without prejudice to the filing subsequently of an entirely new petition to the same effect, after the expiration of six (6) months. If the petition shall be found to be sufficient, either as originally filed or as supplemental, the said city clerk shall present the same to the legislative body of such municipal corporation without delay, whereupon such legislative body shall submit the question of the establishment of such municipal port district to the electors of such municipal corporation at a special election to be called and held therein as hereinafter provided. If required by the city clerk, the legislative body of such municipal corporation shall authorize him to employ such persons, in addition to those persons regularly employed in his office, as may be necessary for the examination of such petition and supplemental petition, as provide for their compensation

Nothing in this section contained, shall be construed to prevent the city clerk from referring any such petition or supplemental petition to the registrar of voters or other officer of the county in which such proposed municipal port district is situated, having custody of the records of registration of electors thereof, for the purpose of examination and certification, and the certificate of such registrar of voters or other officer shall have the same force and effect as the certificate of such city clerk thereto. If such reference be made, such compensation shall be paid for such examination and certification as may be fixed by the board of supervisors of such county, or otherwise by law

SEC 4 The legislative body of any municipal corporation that has passed the ordinance of intention provided for in section two of this act shall, within twenty (20) days after such ordinance has become effective, cause a notice to the electors thereof to be published or posted, containing a copy of such ordinance, together with a statement that the proposition of establishing the municipal port district contemplated thereby will be submitted to the qualified electors of such municipal corporation at a special municipal election to be held in such municipal corporation on a date to be designated in such notice, which date shall not be less than thirty (30) nor more than ninety (90) days after the first publication or posting of such notice Such proposition shall be specified in such notice substantially in the following form "Shall a municipal port district comprising the cities of (stating the names of the cities) be established?"

The legislative body of each municipal corporation to which a petition of the electors has been presented as provided in section two or section three of this act shall, within twenty (20) days after the presentation to it of such petition, cause a notice to the electors thereof to be published or posted, which notice shall state the fact of the presentation to such legislative body of such petition and shall contain a copy thereof, omitting names of signers, together with a statement that such petition was signed by the requisite number of qualified electors, and that the proposition of the establishment of a municipal port district as prayed for in such petition will be submitted to the qualified electors of such municipal corporation at a special election therein to be held on a date designated in such notice, which date shall be not less than thirty (30) days nor more than ninety (90) days after the first publication or posting of such notice. Such notice shall also state that such proposition will be so submitted in substantially the following form: "Shall a municipal port district comprising the cities of (stating the names of the cities) be established?"

The publication of the notice herein required shall be made in each of the several municipal corporations respectively to be included in the proposed municipal port district for at least ten consecutive times in a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed, published and circulated therein, or if no such daily newspaper is printed, published and circulated in any such municipal corporation, then such publication may be made for at least two consecutive times in a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed, published and circulated therein If no such daily or weekly newspaper is so printed or published in any such municipal corporation, such notice shall be conspicuously posted by the city clerk thereof in three of the most public places in such municipal corporation. A newspaper published six days a week shall be deemed to be a daily newspaper within the meaning of this section

SEC. 5. The special election mentioned in section four of this act, shall be held in each municipal corporation proposed to be included in a municipal port district on the date, as to each such municipal corporation, specified in the notice, mentioned in said section four, and shall be called by the legislative body of each of the several

municipal corporations by ordinance, and notice thereof shall be given in the same manner provided by law for the holding of special elections in each such municipal corporation respectively. Such election shall, except as herein otherwise provided, be ordered held and conducted in each such municipal corporation, the returns thereof canvassed and the result thereof declared by the legislative body of each such municipal corporation in the manner provided by law for the holding of special elections therein.

In the event that any other election for any purpose shall be called and held in any municipal corporation proposed to be included in a municipal port district within ninety days after the first publication or the posting of the notice mentioned in section four of this act, the election at which such proposition is to be submitted may be consolidated with such other election by the legislative body of such municipal corporation in the manner provided for such consolidation, if the same is so provided for by law.

Upon the ballots to be used at such election in each municipal corporation there shall be printed the following words: "Shall a municipal port district comprising the cities of (stating the names of the cities) be established?" And opposite such proposition to be voted upon and to the right thereof the words "Yes" and "No" shall be printed on separate lines with voting squares. If an elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "Yes", the vote of such elector shall be counted in favor of such proposition, and if an elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "No", then the vote of such elector shall be counted against such proposition.

The register of records of registration of electors to be used at any election held in pursuance of this section shall be the same as provided by law for state or county elections in the county in which such proposed municipal port district is situated. It shall be the duty of the registrar of voters or other officer of such county having the custody of such register or records of registration, to furnish the same, with the proper indices thereto, to the city clerk of each municipal corporation in which such election is held at least five (5) days prior to the holding thereof.

Immediately upon the completion of the canvass of the returns of such election, the legislative body of each municipal corporation in which such election is held shall declare the result of such election and shall cause a record thereof to be made and entered upon its minutes, stating the proposition submitted and showing the total number of votes cast on such proposition in such municipal corporation, the number of votes so cast in favor of the establishment of the proposed municipal port district and the number of votes so cast against the same. Thereupon the city clerk of each such municipal corporation shall forthwith make a certificate of the result of such election as found and declared by the legislative body thereof and of the record of such canvass as entered upon the minutes of such legislative body, and shall deliver such certificate to the legislative body of the largest municipal corporation proposed to be included in such municipal port district. The clerk of such largest municipal corporation shall likewise make and there shall be so signed, attested, and filed in his office a like certificate of the result of such election in such largest municipal corporation. Each such certificate shall be signed by the mayor or other chief executive officer of the government of such municipal corporation and attested by the city clerk under the seal thereof.

If it shall appear from the canvass of the returns of such election in each such municipal corporation, as shown by such certificates, that a majority of the electors voting on such proposition in each of the said municipal corporations has voted in favor of the establishment of the proposed municipal port district at the election at which such proposition was so submitted in each such municipal corporation respectively, the city clerk of the municipal corporation having the largest population shall promptly make a certificate of the result of such election in each such municipal corporation as shown by the certificates of the results thereof on file in his office, which shall be signed by the mayor or other chief executive officer of such municipal corporation and attested by the city clerk under the seal thereof. Such certificate shall show the date of such election in each municipal corporation and state the proposition submitted thereat. Said city clerk of said largest municipal corporation shall forthwith transmit the certificate last mentioned to the secretary of state of the State of California. Upon the filing of such certificate in the office of the secretary of state such municipal port district shall be deemed to be and shall be established under the provisions of this act with all the rights, privileges and powers set forth in this act. Upon the establishment of a municipal port district, no other municipal corporation shall thereafter join or be included therein except by first being consolidated with one of the municipal corporations already included in such municipal port district.

If it shall appear, however, from the aforesaid canvass of the returns of such election in any such municipal corporation that a majority of the votes cast on such proposition therein were cast against the establishment of the proposed municipal port district, the proceedings therefor shall be deemed to fail entirely, and the certificate last mentioned need not be made or filed with the secretary of state.

SEC. 6. Whenever the ordinance of intention mentioned in section two of this act has been passed by the legislative body of any municipal corporation or corpora-

tions, or whenever any petition or petitions praying for the establishment of a municipal port district has been filed with the clerk of the legislative body of any municipal corporation as provided in sections two or three of this act no other proceedings under this or any other act for the establishment of any other municipal port district or any other port or harbor district to include any municipal corporation included in such municipal port district shall be initiated until and unless the proposition of establishing such municipal port district shall have been submitted to the electors of the municipal corporations proposed to be included thereon, and the proceedings for the establishment of such a municipal port district shall have failed as hereinbefore provided

SEC. 7. No informality in procedure of informality in the conduct of any election for the establishment of a municipal port district, not affecting adversely the legal rights of any citizen, shall be held to invalidate the establishment of any municipal port district, and any proceedings wherein the validity of such establishment is denied shall be commenced within sixty days after the date of filing in the office of the secretary of state of the certificate mentioned in section five of this act, otherwise the establishment and legal existence of said port district and all proceedings in respect thereto shall be held to be valid in every particular and incontestable Any such proceedings shall be brought in the superior court of the county where the municipal port district is situated The court having jurisdiction shall speedily try the cause and determine upon the hearing whether such procedure or election was valid and in substantial compliance with this act and shall enter its judgment accordingly.

SEC. 8 Nothing in this act contained shall prevent or be deemed to prevent the separation of any municipal corporation which has been included in a municipal port district from the county of which it was theretofore a part, and the formation of such municipal corporation into a consolidated city and county in the manner provided by the constitution and the laws of the State of California; nor shall any such separation or the formation of any such consolidated city and county in any manner affect or impair the existence, extent or powers of such municipal port district. Whenever the formation of any municipal corporation into such consolidated city and county shall have been effected such consolidated city and county shall continue to be included in such municipal port district, as a municipal corporation, with the same force and effect as if such consolidated city and county had not been formed, and the provisions of this act applicable to municipal corporations included in such municipal port district shall apply to such consolidated city and county.

SEC. 9 The power to manage and conduct the business and affairs of a municipal port district shall be vested in a board of five port commissioners, who shall be appointed or elected in the manner hereinafter provided from the municipal corporations included in such district. Each port commissioner must be a qualified elector of the municipal corporation from which he is appointed or elected, and the term of office shall be five (5) years, except the term of office of the port commissioners first appointed, who shall severally serve for the terms hereinafter specified.

SEC. 10. When a municipal port district consists of two municipal corporations, two members of the board of port commissioners shall be appointed by the mayor or other chief executive officer of each such municipal corporation, subject to confirmation by the legislative body thereof, respectively, and the fifth member of such board of port commissioners shall be elected by the unanimous vote of the four so appointed, in the manner hereinafter provided, and shall be a qualified elector of the larger municipal corporation When such municipal port district consists of three municipal corporations, one of such board of port commissioners shall be so appointed, subject to like confirmation for each of such municipal corporations, and the two remaining members thereof shall be elected by the unanimous vote of the three thus appointed, one from each of the two largest municipal corporations, in like manner as the fifth member of the board when the port district comprises two municipal corporations. When such port district consists of four municipal corporations, said board of port commissioners shall be composed of one member so appointed and confirmed from each municipal corporation, and the fifth member shall be elected by the majority vote of the four so appointed, as hereinafter provided, and shall be a qualified elector of the largest municipal corporation. If the number of municipal corporations in a municipal port district be five, one member of the board of port commissioners shall be appointed and confirmed in like manner from each such municipal corporation, and if the number of municipal corporations in the municipal port district be more than five, the five port commissioners thereof shall be appointed and confirmed in like manner, one from each of the five largest municipal corporations in such district

In any case where as above provided in order to complete the membership of a board of port commissioners, the members appointed as hereinbefore provided are empowered to elect the remaining member or members of such board, the port commissioners so appointed shall as soon as practicable after their appointment, meet in the chamber of the legislative body of the municipal corporation having the largest population, at the city hall thereof, to elect the remaining member or members of such board In any case where the members of the board of port

commissioners appointed as hereinbefore provided are required to elect the remaining member or members of such board, and fail so to do within sixty (60) days from and after the date of the confirmation of the last of them to be confirmed, their appointment shall thereupon become null and void, and they and each of them shall forfeit their several offices, which shall thereupon ipso facto become vacant, in which event other persons shall be appointed as such port commissioners in like manner as in the first instance, who shall meet and select the remaining member or members of the port commissioners, in like manner as before If the four persons so appointed as last above provided, shall themselves likewise fail to elect the fifth member, they shall in turn forfeit their offices with like effect as above provided, and appointments to said board shall continue to be made successively as in the first instance until the fifth member of said board is elected. Whenever appointed port commissioners fail to so elect the remaining member or members, they and each of them shall be ineligible to re-appointment until the expiration of two years thereafter.

When a municipal port district consists of two municipal corporations and the membership of the board of port commissioners is completed as hereinbefore provided, and at the same meeting at which the fifth member was elected, the three members from the larger municipal corporation and the two members from the smaller municipal corporation, shall so separately classify themselves by lot that the three members from the larger municipal corporation shall go out of office one at the end of one year, one at the end of three years and one at the end of five years, respectively, and the two members from the smaller municipal corporation shall so classify themselves by lot that they shall go out of office, one at the end of two and the other at the end of four years, respectively Entry of such classification shall be made on the minutes of the board of port commissioners, and signed by the five members thereof.

When a municipal port district consists of three or more municipal corporations, and the membership of the board of port commissioners is completed by election, in the manner hereinbefore provided, the members of the board of port commissioners at the same meeting at which any remaining member or members were elected, as hereinbefore provided, or any case where all members of such board were appointed members, then as soon as practicable after their appointment, shall so classify themselves by lot that one shall go out of office at the end of one year, one at the end of two years, one at the end of three years, one at the end of four years and one at the end of five years, and entry of such classification shall be made on the minutes of the board and signed by the five members.

SEC 11. Any appointed member of the board of port commissioners may be removed from office at any time by the appointing power, subject to the approval of the confirming body The office of any member of a board of port commissioners becomes vacant when the incumbent thereof dies, resigns, is adjudged insane, convicted of a felony or of an offense involving a violation of his official duty, or is removed from office, or shall have been absent from the municipal port district without the consent of the board of port commissioners for more than sixty (60) consecutive days or ceases to be a qualified elector of the municipal corporation from which he shall have been appointed or elected. Should any person appointed or elected as a member of the board of port commissioners fail to qualify within ten days from the time he is appointed or elected, his office shall be deemed vacant and the vacancy thus created shall be filled in like manner as the original appointment or election to such office.

Any member of the board of port commissioners elected by the appointed members of the board, as provided in section ten of this act, may be removed at any time by the mayor or other chief executive officer of the government of the municipal corporation of which such elected member was a qualified elector, with the approval of the legislative body thereof, in which event the vacancy thus created shall be filled in like manner by election by the other members of the board as the incumbent so removed from office was elected by them Where a vacancy occurs in the office of a member of the board of port commissioners, by removal or otherwise, the person appointed or elected to fill such vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term

SEC 12 Whenever a municipal port district shall have been established under the provisions of this act, any amendment to this act relative to or affecting the constitution of the board of port commissioners of such municipal port district, or the number, qualifications or manner of appointment or election or removal of the members of such board, or the times at which and the terms for which the members thereof are elected or appointed, or relative to or affecting the powers of municipal port districts or the powers of the board of port commissioners thereof, shall not apply to or be effective as to any such municipal port district unless and until such amendment shall have been approved and adopted by a resolution passed by a two-thirds vote of the legislative body of each of the municipal corporations included in such municipal port district.

SEC. 13. Any member of the board of port commissioners of a municipal port district may be removed from office, at any time after the expiration of six months from his appointment, by the qualified electors of the municipal corporation from which he was appointed or elected in the manner hereinafter provided.

The procedure to effect such removal of a member of the board of port commissioners shall be as follows: a petition signed by qualified electors equal in number to at least twenty per cent (20%) of the entire vote cast in the municipal corporation from which the port commissioner sought to be removed was appointed or elected, for all candidates for governor at the last preceding election at which a governor was elected, demanding the removal of such port commissioner, and the submission to the electors thereof the question of whether such port commissioner shall be removed by vote of the electors of such municipal corporation, may be filed with the clerk of such municipal port district as hereinafter provided. Such petition shall contain a general statement of the grounds upon which such removal is sought, of not more than three hundred words in length.

Except as herein otherwise provided, the provisions of section three of this act relating to the form and to the mode of signing petitions for the establishment of municipal port districts and to the verification, examination, certification and supplementing of such petitions shall apply to any petition made or filed under the provisions of this section, such petition shall be designated as a recall petition, and shall be signed by qualified electors only of the municipal corporation from which the commissioner sought to be removed was appointed or elected. If such petition be sufficiently signed, it shall be forthwith presented by the clerk to the board of port commissioners. The sufficiency or insufficiency of any recall petition and the sufficiency of the aforementioned statement required to be contained therein, shall not be subject to review by the board of port commissioners. Upon the presentation of such recall petition to the board of port commissioners, such board shall thereupon, by ordinance, order the holding of a special election in such municipal corporation for the purpose of submitting to the electors thereof the question whether the port commissioner named in the petition shall be removed from office. Such special election shall be held not less than fifty days, nor more than sixty days after the date of the certificate to the sufficiency of such petition, *provided, however*, that if any other election ordered or called by the board of port commissioners for any other purpose and at which the qualified electors of such municipal corporation are entitled to vote is to occur within such sixty days, the board of port commissioners may, in its discretion, order the holding of such recall election and the consolidation thereof with such other election.

Upon the ballots to be used at such recall election, there shall be printed, as to any member of the board of port commissioners whose removal is to be voted upon thereat, the following question: "Shall (inserting the name of the officer) be removed from the office of (inserting the name of the office) of the (stating name of municipal port district)?" and opposite such question to be voted on and to the right thereof, the words "Yes" and "No" shall be printed with voting squares. If an elector shall stamp a cross (×) in the voting square after the word "Yes", his vote shall be counted in favor of the removal of such officer, and if he shall stamp a cross (×) in the voting square after the word "No", his vote shall be counted against such removal. If a majority of the electors voting on such question shall vote in favor of the removal of such officer, he shall be deemed to be removed from office upon the declaration of the result of such election by the board of port commissioners, and his office shall thereupon be and become vacant. Such vacancy shall be filled by the appointing power in the same manner as other vacancies in such office, and any officer so removed shall be ineligible to any office under this act until the expiration of two years after such removal.

Any officer of a municipal port district, other than a member of the board of port commissioners, may be removed from office, at any time after the expiration of six months from his appointment, by the qualified electors of the municipal port district in the manner hereinafter provided. The procedure to effect such removal shall be the same as in the case of the recall of a member of the board of port commissioners, except that the petition for such recall shall be signed by qualified electors of such municipal port district equal in number to at least twenty per ceent of the entire vote cast in all the municipal corporations included therein for all candidates for governor at the last preceding election at which a governor was elected, and shall demand the submission to the electors of the municipal port district of the question of the removal of such officer. The question of such recall shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the municipal port district, and the provisions of this section relating to the recall of members of the board of port commissioners, shall govern the recall of other officers of the municipal port district so far as applicable. Except as this section otherwise provided, recall elections herein provided for shall be called, conducted and held and the result thereof declared as elsewhere in this act provided for other elections in municipal port districts. If a majority of the electors of such municipal port district voting on such question shall vote in favor of the removal of such officer, he shall be deemed to be removed from his office, which shall become vacant and the vacancy filled in the same manner as other vacancies in such office. One petition shall be sufficient to propose the removal of one or more port district commissioners, or one or more of the other officers of a municipal port district as the case may be, and the question of such removal may be submitted at one and the same election.

In the event that any port commissioner or other officer whose removal is sought as in this section provided shall resign at any time after the filing of the petition for his removal, or any vacancy from any other cause occurs in such office at any time prior to two days before such election, such election shall not be held, but the incumbent, if he shall have so resigned after the presentation to the board of port commissioners of such petition, or shall have been removed by any other process of law, shall not be eligible to any office under this act until the expiration of two years from the date of such resignation or removal last mentioned.

If the clerk of a municipal port district is the officer whose removal is sought by the recall as herein provided, all duties required by this section or this act to be performed by the clerk of the municipal port district relating to the recall proceedings shall be performed by any other officer of the municipal port district designated by the board of port commissioners for that purpose.

SEC. 14. Any municipal port district created in accordance with the provisions of this act is hereby declared to be a public corporation created for municipal purposes, and as such shall have power

First—To have perpetual succession

Second—To sue and be sued in the name of the municipal port district in all actions and proceedings in all courts and tribunals of competent jurisdiction

Third—To adopt a seal and alter it at pleasure

Fourth—To take by grant, purchase, gift, devise or lease, or otherwise, acquire and to hold and enjoy, and to lease or dispose of real and personal property of every kind within the harbor district necessary to the full or convenient exercise of its powers, subject to the conditions, limitations, reservations and restrictions contained in this act or otherwise imposed by law.

Fifth—To improve, maintain and control the water front and harbor or harbors, tide lands, submerged lands and other lands within the harbor district, to acquire by purchase, lease, condemnation, or otherwise, or to construct and to maintain, deepen, widen, straighten, cover, wall, or alter, waterways, tidal basins, channels, slips and canals in such district; to acquire, construct or provide by purchase, lease, condemnation, or otherwise, and to own, maintain, equip, and operate elevators, cold storage plants, terminal ice plants, storage tanks, loading stations, storehouses, warehouses, bunkers, wharves, docks, dry docks, boat landings, piers, marine ways, breakwaters, levees, jetties, sea walls, moles, bridges, railroad and water transfer and terminal facilities, harbor terminal or belt-line railroads and appurtenances, railroad terminals and yards, and all other appliances necessary or convenient for facilitating or accommodating commerce, freight and passenger traffic, navigation or fishery within the harbor district, and generally to acquire or contract to acquire lands, rights of way, easements, privileges and property of every kind, and to construct, maintain and operate any and all utilities, works or improvements within such harbor district necessary or convenient to carry out any of the objects or purposes of this act, and to complete, extend, add to, repair, or otherwise improve any utilities, works or improvements acquired or operated by it as herein authorized. Also to acquire, construct, own and maintain ferries, steamships, vessels, barges and other water craft, and to operate the same, within or without the harbor district.

Sixth—To have and exercise the right of eminent domain in the manner provided by law for the condemnation of private property for public use. To take any property necessary to carry out any of the objects or purposes of this act, or to the exercise of the powers herein granted, whether such property be already devoted to the same use, or otherwise. In proceedings relative to the exercise of such right of eminent domain a municipal port district shall have the same rights, powers and privileges as a municipal corporation under the laws of the State of California.

Seventh—To incur indebtedness and to issue bonds or other evidence of such indebtedness, for the purposes and subject to the limitations hereinafter provided.

Eighth—To levy and collect or cause to be levied and collected taxes for the purpose of carrying out the powers and paying the obligations of the municipal port district in the manner hereinafter provided.

Ninth—To make contracts, to employ labor and to do all acts necessary and convenient for the full exercise of the powers vested in such municipal port district or any of the officers thereof by this act.

Tenth—To grant leases of tide or submerged lands in the harbor district, whether filled or unfilled, for any and all purposes which shall not interfere with commerce, navigation or fishery, and are not inconsistent with the trusts upon which such lands are held by or may have been granted to any municipal corporation in such municipal port district by the State of California, all such leases shall be subject to the conditions, restrictions and limitations hereinafter provided.

Eleventh—To grant franchises and permits in the harbor district to use the waters or water frontage thereof for purposes in connection with or for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation or fishery, or for the use of or over, upon or along tide or submerged lands, whether filled or unfilled, or over, upon or along other lands in such harbor district, subject to the conditions, restrictions and limitations hereinafter provided.

Twelfth—To lay out, open, widen, extend, straighten or improve public streets, highways, alleys, passageways or other public places or rights of way in the harbor

district for the purpose of providing public access to the water front, or to improvements or utilities thereon, or elsewhere in the harbor district, or for the convenient use or operation of any property or utility owned, operated or controlled by the municipal port district within the harbor district and to acquire the property necessary or convenient for such purposes by condemnation or otherwise; *provided, however*, that the powers mentioned in this subsection shall not impair or otherwise affect the exercise of like powers in the harbor district by municipal corporations in the port district.

SEC. 15. Each port commissioner shall, before entering upon the discharge of the duties of his office, take and subscribe to an oath or affirmation before any officer authorized by law to administer oaths or affirmations, that he will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of California, and will faithfully discharge the duties of his office according to the best of his ability. Such oath or affirmation shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the municipal port district.

The board of port commissioners shall choose from its members a president and a vice president and shall provide for the time and place of holding its meetings and the manner in which special meetings may be called and held. All sessions of the board, whether regular or special, shall be open to the public, and a majority of the board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The board shall establish rules for the conduct of its proceedings.

SEC. 16. The powers of a municipal port district established under the provisions of this act, except as herein otherwise expressly provided, shall be exercised by the board of port commissioners. The other officers of a municipal port district shall be: (1) A clerk, who shall be ex officio secretary of the board of port commissioners; (2) an auditor; (3) a treasurer; (4) a general manager; (5) a chief engineer, and (6) an attorney, each of whom, except the chief engineer shall be appointed by the board of port commissioners. The chief engineer shall be appointed by the general manager, subject to approval by the board of port commissioners. Such officers shall receive such salary as shall be fixed by the board of port commissioners by ordinance, and except the chief engineer, shall hold office during the pleasure of the board. Such officers, or any of them, shall give such bond as shall be prescribed by the board of port commissioners, and they shall perform such duties, in addition to those prescribed by this act, as may be required of them by the board of port commissioners; *provided, however*, that the board of port commissioners shall have power, at its discretion, to combine the offices of the clerk and treasurer, in which event the clerk shall be and shall perform the duties of treasurer. The premium on all bonds of officers or employees shall be paid by the municipal port district.

SEC. 17. The board of port commissioners shall maintain an office and prescribe office hours for the convenience of the public. The board shall hold a regular stated meeting once each week, and all regular and special meetings shall be open to the public. An attendance fee of twenty-five dollars for each meeting attended, not exceeding one hundred dollars in any calendar month to any member, shall be paid in full compensation to each member of said board.

SEC. 18. The board of port commissioners shall have control, supervision and management of the navigable waters of any harbor, whether natural or artificial, and of any bay, inlet, indentation, estuary, or other arm of the sea, and of all tidelands and submerged, whether filled or unfilled, and other lands situated within the boundaries of the harbor district of the municipal port district as described in the ordinance of intention provided for in section two of this act or described in the petition mentioned in sections two or three of this act, and the provisions of this act shall be deemed to and shall apply and appertain to such water front and navigable waters, and to such tide and submerged lands, and other lands as are or may thereafter be included in the harbor district; *provided, however*, that whenever the board of port commissioners shall find and determine that the needs of commerce, navigation or fishery, or the carrying out of the purposes of this act, require that other lands, in addition to those included in such harbor district and by this act placed under the control, supervision and management of the board of port commissioners, be acquired, such other lands, whether acquired by purchase, condemnation or otherwise, shall be added to and become a part of the harbor district. Whenever the board of port commissioners shall find and determine that any lands included in the harbor district are no longer required for any of the purposes of this act, it shall have power by ordinance to exclude such lands from the harbor district.

SEC. 19. The board of port commissioners shall have power and it shall be its duty:

(1) To make and enforce all necessary rules and regulations governing the use and control of all navigable waters and all tide lands and submerged lands, filled or unfilled, and other lands within the harbor district, and may prescribe and enforce penalties for the violation of such rules and regulations;

(2) To regulate and control the anchoring, mooring, towing, and docking of all vessels and water craft;

(3) To establish and maintain a system of harbor police in the harbor for the enforcement of the ordinances, rules and regulations of the port district, and to employ the necessary officers therefor, who shall as to such matters have all the powers of police officers in such district;

(4) To regulate and control in the harbor district the construction, maintenance, operation or use of any railroad, wharf, warehouse, or other utility, structure, improvement or appliance used in connection with, or for the accommodation and promotion of commerce, navigation or fishery in the harbor district,

(5) To regulate and control all dredging or excavating in the harbor district;

(6) To fix, regulate and collect in the harbor district, rates or charges for the use of all wharves, warehouses, water craft, railroads, and other facilities, utilities, structures and appliances, owned, controlled or operated by the municipal port district in connection with, or for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation and fishery, and the rates or charges for pilotage and towage;

(7) To regulate and control all public service and public utilities operated in connection with, or for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation, or fishery in the harbor district; to fix the proper license fees to be paid to the port district by any person, firm or corporation operating any such public service or utility, and to fix and regulate the rates or tolls to be charged or collected for services furnished by any such public service or utility, subject to the constitution of the State of California and in so far as not inconsistent therewith The board shall have the right, at all reasonable times, to have access to, and, in person, or by its duly authorized representative, to examine the books, papers, maps and records showing the affairs, transactions, property and financial condition of such persons, firms or corporations, and to require reports respecting said matters from such persons, firms or corporations at such times and in such form as the board may prescribe The amount of the license fees to be paid to the municipal port district by any such person, firm or corporation operating any such public service or utility, and the rates or tolls to be charged and collected for services furnished or supplied by such public service or utility shall be fixed by the board by ordinance.

(8) To lay out and establish a general plan and system of harbor and harbor district improvements, and from time to time to change or modify such plan and system and to prescribe the specifications for such improvements: *provided, however*, that a four-fifths vote of the board shall be required to establish such plan and system, and such specifications, or to change or modify the same.

(9) To acquire, erect, maintain or operate in the harbor district, all such improvements, utilities appliances or facilities as it may deem necessary or convenient for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation and fishery, or for use in connection therewith, upon the lands and waters under the control and management of said board, and to acquire, maintain and operate water craft of all kinds, within or without such harbor district

(10) The powers conferred in this section upon the board of port commissioners relating to the making and enforcement of rules and regulations of general application, and to the fixing, regulating and collecting of rates, tolls and charges to be collected by the municipal port district, shall be exercised by ordinance of the board adopted by a majority of its members, *provided, however*, that in cases of emergency the board shall have power to suspend, modify or amend any such rule or regulation, or to place in effect any emergency rule or regulation, for periods not exceeding thirty days, and every such ordinance shall so provide. Every such ordinance shall prescribe penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and any person, firm or corporation who shall violate the provisions of any such ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months in the county jail of the county in which such district is situated, or by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by both such fine and imprisonment, as may be prescribed in such ordinance

(11) To make all needful rules and regulations for constructing, carrying out and maintaining all utilities, works and improvements which the municipal port district is authorized to acquire, construct, maintain or operate in the harbor district; to provide for the appointment and employment of all superintendents, engineers, clerks, laborers and other employees required to attend thereto and to carry on the affairs and business of the district, and to fix and provide for the compensation of such persons

(12) To fix and determine the location of facilities and manufacturing plants in the harbor district pertaining to the fishing industry and to the manufacture of sea foods or products, *provided, however*, that the location of any such facility or plant shall not be fixed or thereafter changed unless the members of the board of port commissioners from the municipal corporation in which such location is fixed or changed shall vote in favor thereof

SEC. 20 The president of the board of port commissioners, or the vice president in his absence, shall preside at all meetings of the board and sign all contracts on behalf of the municipal port district, and shall perform such other duties as the board may prescribe The clerk of the municipal port district, who shall be ex officio secretary of the board, shall keep a record of its proceedings and may certify such proceedings under his hand, to be authenticated by the seal of the district provided by the board. The clerk shall perform such other duties as the board may

prescribe. The clerk of the municipal port district shall countersign all contracts on behalf of the district and perform such other duties as may be imposed upon him by the board of port commissioners or by the provisions of this act. He shall give his entire time during office hours to the performance of the duties of his office, and shall be the custodian of the seal of the municipal port district.

SEC. 21. The general manager shall be the chief administrative officer of the municipal port district and subject to the provisions of this act and the rules and regulations prescribed by the board of port commissioners, shall have the power and duty

(1) To administer the affairs of the municipal port district as its chief administrative officer thereof;

(2) To appoint, discharge, suspend or transfer the employees of the municipal port district, other than the clerk, attorney, auditor and treasurer of such district and the assistants, clerks and other employees in their several offices, to issue instructions to said employees, other than the clerk, attorney, auditor and treasurer and the assistants, clerks and other employees in their several offices, in the line of their duties, all subject to the civil service rules and regulations prescribed by the board of port commissioners under the provisions of this act,

(3) To expend the funds of the municipal port district, except as in this act otherwise provided, in accordance with the provisions of the budget appropriations made by the board of port commissioners, or of appropriations made subsequent to the budget,

(4) To recommend to the board of port commissioners prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, an annual port district budget covering the anticipated revenues and expenditures of the district, conforming so far as practicable to the forms and data provided in this act in relation to such port district budget,

(5) To certify all expenditures of the port district to the auditor;

(6) To enforce all orders, rules and regulations adopted by the board relating to the regulation, operation or control of the harbor district and to the affairs of the port district;

(7) To supervise and manage all construction and maintenance work authorized or ordered by the board of port commissioners;

(8) To designate and assign berths or landings for the use of vessels at any wharf or like facility controlled or operated by the municipal port district, at the duly established rates or charges for the use of such wharves and like facilities, and subject to the rules and regulations governing the same. Every such berthing assignment shall reserve to the municipal port district the right to use such wharf or other facility for general wharf or other purposes when such space is not required for the use of the grantee or holder,

(9) To designate and assign space in any warehouse, elevator, or like facility operated by the municipal port district at the duly established rates or charges for the use of such facilities, and subject to the rules and regulations governing the same,

(10) Every such assignment of a berth or of space in any warehouse, elevator or like facility operated by the municipal port district shall be revocable by the general manager, without compensation to the grantee or holder thereof, upon due notice to be stated therein such notice in no case to be less than six months;

(11) Whenever it shall be determined by the board, by order, that certain parts of the tide or submerged lands therein described in the harbor district may not be required at such time for use for purposes in connection with, or for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation or fishery, the general manager shall have power, subject to approval of the board, to grant revocable permits to use limited portions of such tide or submerged lands for any and all purposes which shall not interfere with commerce or navigation, and are not inconsistent with the trusts upon which said lands are held by any city in the municipal port district. Every such revocable permit shall prescribe that it shall be revocable without compensation to the grantee or holder thereof, upon due notice to be stated therein such notice in no case to exceed one year;

(12) Every such assignment or revocable permit shall be issued on printed forms, which shall set forth the terms and conditions thereof,

(13) To exercise such further powers in the administration of the district as may be conferred upon him by the board of port commissioners,

(14) The general manager at least once a month shall file with the board a written report of the work of the port district.

SEC. 22. The auditor of the municipal port district shall install and maintain a system of auditing and accounting which shall at all times show the financial condition of the district. He shall draw and pay demands against the district when such demands have been first approved by a majority of the board of port commissioners present at the meeting of the board at which such demands have been acted upon, and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by this act or by the board of port commissioners.

SEC. 23. The treasurer of the municipal port district shall be the custodian of all money deposited in the treasury of the district. Such money shall be paid out

only upon the presentation of warrants, duly audited as elsewhere in this act provided, and without such warrants he shall pay out no money except the principal and interest of bonds, payable by the municipal port district, when due. He shall install a complete system of accounting, which shall at all times show the balance in the several *funds of the municipal port district*. He shall be the *custodian* of all unsold bonds of the municipal port district, and in the event of the sale of any bonds of the municipal port district, he shall deliver the same, and receive from the purchaser the amount due from such sale, and credit the same to the proper fund or account, in the same manner as other deposits in the treasury, and report the same to the board. The treasurer shall at the end of each fiscal year make and file with the board a detailed statement of the receipts, disbursements and balances of the treasury of the municipal port district, showing the business thereof. He may, in the discretion of the board, deposit the money under his supervision and control in such institutions and upon such terms as the laws of the state may permit, and the evidence of such deposits shall be considered as cash in the treasury of the municipal port district.

The treasurer shall perform such other and further duties as may be required of him by the board of port commissioners. He shall give a separate bond for the performance of the duties of his office by himself and those employees in his office who assist therein. The premium on such bond shall be paid by the municipal port district, and the amount of such bond shall be fixed by the board of port commissioners from time to time.

Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this act, the board of port commissioners may, whenever the same is permitted or authorized by law, the charter of any municipal corporation included in a municipal port district, appoint the city treasurer thereof as treasurer of such district, in which event the office of treasurer of the municipal port district shall be dispensed with, and such city treasurer shall perform the duties and have the powers provided by this act for the treasurer of such district, and with the same force and effect.

SEC. 24. The chief engineer shall be a civil engineer of not less than five years professional experience in engineering work having to do with ports and terminals. He shall perform such civil engineering and surveying necessary in the prosecution of public work done under the direction or supervision of the board of port commissioners as the said board may require. He shall make such surveys, inspections, and estimates, prepare such maps, plans, diagrams, profiles and specifications, and perform such other surveying and engineering work as may be required by said board. He shall devote his entire time to the duties of his office, and shall receive no compensation in addition to his salary.

The chief engineer shall be the custodian of and be responsible for all maps, diagrams, plans and profiles and other records and memoranda belonging to the port district and pertaining to his office and to the work thereof, all of which he shall keep in proper order and condition, with full indices thereof. All maps, diagrams, profiles, plans, field notes, estimates and other memoranda of survey and other professional work made or done by the chief engineer or under his direction or control, shall at all times be and remain the property of the municipal port district.

SEC. 25. The attorney for the municipal port district must be qualified to practice in all the courts of this state, and he must have been so qualified for at least five years next preceding his appointment. The attorney must prosecute and defend for the municipal port district all actions at law or in equity, and special proceedings, for or against the district, or in which it may be legally interested, or for or against any officer of the district in any action or proceeding involving his acts in the performance of official duty, when directed so to do by the board of port commissioners. Whenever any cause of action at law or in equity or by special proceeding exists in favor of the port district, the attorney shall commence the same when within his knowledge, or when directed so to do by the board. He shall attend all meetings of the board and give his advice or opinion in writing to the board or to any officer when requested so to do by such officer or board, *provided*, that the board shall have control of all litigation of the municipal port district. The attorney shall approve, by written endorsement, the form of all official bonds required under the provisions of this act, and the draft of all contracts before the same are entered into by or on behalf of the municipal port district.

SEC. 26. The board of port commissioners shall act only by ordinance, order or resolution, and all legislative action shall be by ordinance. The ayes and noes shall be taken upon the passage of all ordinance orders or resolutions and entered at length upon the minutes of the proceedings of the board. No ordinance, order or resolution shall be passed or become effective without the affirmative vote of at least a majority of the members of the entire board. The enacting clause of all ordinances passed by the board of port commissioners shall be in substantially the following form: "The board of port commissioners of the_____(stating name) municipal port district do ordain as follows." All ordinances and resolutions shall be signed by the president of the board of port commissioners and attested by the clerk. All orders and resolutions shall be entered in the minutes. All ordinances passed by the board of port commissioners shall be published with the names of the members voting for and against the same at least once in some daily newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the district, or at least twice in

some weekly newspaper of general circulation similarly printed and published in case there is no such daily newspaper printed and published in the district. If no such newspaper, either daily or weekly, is so published, such ordinance shall be posted in a conspicuous place in or near the office of the board

SEC. 27. No ordinance passed by the board of port commissioners, except an ordinance ordering or otherwise relating to an election, or to the adoption of the annual budget, or to the levy or collection of the annual municipal port district taxes, or respecting the bringing or conduct of suits or actions, or respecting the condemnation of lands or other property for public purposes of the municipal port district, or an ordinance required for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety, which shall contain a specific statement showing its urgency, and is passed by a four-fifths vote of the board, shall go into effect until the expiration of thirty days from its publication. All ordinances of the classes excepted by this section shall take effect upon their publication. No grant or any franchise, lease, right or privilege, except a revocable permit, shall ever be construed to be an urgency measure, but all grants or franchises, leases, rights or privileges, except revocable permits, shall be made by ordinance of the board, which shall be subject to the referendum as hereinafter provided

The procedure for such referendum shall be as hereinafter provided. At any time within the thirty days mentioned in this section, a petition, addressed to the board of port commissioners, and signed by qualified electors of the municipal port district equal in number to at least ten per cent of the entire vote cast in all the municipal corporations in the said district for all candidates for governor at the last preceding election at which a governor was elected, may be filed with the clerk of said district, demanding the submission of any ordinance of the board of port commissioners to a vote of the qualified electors thereof, except any ordinance which takes effect upon its publication as provided in this section. Any such petition shall be known as the referendum petition, and shall contain a full and complete copy of the ordinance, the submission of which to a vote is thereby demanded. Such vote shall be known as a referendum vote. The provisions of section three of this act relating to the form and to the mode of signing petitions for the establishment of municipal port districts and to the verification, examination, certification, supplementing and presentation of such petitions shall apply to any petition made or filed under the provisions of this section, and if sufficiently signed shall upon certification be forthwith presented by the clerk to the board of port commissioners.

If any petition for the referendum of any such ordinance be filed as herein provided, and the clerk shall be unable to make his certificate to the sufficiency or insufficiency thereof within thirty days after the publication of such ordinance, such ordinance shall be suspended from taking effect after the expiration of said thirty days and until the date of the certificate of the clerk to the sufficiency or insufficiency of such petition. If by the certificate of the clerk such petition is certified to be sufficient, such ordinance shall not go into effect until it shall be adopted by vote of the electors of the municipal port district as hereinafter provided, but if by such certificate, such petition is certified to be insufficient, such ordinance shall go into effect upon the date of such certificate: *provided, however*, that such ordinance shall not go into effect until the expiration of said thirty days, and no supplemental petition to a referendum petition shall be filed after the expiration of said thirty days

Upon the presentation to the board of port commissioners of a referendum petition, the ordinance mentioned therein must either be repealed by the said board without delay, or be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the municipal port district for approval or rejection at a special election to be called for that purpose, or at a special election consolidated with any other election of the municipal port district, or in any municipal corporation therein, in accordance with the provisions of this act, occurring within six months after the presentaton of such referendum petition to the board of port commissioners

No ordinance that has been submitted to a referendum vote shall go into effect unless a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon shall vote in favor thereof; and if such ordinance shall receive the votes of a majority of such electors voting thereon, it shall be deemed to be adopted, and shall take effect upon the declaration of the result of the election at which it was submitted, and if such ordinance shall not receive a majority of such votes it shall be deemed to be not adopted: *provided, however*, that any ordinance so adopted shall be subject to amendment or repeal by the board of port commissioners, but such amendment or repeal shall not be made within six months after such adoption, and such amendment or repeal shall itself be subject to the referendum as provided in this section.

Upon the ballot to be used at any election at which any ordinance is submitted under the referendum there shall be printed the words "Shall the ordinance (stating the title and nature of the ordinance and the date of its passage) be adopted?" And opposite such proposition to be voted on and to the right thereof, the words "Yes" and "No" shall be printed on separate lines, with voting squares. If an elector shall stamp a cross (X) after the printed word "Yes" his vote shall be counted in favor of the adoption of the ordinance, and if he shall stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "No", his vote shall be counted against the adoption of the same.

Any election called or held under the provisions of this section, shall be so called and held, and the result thereof declared in the same manner as elsewhere in this act provided for municipal port district elections, except in the particulars otherwise specified in this section.

Whenever any ordinance is required to be submitted to the electors of any municipal port district under the provisions of this section, the clerk shall cause the same to be printed, and he shall enclose a copy thereof in an envelope with a sample ballot, and mail the same to each voter. Any person or persons filing a referendum petition, or the person or organization on whose behalf such petition is filed, shall have the right to file with the clerk of the municipal port district, at least twenty days prior to the election at which the ordinance is to be submitted to a vote of the electors of the district, printed copies of an argument against the adoption of such ordinance, and the board of port commissioners shall have the right to present or permit to be presented to and filed with the clerk within the same limit of time, printed copies of an argument in favor of the adoption of such ordinance. No such argument shall exceed fifteen hundred words in length and such argument shall be printed in such form and upon such character of paper suitable for mailing, as the clerk shall prescribe. The clerk shall enclose one copy of each such argument with the sample ballot and a copy of the ordinance mailed to each voter, provided he has been furnished printed copies of such argument equal in number to five per cent in excess of the total number of qualified voters of the municipal port district.

SEC. 28. The board of port commissioners shall, in the month of August of each year, or as soon thereafter as possible, make a complete report of the affairs and financial condition of the municipal port district for the preceding fiscal year, which shall show the sources of all receipts and the purposes of all disbursements during such year. Said report shall be verified by the president of the board and clerk of the municipal port district, and the board shall cause at least two thousand copies thereof to be printed for public distribution.

SEC. 29. The fiscal year of any municipal port district shall begin on the first day of July of each year and shall end on the thirtieth day of June of the following year.

SEC. 30. The consent of the State of California is hereby given to the surrender and transfer, by any municipal corporation included in any municipal port district to which the right, title and interest of the State of California in and to the tidelands and submerged lands, whether filled or unfilled, salt marsh and overflowed lands of any harbor or other waters within the boundaries of such municipal corporation have been granted by the State of California, to such municipal port district of the possession and control of such lands and of the management, conduct and operation of any such harbor and other waters, together with the right and power to use, administer and improve such lands, harbor or other waters for the purposes specified in such grant, and subject to the trusts, conditions and reservations therein declared and made; and the joining of any such municipal corporation in the establishment of any such municipal port district and the establishment thereof, in accordance with the provisions of this act, shall be deemed to be and shall operate as a valid surrender and transfer by such municipal corporation to such municipal port district of the possession and control of such tidelands, submerged lands, salt marsh and overflowed lands, and of the right and power to use, administer and improve the same for the above mentioned purposes, and of the management, conduct and operation of such harbor or other waters subject to the aforesaid trusts, conditions and reservations. Such municipal port district shall, upon its establishment in accordance with the provisions of this act, be and become the successor of any municipal corporation included therein, with respect to the matters enumerated in this section; *provided, however*, that as to any such municipal corporation which is governed under a freeholders charter, such surrender and transfer shall not become operative or effective unless or until the same shall be authorized in the manner provided by the charter thereof; *and provided further*, that the title to such lands so granted to any municipal corporation which shall be included in a municipal port district shall not be affected or impaired by anything contained in this act, and the same shall continue vested therein until such municipal corporation shall, by a vote of a majority of its electors voting upon the question at an election at which the same shall be submitted, or by the adoption of charter provisions, transfer and grant such title to such municipal port district, subject to such reservation for reversion thereof to such municipal corporation as shall be made therein or thereby in the event that such municipal port district by the operation of law or otherwise shall be dissolved thereafter.

SEC. 31. Whenever a municipal port district shall be established under the provisions of this act, such municipal port district shall be deemed and taken to be the successor of each of the municipal corporations included therein as to all powers theretofore vested in each such municipal corporation or the officers thereof, which are by the provisions of this act granted to municipal port districts or exercisable by the officers thereof, and as to such powers, the government of each such municipal corporation shall be deemed to be merged into such municipal port district, and the title to and possession of any property other than tidelands, or submerged lands,

whether filled or unfilled, salt marsh or overflowed lands, including any and all works, structures, appliances, equipment and improvements of the character or classes enumerated in section thirty-three of this act, owned or held by each of such municipal corporations, or in trust therefor, or by any officer or board thereof, in trust or otherwise, for any public use within the terms and contemplation of this act, shall, upon the completion of the establishment of such municipal port district, ipso *facto be vested in such municipal port district. Upon the completion of such establishment*, all persons then occupying or possessing the several offices of or under the government of each of such municipal corporations, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, whose powers and duties, by the terms of this act are within the powers of such municipal port district or any officer thereof, shall immediately quit and surrender the occupancy or possession of such offices, which shall thereupon cease and terminate and they shall severally forthwith deliver all moneys, funds, books, papers, archives and records in their custody, and all other property of such municipal corporations respectively in their hands or under their control of the character mentioned or described in this act, and relating to harbor improvements or affairs, to the proper officers of such municipal port district: *provided, however*, that as to any such municipal corporation which is governed under a freeholders charter, the provisions of this section shall not apply unless or until the same shall be authorized by the charter thereof, and in such manner as shall therein be provided.

SEC. 31*a*. The powers of a municipal port district to grant franchises, permits and leases for the use of waters, water frontage, tidelands or submerged and other lands, situated within the limits of any municipal corporation in any port district shall at all times be exercisable by the board of port commissioners in compliance with and subject to the provisions of any freeholders charter of any such municipal corporation which may,

(1) Reserve and withhold any water frontage, tidelands and submerged lands, whether filled or unfilled for use for purposes in connection with or for the promotion of commerce, navigation or fishery:

(2) Prohibit the grant, sale, conveyance, alienation, transfer or other disposition, except as may be provided in such charter, of any part of or any interest in the water front, tidelands, submerged lands, or appurtenances thereunto belonging, owned possessed or held by any such municipal corporation;

(3) Reserve any part of the water frontage of any harbor in such municipal corporation, together with the co-terminus and adjacent tidelands and submerged lands for public use;

SEC. 32. All franchises, permits and leases shall be granted by the board of port commissioners subject to such terms and conditions and to such rental or compensation as may be prescribed therein, and to the limitations, conditions and restrictions and reservations in this act contained. Every grant for a definite period of time shall be made by ordinance, any ordinance making any such grant shall be published in the same manner as other ordinances and shall, before the same becomes effective, be subject to the referendum provisions of this act. Each such grant shall provide for a readjustment of the rental or compensation every ten (10) years during the term thereby created upon such procedure as shall be specified in such grant.

No grant shall ever be made to any one person, firm or corporation to use any such water frontage whatever in excess of three thousand feet, linear measurement, measured along United States harbor lines, *provided, however*, that more than three thousand feet of such water frontage, but not exceeding five thousand feet thereof, may be so granted whenever authorized by a majority of the qualified voters of the municipal port district voting upon the question of authorizing any such grant at an election.

Every such grant shall be made only upon the conditions, whether expressed therein or not, that the construction of the works, structures or improvements, provided for therein, shall, if the same be not already constructed or made, be commenced within ninety days of the date of such grant, and be prosecuted diligently to completion upon such further terms and conditions as may be prescribed therein.

Every such grant shall provide that in case the same, or any improvement made thereunder, or any part thereof, shall be assigned, transferred or subleased, and the control thereof be given or granted to any person, firm or corporation, so that such person, firm or corporation shall then own, hold or control under any such grant from the municipal port district or other public authority more than the length of water frontage permitted or authorized under this act, then such grant, and all rights thereunder, shall thereupon and thereby be absolutely terminated. No assignment, transfer, sublease, gift or grant of control shall be valid for any purpose unless first approved by the board of port commissioners.

Every such grant shall be subject to such rights of way over the lands embraced therein for such sewers, pipe lines, conduits, and for such telephone, telegraph, light, heat or power lines as may from time to time be determined by the board of port commissioners, and the same shall be subject to such rights of way for such streets and other highways and for such railroads and other means of transportation as shall have been duly established or as shall be reserved in such grant. No such grant shall ever be made that shall provide for any use of the property or for

the construction or placing of any structure, building or other improvement thereon that shall interfere with any plan approved or adopted by the board of port commissioners for harbor improvements, or for the development of facilities for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation or fishery, or for providing railroad or other terminal facilities

Every such grant shall prescribe that upon the expiration thereof, all wharves, piers, docks, slips, bulkheads, sea walls and channels, constructed or maintained thereunder, shall be and become the property of the municipal port district or any successor thereof without compensation therefor to the grantee or holder thereof, and to the other permanent structures or improvements constructed or maintained thereunder, shall prescribe whether the same shall become of the property of the municipal port district or successor thereof without compensation or upon compensation to be paid to such grantee or holder, or shall be removed by such grantee or holder at his own expense.

The board of port commissioners shall have power to declare a forfeiture of any such grant upon the neglect, failure or refusal by the grantee thereof to comply with any of the terms or conditions thereof. Upon any such forfeiture, any and all buildings, structures and improvements of whatsoever character, erected, installed, or made, under, through, or because of, or pursuant to the terms thereof, shall immediately ipso facto become the property of the municipal port district and every such grant shall so provide.

SEC. 33. All moneys received or collected from or arising out of the use or operation of any harbor or port improvement, work, appliance, facility or utility, or water craft, owned, controlled or operated by any municipal port district in or upon or pertaining to the water front or navigable waters of said district; all tolls, charges and rentals collected by the board of port commissioners, and all compensations or fees required to be paid for franchises or licenses, or otherwise by law or ordinance or order, to the port district for the operation of any public service utility upon lands and waters under the control and management of the board, shall be deposited in the treasury of the district to the credit of a fund to be known as the port district revenue fund. None of the money in or belonging to the said fund shall be appropriated or used for any purpose except the following:

(1) For the necessary expenses of conducting the municipal port district, including the operation and maintenance of all harbor or port improvements, works, utilities, appliances, facilities and water craft, owned, controlled or operated by the district for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation and fishery, or used in connection therewith.

(2) For advertising the commercial and other advantages and facilities of any harbor in the municipal port district, and for encouraging and promoting commerce, navigation and transportation in and through such harbor: *provided, however*, that the expenditure for such purpose shall not exceed in any fiscal year the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars.

(3) For the acquisition, construction, completion and maintenance of harbor and port improvements, works, utilities, appliances, facilities, and water craft, for the promotion and accommodation of commerce navigation and fishery, or uses in connection therewith; and for extraordinary improvements and betterments to lands and property under the control, supervision and management of the port district, including the purchase or condemnation of necessary lands and other property and property rights

(4) For the payment of the principal, or interest, or both, of municipal port district bonds authorized, issued and sold under the provisions of this act.

(5) For the payment of the principal or interest, or both, of the bonds of any municipal corporation in the municipal port district for harbor improvements, authorized or outstanding prior to the establishment of such district, or thereafter issued and sold by any such municipal corporation for harbor improvements as contemplated by the provisions of this act

SEC. 34 The board of port commissioners shall have power to order and contract for the expenditure of all money derived from the sale of municipal port district improvement bonds and all money in the port district revenue fund or other funds of such district. Whenever the board shall have approved and authorized any service, work or improvement, and shall have appropriated the necessary money therefor, it shall have power to advertise for proposals and to let any necessary contract in connection with such service work or improvement, *provided, however*, that when authorized by the board, the general manager shall have power to advertise for proposals and let any such contract involving an expenditure of one thousand dollars and less and execute the same in behalf of the port district

In cases of emergency where the circumstances of the case render it impossible to secure bids for the furnishing of labor or materials without undue delay or loss to the district, the board or the general manager, with the approval of the board, may let such contract without advertising for bids.

SEC. 35. Any municipal port district established under the provisions of this act may incur indebtedness to pay the cost of any work or improvement hereinafter mentioned and which such district is hereby authorized to do or make, the cost of which will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of the municipal port district. Whenever the board of port commissioners shall, by resolution passed by the vote of not less than four of its members, determine that

the public interest or necessity demands the acquisition, construction or completion of any municipal port district work or improvement, in the harbor district, including sea walls, jetties, piers, wharves, moles, docks, dry docks, boat landings, warehouses, storehouses, elevators, cold storage plants, terminal ice plants, bunkers, storage tanks and loading stations, ferries, steamships, vessels or other water craft, canals, tidal basins, bridges, subways, tramways, conveyors, compressors, appliances for the handling, storing and distribution of freight and handling of passenger traffic, railroad and water transfer and terminal facilities, harbor belt line or terminal railroads, railroad terminals or yards, or other poperty, works or utilities necessary or convenient to carry out the object, purposes and powers of the municipal port district, the cost of which will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of the port district, the board of port commissioners may, at any subsequent meeting thereof, by a vote of four of its members, order the submission of the proposition of incurring a bonded debt for the purpose set forth in such resolution to the qualified voters of said municipal port district at an election called and held therein for that purpose; *provided*, that the proposition of incurring indebtedness for more than one object or purpose may be submitted at the same election. The ordinance calling such election shall recite the objects and purposes for which the indebtedness is proposed to be incurred, and the municipal corporation in which the work or improvement or any part thereof is to be performed, located or constructed, the estimated cost of the proposed public improvements, the amount of the principal indebtedness to be incurred therefor and the rate of interest to be paid on said indebtedness, and shall fix the date on which such election shall be held; *provided, however*, that the maximum rate of interest to be paid on such indebtedness shall not exceed six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually. Such ordinance shall prescribe the manner of voting for or against incurring such indebtedness, and in all particulars not recited in such ordinance, such election shall be held as provided by this act for holding elections in such municipal port district.

SEC 36 The ordinance calling the election referred to in section thirty-five of this act shall be published once a day for at least seven days in some newspaper published at least six days a week in each municipal corporation in such municipal port district, or once a week for two weeks in some newspaper published less than six days a week in each municipal corporation in such port district, and one insertion each week for two succeeding weeks shall be sufficient publication in such newspapers published less than six days per week. In municipal corporations where no such newspaper is published such ordinance shall be posted in three public places therein for two succeeding weeks No other notice of such election need be given It shall require the votes of two-thirds of all the voters voting on the proposition of incurring such indebtedness at such election in such port district to authorize the issuance of the bonds therein provided; however, should the proposition so submitted at such election fail to receive the requisite number of votes of the qualified voters voting on the proposition of incurring such indebtedness at such election to incur indebtedness for the purpose specified, the board of port commissioners shall have no power or authority, within six months after such election, to call or order another election for incurring any indebtedness for improvements substantially the same as voted upon at such prior election, unless a petition signed by fifteen per centum of the qualified electors of each municipal corporation included in the municipal port district, computed upon the total number of votes cast therein for all candidates for governor at the last preceding election at which a governor was elected, be filed with the board of port commissioners, requesting that such proposition or a proposition substantially the same be submitted at an election to be called for the submission of such proposition and to be held in accordance with the provisions of this act.

SEC 37 No municipal port district shall incur, nor shall there be outstanding at any time any bonded indebtedness of any such district for public improvements which shall in the aggregate exceed three per cent of the assessed value of all the real and personal property included in such port district.

SEC. 38. All municipal port district bonds issued under the provisions of this act shall be payable substantially in the following manner; a part, to be determined by the board of port commissioners, which shall not be less than one-fortieth part of the whole amount of such indebtedness, shall be paid each and every year on a day and date and at a place or places to be fixed by such board of the municipal port district issuing the bonds and designated in such bonds, together with the interest on all sums unpaid at such date; *provided, however*, that in case of bonds issued for the acquisition, construction, or completion of any revenue producing works, plant, utility, or property, the acquisition, construction or completion of which is authorized by the provisions of this act, the board of port commissioners may, in its discretion, determine and fix a date for the earliest maturity of the principal of such bonds, not more than ten years from the date of issuance of such bonds, but in such event the whole amount of such indebtedness shall be made payable in equal annual parts in not to exceed forty years from the time of contracting the same. The bonds shall be issued in such denominations as the board of port commissioners may determine, except that no bonds shall be of less denomination than one hundred dollars, nor of a greater denomination than one thousand dollars, and shall be payable on the day and at the place or places

fixed in such bonds and with interest at the rate specified in the bonds, which rate shall not be in excess of six per centum per annum, and shall be payable semi-annually, and said bonds shall be signed by the president of the board of port commissioners and also by the treasurer of the municipal port district, and shall be countersigned by the secretary thereof. The coupons of said bonds shall be numbered consecutively and signed by the treasurer. In case any of such officers whose signatures or countersignatures appear on the bonds or coupons shall cease to be such officer before the delivery of such bonds to the purchaser, such signatures or countersignatures shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if they had remained in office until the delivery of such bonds.

SEC. 39. Such bonds may be issued and sold by the board of port commissioners as they may determine, but not for less than their par value, and the proceeds of such bonds shall be placed in the treasury of the municipal port district to the credit of the municipal port district improvement fund and shall be applied exclusively to the purposes and objects mentioned in the ordinance. At any time after three years after the date of any election at which an issue of any of the bonds herein provided for has or shall have been authorized, the board of port commissioners may, by ordinance adopted by a vote of four of the members of such board, determine that no part of such bond issue, or if a portion of the bonds so authorized at such election shall have been sold, that no part of the remainder of such issue then remaining unsold, shall be thereafter issued or sold, and upon the taking effect of such ordinance the authority to issue the bonds authorized at such election and described in such ordinance shall cease, and the whole or that portion of the bonds issued pursuant thereto remaining unsold and described in such ordinance shall become void

SEC. 40. Nothing in this act contained shall be construed to effect, limit, or impair to any extent or in any manner, the power vested in any municipal corporation either by its charter, or otherwise, by law to incur bonded indebtedness for any improvement for which municipal port districts are empowered to incur bonded indebtedness under the provisions of this act. Whenever any such municipal corporation, containing within its boundaries any part of the harbor district of a municipal port district as defined in this act, shall issue and sell its bonds for any such purpose in the manner provided by its charter or otherwise by law, the proceeds thereof shall be delivered to the treasurer of the municipal port district and be expended by such municipal port district in accordance with the provisions of this act in the performance of the work or for the acquisition, construction or completion of the improvement for which such indebtedness was so incurred, and in the portion of such harbor district situated within the boundaries of such municipal corporation *provided, however*, that any such improvement acquired, constructed or completed under the provisions of this section shall be so acquired, constructed or completed in accordance with plans and specifications and be of a character approved by the board of port commissioners, and be located in conformity with the plan and system of harbor and harbor district improvements established by the board of port commissioners.

SEC. 41. On or before the first day of May of each year, the general manager of a municipal port district shall submit to the board of port commissioners thereof a detailed statement of the money required for the next ensuing fiscal year for the purpose of conducting the business of the district. Such estimate shall be so classified as to show the expenses of the objects and services which it is estimated will be required to carry on the work of the district and of the several offices thereof, or of the departments into which the work and functions of the district may be divided by the board of port commissioners. With such estimate there shall be submitted such summary, schedules and data as may be required by the board of port commissioners

On or before the first day of May of each year, the auditor of the port district shall submit to the board of port commissioners a detailed statement of the money which he estimates will be required for the interest and sinking fund of all outstanding bond indebtedness and other lawful obligations of the municipal port district, including interest and sinking fund of bond indebtedness of municipal corporations specified in subdivision five of section thirty-three of this act, and also a statement of the revenues to be derived from licenses, franchises, rentals, tolls and all other sources, exclusive of taxes on property.

The board of port commissioners shall immediately proceed to the consideration of the estimates submitted by the general manager and auditor Before adopting such estimates, the board shall fix the time and place for holding a public hearing thereon which shall be designated as the proposed budget, and shall give public notice thereof. The board may, by a majority vote of all its members, increase, decrease or omit any item therefrom, or insert new items therein The budget as adopted by the board shall be signed by the president of the board of port commissioners and the clerk, and the several items thereof shall thereafter be deemed appropriated for the ensuing fiscal year and to the several offices and departments of the business of the district therein specified Such budget shall be printed with a reasonable number of copies for public distribution.

Such budget shall contain an item to be known as the "unappropriated balance," which sum shall be available for appropriation later in the ensuing fiscal year to meet contingencies as they may arise, and shall also contain an item to be known as the "reserve fund", which shall be carried over to the next ensuing fiscal year following the fiscal year for which the budget is prepared, to meet the cash requirements of the district, if any such there be, for the portion of such next ensuing fiscal year, prior to receipt of taxes thereof, or for appropriations to the unappropriated balance fund as herein provided

The board of port commissioners of the district shall have authority to expend and make contracts, or to authorize the same in the manner provided by this act, involving the expenditure of one-twelfth of the fund apportioned by the budget to the officers or employees of the district or to the department of the business of the district in charge of such officer or employee during each month of the fiscal year, and no more, unless otherwise specified in such budget, or unless specially authorized to do so by vote of four members of the board of port commissioners *provided*, that if during any month less than one-twelfth of the funds so apportioned shall be expended, the amount unexpended may be expended in any subsequent month of the fiscal year *without such special authorization*

SEC. 42. The board of port commissioners shall, at the time of fixing the general tax levy for county purposes by the board of supervisors of the county in which such municipal port district is situated, levy annually each year, until such bonds are paid, or until there shall be a sum in the treasury of such municipal port district set apart for the purpose to meet all sums coming due for principal and interest on such bonds a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds on all taxable property in such municipal port district and also such part of the principal thereof as shall become due before the time of fixing the next general tax levy for county purposes; *provided, however*, that if the maturity of the indebtedness created by the issue of bonds be made to run more than one year after the date of the issuance of such bonds such taxes shall be levied and collected at the time and in the manner aforesaid annually each year sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity And if from any cause the revenues of the district shall be inadequate to provide the funds otherwise needed to carry out the objects and purposes of the district or to conduct the business thereof which can not be provided for out of the revenues of the district, such tax levy shall also include such amount of money as may be necessary to carry out the objects and purposes of the district and to carry on the business thereof: *provided, however*, that such tax so levied for any one year for municipal port district purposes, other than payments on municipal port district bonds and bonds of the municipal corporations included therein for harbor improvements, as in the act provided, shall not exceed one cent on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in such district. The board of port commissioners shall state the purposes for which such taxes are required, and must fix by ordinance the amount of money necessary to be so raised by taxation The taxes required by this act to be levied and collected shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for municipal purposes by any municipal corporation in such *municipal port district and shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner* as taxes for county purposes are collected, and be used for no other purpose than the payment of said bonds and accruing interest and to carry out the purposes and object of the district, in case additional taxes are levied therefor as herein provided

SEC. 43. Until otherwise provided by law, any municipal port district shall use for the purpose of municipal port district taxation the county system of assessment and tax collection of the county in which such municipal port district is situated, and the assessment made by the assessor of such county shall be the basis for municipal port district taxation. The county auditor of such county must, on or before the second Monday in August of each year transmit to the board of port commissioners a statement in writing showing the total value of all property within the municipal port district which value shall be ascertained from the assessment books of the said county for that year as equalized and corrected by the board of supervisors of such county. The board of port commissioners shall, not later than the last Tuesday in August of each year, fix the rate of taxes for the municipal port district, designating the number of cents upon each one hundred dollars, using as a basis the value of the property as assessed by the county assessor of each county, as the same may be equalized and so returned to such board of port commissioners by such county auditor as hereinbefore provided, which rate of taxation shall be sufficient to raise the amount previously fixed by the board of port commissioners as hereinbefore provided, which acts by said board are declared to be a valid assessment of such property and a valid levy of such taxes so fixed The board of port commissioners must immediately thereafter transmit to such county auditor of the county in which such municipal port district is situated a statement of such rate so fixed by the board of port commissioners The said county auditor must then compute and enter in a separate column in the assessment book or books to be headed "Municipal port district taxes of_____municipal port district" (naming it) the respective sums in dollars and cents or dollars or cents to be paid as municipal port district tax on the property therein enumerated and assessed as

being in the municipal port district, using the rate of levy so fixed by the board of port commissioners of the municipal port district and the assessed value as set forth in such assessment book or books. Such taxes so levied shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as county taxes and when collected the net amount ascertained as hereinafter provided shall be paid to the treasurer of the municipal port district under the same requirements and penalties provided by law for the settlement of other taxes.

The county auditor and tax collector affected by the provisions of this act shall each annually file with the board of supervisors of the county in which such municipal port district is situated itemized statements showing the additional expenses to his office caused by the performance of the duties imposed upon him or his office under the provisions of this act, and upon the filing of such statements the board of supervisors shall, by an order spread upon its minutes, deduct such expenses from the tax money of the municipal port district and transfer the amount so deducted into the salary fund of the county; *provided, however*, that no more than one-half of one per centum on the amount so collected shall be so charged or deducted by any county. The board of supervisors of such county may provide such extra help for the county offices or officers as in their judgment may be necessary for the proper performance of their duties hereunder. Nothing in this section, however, shall be construed to prevent the board of port commissioners and the board of supervisors of the county in which a municipal port district is situated from entering into an agreement fixing the charge which such county will make for the collection of municipal port district taxes as in this act provided, but such charge if so agreed upon shall not exceed the per centum therefor herein specified.

Whenever any real property situated in any municipal port district established under the provisions of this act has been sold for taxes and has been redeemed, the money paid for such redemption shall be apportioned and paid by the county treasurer receiving the same to such municipal port district in proportion which the tax due to such district bears to the county taxes for which such property was sold.

All taxes levied under the provisions of this act shall be a lien on the property on which they are levied and the enforcement of the collection of such tax may be made in the same manner and by the same means as is provided by law for the enforcement of liens for county taxes, and all provisions of the law relating to the enforcement of the latter are hereby made a part of this act so far as applicable.

SEC. 44. Every election ordered, held and conducted by a municipal port district under the provisions of this act shall, except as herein otherwise provided, be so ordered, held and conducted, and the result thereof made known and declared, in the manner hereinafter specified.

(*a*) The board of port commissioners shall by ordinance order the holding of all municipal port district elections. Every such ordinance shall specify the object and time of holding any such election, and shall establish the election precincts, designate the polling places therefor, and appoint the officers of election for each precinct, who must be residents thereof, to conduct the holding of and make returns of such election.

(*b*) The board of port commissioners may consolidate such elections, and when any elections shall have been so consolidated, as herein provided, they shall be held, conducted and returns thereof canvassed and the result thereof declared, in all particulars the same as one election. When two or more municipal port district elections are so consolidated, it shall not be necessary to set forth the precincts, polling places and officers of election, in each ordinance calling each such election, but it shall be sufficient if such precincts, polling places and officers of election are set forth in one such ordinance and the other ordinance or ordinances make reference thereto for such purpose. Unless otherwise designated in the ordinance adopted by the board of port commissioners calling an election, the voting precincts of such election shall be the precincts provided by law for the holding of state and county elections in the municipal corporations included in such municipal port district. The board of port commissioners may, in ordering the holding of any election under the provisions of this act, consolidate such voting precincts into consolidated precincts, not exceeding three for each such consolidated precinct, and shall number such consolidated precincts consecutively and each consolidated precinct so established shall for the purpose of such election be known by the number so designated. In ordering the holding of any election in a municipal port district, the board of port commissioners thereof may reduce the number of officers of election for each precinct or consolidated precincts to one judge, one inspector, and two clerks. The manner of the selection and appointment of such officers of election and their compensation shall be determined by the board of port commissioners. All ordinances ordering the holding or consolidation of elections shall be published in some daily newspapers printed, published and circulated in each municipal corporation included in the municipal port district for at least five (5) days prior to the time appointed for the holding of any election, or for at least two (2) times in a weekly newspaper printed, published and circulated in any of such municipal corporations in which there is no such daily newspaper. And if no such newspaper, either daily or weekly, is so printed, published and circulated in any such municipal corporation, such ordinance shall be posted in three public places therein not less than five days prior to such election.

(c) The clerk of the municipal port district shall provide for every election ballots for each election precinct or consolidated election precinct established therefor, equal to ten per cent (10%) in excess of the total number of electors registered in each such election precinct or consolidated election precinct.

(d) Immediately upon the arrival of the hour when the polls are required by law to be closed, the said clerk shall openly in his office and in the presence of any persons that may then and there assemble to witness his act, proceed to destroy every unused ballot which shall have remained in his possession, custody or control, and forthwith make and file in his office his affidavit in writing stating the number of ballots so destroyed.

(e) The returns of every municipal port district election shall be delivered to the clerk of the district, who shall deliver the same to the board of port commissioners for the purpose of canvassing the returns thereof. The board of port commissioners shall, within ten (10) days after any election either at a regular or special meeting canvass the returns and declare the result thereof.

(f) Whenever requested by the clerk, the board of port commissioners shall authorize him to employ such persons in addition to the persons regularly employed in his office as may be necessary to assist him in the performance of any duty imposed upon him by this act or by the board of port commissioners in connection with the examination of any petition of electors or with the conduct of any election, and the provisions of this act respecting the qualified civil service of the municipal port district shall not apply to the persons so specially employed; *provided, however*, that in the examination of petitions of electors filed with the clerk under the provisions of this act, the clerk may, with the approval of the board of port commissioners, refer the same to the registrar of voters of the county in which such port district is situated and employ such registrar to examine any such petition and certify to the sufficiency or insufficiency thereof. If any such petition is so referred the certificate of the registrar of voters thereto shall have the same force and effect as the certificate of the clerk of the port district thereto under the provisions of this act.

(g) All municipal port district elections shall, except as in this act otherwise provided, be conducted and held in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of California for the holding of general or special elections in effect at the time in municipal corporations.

(h) Any person in order to be entitled to vote at any election held under this act, must be registered in the manner and have the qualifications required by the general laws of this state respecting the registration and qualification of voters for state and county elections. The registers or records of registration of electors used at any election held under the provisions of this act, shall be as provided by law for state or county elections.

(i) It shall be the duty of the registrar of voters or other officers of the county in which such municipal port district is situated having custody or control thereof to furnish such registers or records or registration with proper indices thereto to the clerk of the municipal port district at least five (5) days prior to the holding of any such municipal port district election.

(j) All supplies for the holding of any such election shall be provided by the board of port commissioners.

SEC. 45. Any bonds which may be issued by any municipal port district under the provisions of this act shall be legal investments for all trust funds, and for the funds of all insurance companies, banks, both commercial and savings, and trust companies, and for the state school funds, and whenever any moneys or funds may, by law now or hereafter enacted, be invested in bonds of cities, cities and counties, counties, school districts, or municipalities in the State of California, such moneys or funds may be invested in the said bonds of municipal port districts; *provided, however*, no bank shall invest or loan more than five per centum of its assets in any one such bond issue; and the provisions of this section are intended to be, and shall be considered and are suplemental to any and all other acts regulating, relating to and declaring what shall be legal investments.

SEC. 46. Whenever, upon the establishment of a municipal port district, any municipal corporation included therein, shall have theretofore authorized or incurred or thereafter authorize or incur a bonded indebtedness for the acquisition, construction or completion of any work or improvement, or for any object or purpose for which such port district is authorized by this act to incur a bonded indebtedness, such indebtedness shall not be affected, or any obligation thereof impaired by the establishment of any port district or by any of the provisions of this act. Any such bonded indebtedness shall be and remain the indebtedness of each municipal corporation so incurring or authorizing the same, and payment thereof shall be provided for and made by such municipal corporation in all respects the same as if such municipal port district had not been established, *provided, however*, that such municipal port district shall, if there be moneys in the port district revenue fund applicable thereto, make such payments on account of the principal and interest of such bonded indebtedness as there may be moneys available therefor as hereinbefore provided.

SEC 47. The proceeds of the sale of all bonds mentioned in the preceding section of this act remaining unexpended upon the establishment of a municipal port district and the proceeds of the sale of all such bonds authorized and sold thereafter shall be delivered by the custodian thereof to the treasurer of the district, and shall by him be placed in the treasury of the port district to the credit of the proper improvement fund, and shall be applied exclusively by the board of commissioners of the port district to the purposes and object for which such bonds were authorized by the municipal corporation that issued the same. All contracts for the expenditure of moneys from the proceeds of such bonds, and any work under direct construction by any municipal corporation without contract, the cost of which is payable out of the proceeds of such bonds, shall be assumed, taken over and completed and paid for by the municipal port district in like manner as other contracts, or work done directly without contract, by the municipal port district under the provisions of this act.

SEC 48 All contracts by any municipal port district for the construction or completion of any public work or improvement by such district, or for furnishing labor or materials therefor as herein provided, or for other purposes, shall, except as herein otherwise provided, be let by the board of port commissioners on behalf of the district as hereinafter provided, *provided*, that the general manager may, when authorized by the board of port commissioners, without awarding a contract for the construction or completion of any public work or improvement, or for furnishing labor or material therefor as herein provided, do any of said work directly, and the general manager shall have the power, when such board so authorizes, to do said work directly, to purchase the materials, hire the labor and do all other things necessary for the doing of said work; *and provided, further*, that when any of said work is to be done and performed by such municipal port district jointly with the government of the United States, the portion of the cost thereof to be borne by such port district may be turned over to the government of the United States to be expended by it in the performance of said work.

SEC 49. Every contract involving an expenditure of more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) shall, except in cases of urgent necessity, as provided in section fifty of this act, be made in writing, the draft whereof shall be approved by the board, and signed on behalf of the port district by the president of the board, or some other person authorized thereto by resolution of the board, and countersigned by the clerk; *provided, however*, that the approval of the attorney of any such contract as to form, as required by this act, shall be endorsed thereon before the board shall have power to approve the same

SEC 50. A municipal port district shall not be, and is not bound by any contract, involving any expenditure of more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) unless the board of port commissioners shall have first caused notice to be published one or more times in a daily newspaper, or if there be no such daily newspaper, then in a weekly newspaper printed and published in said district, or if no such newspaper, either daily or weekly, is so published, then by posting such notice in a conspicuous place in or near the office of said board, inviting proposals to perform the same, and specifying the amount of the bond to be given for the faithful performance of the contract, and thereafter shall have let said contract to the lowest regular responsible bidder furnishing security for its performance satisfactory to the board The right to reject any and all proposals shall, in every case, be reserved. Every such proposal shall be filed with the clerk of the municipal port district and be accompanied by a check certified by a responsible bank in the municipal port district, payable to the order of such port district for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate sum bid, or by a satisfactory bond for the said amount, and so payable, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into the proposed contract if the same be awarded to him. No bid shall be considered unless the same is accompanied by such check or bond. The bid of any party who has been delinquent or unfaithful in the performance of any former contract with the port district shall be rejected. If the successful bidder fails within ten (10) days after the contract is awarded to him to enter into the same or to furnish the bond required for the faithful performance thereof, executed by the contractor and by a responsible surety company, or by two or more sufficient sureties approved by the board, then the certified check accompanying his bid shall be presented for payment and collected, and the amount thereof paid into the revenue fund of the port district, *provided, however*, that the provisions of this section requiring the publication of notice inviting the proposals and the letting of contracts to the lowest bidder, shall not apply to contracts for the performance of professional, scientific, technical or expert services of a temporary and occasional character, or for the furnishing of articles covered by letters patent granted by the government of the United States, or for the leasing or purchasing of real property, when approved by a majority vote of the board, *and provided further*, that contracts in writing or otherwise may be let without advertising for or inviting bids, when any repairs, alterations, work or improvement shall be deemed of urgent necessity by said board and such method of letting contracts therefor is approved by three-fifths vote of all its members. Contracts involving an expenditure of one thousand

dollars or less shall be let by the board or by the general manager, when he is authorized so to do by the board, in such manner as such board shall by ordinance prescribe.

SEC. 51. In all cases where bids are not required by this act to be advertised for, bids, either advertised for or not advertised for, shall be obtained as far as reasonably practicable and compatible with the interests of the municipal port district, and a public record of such bids be kept. The right to reject any and all bids shall be reserved in all cases.

SEC. 52. Every proposal referred to in section fifty of this act to perform a contract with a municipal port district shall have thereon, or attached thereto, the affidavit of the bidder that such proposal is genuine, and not sham or collusive, nor made in the interest or in behalf of any person not therein named, and that the bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other bidder to put in a sham bid, or any other person, firm or corporation to refrain from bidding, and that the bidder has not in any manner sought by collusion to secure for himself an advantage over any other bidder. Any bid made without such affidavit, or in violation thereof, shall not be considered. If at any time it shall be found that the person, firm or corporation to whom a contract has been awarded has, in presenting any bid or bids, colluded with any other party or parties, then upon the entry of such finding on the records of the board, the contract so awarded shall be voidable at the option of the board, and the contractor and his bondsmen shall be liable to the municipal port district for all loss or damage which the municipal port district may suffer thereby; and the board may advertise for a new contract. Any contractor making a false affidavit may be excluded from future bidding.

SEC. 53. All claims and demands against a municipal port district, except coupons for interest and installments of the principal on bonds payable by such district, shall be paid only on demands as herein provided on forms and blanks to be prescribed by the auditor of the district. Each such claim or demand shall be first presented to and approved in writing by the board of port commissioners or by the officers or employee authorized by this act to incur the expenditure or liability represented thereby. In all cases the date of such approval shall be given. All demands approved by the board of port commissioners or by any officers or employee of the municipal port district shall be presented to the auditor who shall satisfy himself whether the money is legally due and remains unpaid and whether the payment thereof from the treasury of the district is authorized by law and out of what fund. If he approve it, he shall endorse upon it the word "approved" with the designation of the fund out of which it is payable and sign his name thereto, provided that such approval by the auditor shall be valid only for such amount as shall have been approved by the board or by the officer or employee approving the same. If in the judgment of the auditor, such demand should be allowed only for a less amount than approved by such board or by such officer or employee, or if he shall disapprove such demand, he shall transmit the same to the board of port commissioners with his reasons for disapproval. Any demand transmitted to the board of port commissioners by the auditor shall be promptly considered by such board together with the objection of the auditor thereto. The board of port commissioners may overrule or sustain the objections of the auditor to said demand and its acceptance shall be endorsed thereon, certified by the signatures of the president of the board and the clerk, and the demand shall thereupon be returned to the auditor. If the action of the board is to overrule the objection of the auditor, he shall make a record of the demand as in the case of demands approved by him, and if the action of the board is to sustain the objection of the auditor he shall file said demand. No demand shall be approved or audited unless it specify each separate item with the date and amount thereof. The auditor must keep a record of all demands on the treasury approved by him or his objections to which have been overruled, showing the number, date, amount and name of the payee thereof, on what account allowed and out of what funds payable, and it shall be a misdemeanor in office for the auditor to deliver any demand with his approval thereon, or otherwise, until this requirement has been complied with. Every lawful demand upon the treasury of a municipal port district shall in all cases be paid on presentation and cancelled, and the proper entry thereof be made if there be sufficient money in the treasury belonging to the fund out of which it is payable, but if there be not sufficient money belonging to said fund to pay such demand, then it shall be registered in a book to be kept by the treasurer for that purpose, showing its number, when presented, dated, amount, name of payee, and on what account allowed and out of what fund payable, and when so registered it shall be returned to the party presenting it with the endorsement of the word "registered", dated and signed by the treasurer. All registered demands shall be payable in the order of their registration. Nothing in this section contained shall be construed to prevent the payment by the treasurer of bonds of the municipal port district or of boards of municipal corporations in such districts and interest coupons thereof, in accordance with the constitution of the state and the provisions of this act authorizing the issuance and payment of such bonds.

The salaries or wages of all officers and employees of the municipal port district shall be paid either monthly, semi-monthly, or weekly, as the board of port commissioners may by ordinance determine.

SEC. 54. All appointments to offices or positions in the service of any municipal port district, excepting for the offices of general manager, clerk, auditor, chief engineer, attorney and treasurer of such port district, shall be made by the board from a classified civil service for employees of such port district to be established by the board of port commissioners. The board of port commissioners shall, by ordinance, establish classes for all offices and places of employment other than the offices hereinbefore specified, and prescribe rules and regulations for the government of such classified civil service. Such rules and regulations shall provide:

(1) For the qualifications and examination of all applicants for positions or employment and for the employment of persons on probation;

(2) For the registration of persons, other than unskilled laborers, in the classified civil service, in accordance with their general average standing upon examination;

(3) For promotions on the basis of ascertained merit and seniority in service and examination, and for competitive examinations for promotions;

(4) For the re-assignment of persons injured in the service of the port district who are actually engaged in the discharge of the duties of their positions;

(5) For leaves of absence;

(6) For the transfer from one position to a similar position of the same class;

(7) For the reinstatement to the list of eligibles, on recommendation of the general manager, of persons who have become separated from the service or have been reduced in rank therein, other than of persons who have been removed for cause;

(8) For the keeping of service records of all employees in the civil service, and for the use thereof as one of the basis for promotions or lay-offs through stoppage or lack of work;

(9) For the procedure for the removal, discharge or suspension of employees; for the investigation by the board of the grounds thereof, and for the reinstatement or restoration to duty of persons found to have been removed, discharged or suspended for insufficient grounds or for reasons that are not sustained upon such investigation.

(10) And generally for any other purpose that may be necessary or appropriate to carry out the objects and purposes of such civil service system and of the rules herein specifically authorized

Upon the request of the general manager, the following persons may be exempted by the board, by ordinance, from the provisions of this section: (*a*) Persons employed to render professional, scientific, technical or expert service of a temporary or exceptional character, (*b*) The first and second deputies or assistants of any officer of the port district or of the chief engineer in the services of the district; (*c*) Persons employed on the construction of port district works, improvements, buildings or structures; (*d*) Persons receiving a salary not exceeding fifty dollars per month; and any exemption so made may be terminated at any time by resolution of the board of port commissioners.

SEC. 53. All officers and employees who, at the time of the establishment of any municipal port district under the provisions of this act would be included in the classified civil service of such port district, and who have been continuously in the service of the harbor department of any municipal corporation included in such port district for a period of six months prior to the establishment of such port district, shall be deemed to have the necessary qualifications required by the provisions of this act, and shall retain the same respective or equivalent positions as nearly as practicable under the port district which they formerly held in such municipal corporation. All such officers and employees who, at the time of the establishment of any municipal port district, would be included in the classified civil service thereof, but who have been in the service of the harbor department of any such municipal corporation for a period of less than six months prior thereto, shall be deemed to be in the service of such port district under probation, and be subject to the same regulations as other applicants for appointment to the civil service of the port district serving under probation in accordance with rules and regulations established by the board of port commissioners therefor.

SEC. 56. The board of port commissioners or other officers of the port district shall have no power to incur any debt or liability whatever, either by issuing bonds or otherwise, in excess of the express provisions of this act, and any debt or liability incurred in excess of such express provisions shall be and remain absolutely void.

SEC. 57. No member of the board of port commissioners or any other officer of a municipal port district shall be financially interested, directly or indirectly, in any contract, sale, purchase or transaction to which the municipal port district is a party, and no member of such board or other officer shall vote on or participate in any such contract, sale, purchase or transaction in which he is financially interested, directly or indirectly. If any member of such board or any such other officer, shall, during the term for which he was appointed or elected, so vote or participate, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction thereof, forfeit his office, and be punishable by a fine not exceeding $500.00 or by imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months in the county jail of the county in which such municipal port district is situated Any such contract, sale, purchase or transaction shall be and become void at the election of the municipal port district, declared by resolution of the board of port commissioners.

SEC 58. No suit shall be brought against a municipal port district on any claim for money or damages until a claim or demand therefor setting forth with reasonable certainty the various items of the claim or demand, and verified by the claimant or his or its authorized agent, has been presented to the board of port commissioners, and rejected in whole or in part. In case the board of port commissioners shall fail or refuse to allow or reject such claim, either wholly or in part, for a period of six months after its presentation, such failure or refusal shall, upon the expiration of such period, be deemed a rejection of the claim All claims against a municipal port district must be presented to the board of port commissioners and filed with the clerk of the district within one year after the debt or the last item thereof for which the claim is made shall have been incurred, or within one year after the occurrence or transaction from which any damages are claimed to have arisen. Otherwise there shall be no recovery on any such claim.

SEC. 59. Nothing in this act shall be so construed as repealing, modifying or otherwise affecting the provisions of any other act relating to port districts or harbor districts other than municipal port districts or the establishment thereof, and no other act providing for the establishment of port districts or harbor districts, other than municipal port districts, shall repeal, modify or otherwise affect this act or any of the provisions hereof.

SEC 60 If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this act is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, sentence, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional

SEC 61 The term "municipal corporation" as used in this act shall be understood and construed to include, and is hereby declared to include any incorporated city or town. The word "district" shall apply, unless otherwise expressed or used, to a municipal port district formed under the provisions of this act. The word "board" and the words "board of port commissioners", shall apply to the board of port commissioners of such district. Whenever a municipal corporation is referred to in this act as the "larger" or "largest", the "smaller" or "smallest" municipal corporation, such words shall be deemed to mean the municipal corporation having the larger or largest, the smaller or smallest population as shown by the last federal census.

SEC. 62 This act shall be known and may be designated and referred to as "The municipal port district act" "

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening and straightening, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, amend the title by striking out lines 1 to 22, inclusive, thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, including any property over which possession and right of use have been obtained under the provisions of section fourteen of article one of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out line 19 and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC 2. Whenever the public interest or convenience may require, the legislative body of any county and the legislative body of any municipality are hereby severally authorized and empowered to order the acquisition, or improvement (as those terms are defined hereafter in this act), or both such acquisition and improvement, of any one or more of the public ways or of property or of rights-of-way of the public over which they are herein invested with jurisdiction. Separate proceedings may be had and taken for such an acquisition or improvement or both such acquisition and improvement may be included within and consummated in a single proceeding Where the latter procedure is followed, public ways already acquired, as well as the whole or a portion of those to be acquired under the proceeding, may be improved under the one proceeding. The acquisitions and improvements above provided for may comprehend and include the whole or any portion or portions, either in length or in width, of any one or more of such public ways, property and rights-of-way, whether the same are contiguous or otherwise. In addition to the above authority, power and jurisdiction, there is hereby granted the following authority, power and jurisdiction To issue and sell, or otherwise dispose of, bonds representing the costs and expenses of any such acquisitions and improvements, as in this act hereafter provided, to constitute a fund for the payment of such bonds as in this act hereafter provided and to levy and collect special assessment taxes upon districts as in this act hereafter provided; to establish such districts and determine their boundaries and to establish and fix the boundaries of zones therein, as in this act hereafter provided; to establish grades for the doing of any work or the making of any improvement authorized in this act, as in this act hereafter provided; to make transfers of money from county funds or funds of the municipality to such special funds as are in this act hereafter provided, to purchase material and furnish the same to be used in any of the improvements comprehended in this act, as in this act hereafter provided; to make direct contributions of money in part payment of the expenses of any one or more or all of the acquisitions and improvements comprehended in this act; to create and administer revolving funds to facilitate and assist in the carrying on and completing of such acquisitions and improvements, as in this act hereafter provided; and to do any and all things necessary or incidental to the accomplishment of the things which are permitted to be done under this act The jurisdiction of the legislative body of a county shall extend over and it shall have said power and authority to acquire and improve public ways within the boundaries of such county, and also those forming the exterior boundary of any municipality or municipalities where the same join unincorporated territory of the county, and also public ways and property owned by the public and lying within one or more municipalities, the acquisition and/or improvement of which, in the judgment of said legislative body, is or are necessary or proper to complete or connect with any public way or ways in unincorporated territory of the county already acquired

or to be acquired under the proceeding, and/or any improvement or improvements already made or to be made thereunder: *provided*, that the consent of the legislative body or bodies of such municipality or municipalities, within the boundaries of which such public ways and property lie, shall first be obtained thereto and to the assessment of the property therein, which, in the opinion of the legislative body of the county, will be benefited thereby. Likewise, the jurisdiction of the legislative body of a municipality shall be extended over and it shall have said power and authority to acquire and improve public ways within the boundaries of such municipality, and also those forming its exterior boundaries where it joins unincorporated territory of the county or the territory of another municipality, and also public ways and property owned by the public within unincorporated territory of a county or of one or more municipalities, the acquisition and/or improvement of which, in the judgment of said legislative body, is or are necessary or proper to complete or connect with any public way within its limits already acquired or to be acquired under the proceeding, and/or any improvement or improvements already made, or to be made thereunder; *provided*, that the consent of the legislative body or bodies of the county and of such other municipality or municipalities within the boundaries of which such public ways and property lie, expressed by resolution, shall first be obtained thereto and to the assessment of the property therein, which, in the judgment of the legislative body of the municipality conducting the proceeding will be benefited thereby. The true intent and meaning of the above provisions for such acquisitions and improvements is that the necessary jurisdiction and power for the consummation thereof shall be vested in, and proceedings therefor may be had and taken by, the legislative body either of the county or of any municipality in which the public interest or convenience is affected thereby and that each of said legislative bodies shall have concurrent jurisdiction to initiate such proceedings, *provided*, that the legislative body initiating the proceeding and adopting the resolution of intention therefor, as hereinafter provided, shall thereafter have exclusive jurisdiction of the proceeding and of all acquisitions and improvements comprehended therein, for the purposes of consummating the same.

SEC. 3. The legislative body initiating and conducting any proceeding under this act shall have power and authority, in addition to that elsewhere given, as follows, to wit:

(1) To appoint and employ, at any stage of the proceedings before calling for bids, any competent engineer, to be designated "engineer of work," for the purpose of doing and furnishing all the civil engineering work or services, surveying and all similar work and services necessary to the proper performance of the improvement. His compensation, or at least the rate thereof or some basis for computing the same, shall be fixed and stated in the order of his appointment, which said order shall be entered in the minutes of the legislative body; *provided, however*, that any county officer, if the proceeding is conducted by the legislative body of the county, and that any municipal officer, if the proceeding is conducted by the legislative body of a municipality, may be appointed such engineer of work without compensation.

(2) To appoint, in and as a part of the resolution of intention, any competent person, to be designated "superintendent of work," whose duty it shall be to perform the services prescribed or indicated for him in this act and to have the general actual supervision of the improvement constructed. His compensation shall be fixed at the time and in the resolution is his appointment at a per diem for all time actually devoted to the work; *provided*, that any county officer, in case the legislative body of a county is conducting the proceeding, and any municipal officer or board, in case the legislative body of a municipality is conducting the proceeding, may be appointed as such superintendent without compensation.

(3) To appoint and designate any competent person for the purpose of preparing and furnishing the specifications as set forth in section four of this act and to fix his compensation or some basis for computing the same, or to appoint and designate any officer of the county or officer of the municipality, as the case may be, for such purpose, without compensation.

(4) To appoint and employ, in and as a part of the resolution of intention or later in the proceeding, by an order to be entered upon its minutes, any competent attorney whose duty it shall be to perform the services in this act prescribed or indicated in connection with the proposed acquisition, whose compensation, or at least the rate thereof or some basis for computing the same, shall be fixed and stated in the order of his appointment; *provided, however*, that if no appointment or employment of an attorney is made as above provided then the services to be performed by the attorney as prescribed or indicated in this act shall be performed by the city attorney, in cases where the proceedings are initiated and conducted by the legislative body of a municipality, and in cases where such proceedings are initiated and conducted by the legislative body of a county by the district attorney of the county, except that in counties having freeholders' charters creating the office of county counsel they shall be performed by the county counsel.

(5) To appoint and designate other competent persons in the places respectively of the persons so originally appointed, with compensation (so far as practicable) proportionately the same as fixed for the original appointees, and to appoint such additional persons as may be needed to accomplish the thing or things to be done

under this act, and to fix their compensation, which shall be a charge against the district.

No part of such or any compensation for said officers or employees so appointed or designated, or for services rendered by any of them, shall be a charge against the county or municipality or any officers thereof, *provided*, that the county, in proceedings conducted by its legislative body, and the municipality, in proceedings conducted by its legislative body, shall be liable for the expenses of the preparation and furnishing of specifications and of the posting and publication of all resolutions and notices required to be posted and published in the event that proceedings cease or are abandoned before the award of the contract, or before a final judgment is obtained, but such expenses, for which the county and municipality respectively are liable and which shall have been paid thereby, may be charged, as incidental expenses, against the district benefited in any new proceeding had or taken for an acquisition or improvement, or both, which shall include the same or approximately the same thing or things to be done as those included in the abandoned proceedings. Whenever any county or municipal officer is appointed and designated to any of the positions or duties hereinabove mentioned without compensation, the actual and necessary expenses incurred under his supervision, including the compensation of other persons, made necessary by the duties of such positions, shall be a charge against the county or municipality appointing and designating him, but shall be repaid to such county or municipality as incidental expenses of the proceeding

No member of the legislative body of any county or municipality shall be eligible to appointment to any office, position or employment under this act, except as a county or municipal officer without pay.

SEC. 4 The legislative body desiring to initiate proceedings for the making of any acquisition or improvement, or both an acquisition and improvement, under the provisions of this act, may, by an order to be entered upon its minutes, designate some county officer, if the legislative body be that of a county, or some municipal officer, if it be that of a municipality, or some other competent person, in either case, and direct him to prepare and furnish specifications for the proposed acquisition or improvement, or both. The said specifications in the case of an improvement, shall include all plans, profiles, cross-sections and specifications necessary therefor, together with a statement of the estimated costs of the improvement (inclusive of incidental expenses and costs of the proceeding), a description of the district to be benefited by the proposed improvement and a map or plat showing the same and also the different zones within said district (if any are necessary because of varying benefits) containing the lands to be benefited in like measure but in a different measure from those in other zones therein, with a statement as to what percentage of the sum to be raised each year for the payments on the principal and interest of the bonds should be raised from each zone, and shall show the grades to which the contemplated improvements are to be constructed. In the case of an acquisition, the said specifications shall include correct descriptions of all property to be acquired together with a map or plat showing the same, and a description of the district to be benefited by the proposed acquisition and a map or plat thereof, and the other matters relating to zones and percentages as above required in the case of improvements In the event that the contemplated proceeding includes both an acquisition and improvement all of the above requirements shall be included in the specifications, the district, zones and percentages set forth to comprehend both the contemplated acquisition and improvement. Said specifications shall be signed by the person designated and directed to prepare them and presented to the legislative body ordering them. Said legislative body shall examine the said specifications and may approve them or order modifications or changes to be made therein When approved by the legislative body they shall be filed with the clerk of said body. At any time before the adoption of a resolution of intention the specifications may be corrected or modified by the order of said body.

Any error or informality in the appointment of any officer or other person to prepare specifications, or the omission of a formal order of appointment altogether, shall not invalidate or in any way affect the proceedings

SEC 5. Before ordering any acquisition or any improvement authorized by this act, the legislative body which is to conduct the proceeding shall adopt a resolution of intention so to do, referring to the public way, in the case of a public way already acquired, by its lawful or official name, or the name by which it is commonly known, and in the case of a public way to be acquired under the proceedings, by the name by which such public way is to be called upon its acquisition (which name shall thereby be fixed and established), and when the acquisition or improvement is of property or a right-of-way owned or to be acquired by the public, then by briefly describing the said property or right-of-way. In the case of an acquisition, the resolution shall briefly set forth that a public way or property or right-of-way (naming or otherwise describing it) is to be acquired, and describe the property necessary or convenient to be taken therefor It shall be determined in said resolution that the public interest and necessity require the acquisition therein set forth, and that said property to be taken is necessary therefor. Said resolution, in the case of an acquisition, shall be adopted by a vote of two-thirds of the members of said legislative body. In the case of an improvement, said resolution

shall determine that the public interest and necessity require the improvement set forth in the resolution and shall briefly describe the improvement, it being sufficient to state in general terms the class or kind of work contemplated (such as grading, paving, sewering, or other work or improvement), and to give in general the location of the proposed improvement and refer to the plans, profiles, detail drawings and specifications therefor, or such of them as may be suitable or proper (which shall be approved by said legislative body and be on file in the office of the clerk thereof at the time of the adoption of said resolution), for a full and detailed description and location of said proposed improvement, and of the grades to which said improvement is to be constructed. Said resolution shall contain the following statement: "The notice of all persons affected is directed to the grades for the proposed improvement and to the provisions of the Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925 relating to grades". If both acquisition and improvement are contemplated in the same proceeding, one resolution of intention, containing the above requirements in the respective cases, shall be sufficient. Said resolution shall also contain a description of the district of the lands to be benefited by said proposed improvement or acquisition, or both, as the case may be, which shall be known thereafter and which will in this act hereafter be referred to as the "assessment district". Each proceeding under this act may, for convenience, be entitled, and such entitling shall be sufficient for all purposes, "In the matter of Acquisition and Improvement District No. ____ of the County (or City, as the case may be) of _____" (giving a different number to each district for which a proceeding is had) and a like designation of the district (omitting the words "in the matter of") shall be a sufficient designation of the district at all times and for all purposes. The said description of the assessment district may be in general terms, referring to a plat or map approved by the legislative body conducting the proceeding, which shall be on file in the office of the clerk of such legislative body at the time of the adoption of said resolution of intention, and which shall indicate by a boundary line the extent of the territory to be included in the proposed assessment district, which said plat or map shall govern for all details as to the extent of said assessment district. Said resolution shall also contain a statement that, for the expenses of the things therein proposed to be done bonds will be issued to the total amount of the same, excepting the amount, if any, to be contributed thereto by the county or municipality in money or by the furnishing of materials therefor, said bonds to bear interest at the rate of ____(not to exceed eight)____ per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and the aggregate principal of all bonds issued under the proceeding to be paid and discharged within ____(not to exceed thirty)____ years after the date of issuance, approximately one ____(not less than one-thirtieth)____ part of such aggregate principal to be payable annually, all in gold coin, and that a special fund for the payment of said bonds will be constituted by the levy of special assessment taxes upon the lands within the assessment district, in accordance with the provisions of this act, according to the assessed value of said lands, exclusive of the improvements thereon, except as otherwise in this act provided. If the legislative body so determine, it shall include in said resolution a statement that the first payment on the aggregate principal of the bonds issued will be made ____(not to exceed five)____ years after the issuance thereof.

The lands upon which said special assessment taxes shall be levied shall be all those lying within the assessment district, including any lands which are the operative property of any public utility; *provided*, said lands shall not include any lands belonging to the United States government or the State of California, but they shall include all lands belonging to any county, municipality, district, public agency, mandatory of the government, school board, educational, penal or reformatory institution, or institution for the feeble minded or insane, included within the assessment district, whether being in use in the performance of any public function or otherwise; *provided, however*, that the legislative body conducting the proceeding may, in the resolution of intention, declare that any land or lands, describing the same, belonging to any county, municipality, district, public agency, mandatory of the government, school board, educational, penal or reformatory institution, or institution for the feeble minded or insane, lying within the assessment district, or any of them, shall be omitted from the said district and from the levy and collection of the special assessment taxes thereafter to be levied and collected to cover the expenses of the acquisition or improvement, or both, as the case may be, and in the event that said lands or any of them shall by said resolution be so omitted then the total expenses of the proceeding shall be met by the levying and collection of such special assessment taxes upon and from the remaining lands within the assessment district, without regard to such omitted lands. In order that any such lands may be so omitted, however it must be determined and set forth in the resolution of intention that such lands are in use in the performance of a public function.

If, in the judgment of the legislative body conducting the proceeding, varying benefits to be derived by the different parcels of land lying within the assessment district so require, the said district may be divided into zones according to benefits. Said district may be divided into as many zones—up to the total number of parcels of land in the district—as may be deemed necessary, and each zone shall be composed

of and include all the lands within the district which will be benefited in like measure Said legislative body shall also determine the percentage of the sum to be raised each year by the levy and collection of said special assessment taxes in said district for the payments on the principal and interest of the bonds, which will be raised from the lands in each zone. When the district is divided into such zones the resolution of intention shall so state, giving said percentages to be raised from the lands in each zone Each zone shall be designated by a different letter or number and shall be plainly shown upon the map or plat of the assessment district filed in the office of the clerk of said legislative body and referred to in the resolution of intention, either by separate boundaries, coloring, or other convenient and graphic method, so that all persons interested may with accuracy ascertain within which zone any parcel of land is located. It shall be sufficient in all cases where the assessment district is to be divided into such zones according to benefits if the resolution of intention states that fact and refers to said plat or map for the boundaries and all details concerning the said zones

Said resolution shall contain a notice of a day, hour and place (to be fixed therein) when and where any and all persons having any objections to the proposed acquisition or improvement, or both (if both be included in the proceeding) to the proposed grades to which the improvement (if any) is to be constructed, to the extent of the assessment district, to the zones (if any) into which said district is to be divided, or to the percentages to be raised from each of said zones, or to any or all of the foregoing, may appear before the legislative body conducting the proceeding and be heard. Said time shall not be less than fifteen nor more than sixty days from the date of the adoption of said resolution. The clerk of said legislative body shall cause said resolution of intention to be published by at least two insertions.

SEC. 6. The grades to which any work shall be done or improvement made under proceedings had in pursuance of this act shall be those shown upon the plans, profiles and detailed drawings (or such of them as may be suitable or proper) referred to in the resolution of intention In the case of the improvement of public ways, property or rights-of-way, to be acquired and improved under the same proceeding, the legislative body conducting the proceeding shall have jurisdiction and power to and shall determine and establish the grades to which the improvements are to be constructed, and the adoption of the resolution of intention shall be deemed to be such a determination and establishment of the grades therein referred to—subject to any changes which may be made upon the hearing of any objection thereto. In the case of the improvement of public ways, property or rights of way already acquired, said legislative body shall likewise have jurisdiction and power to and shall determine and establish the grades to which the improvements are to be constructed, and the adoption of the resolution of intention shall be deemed to be such a determination and establishment of the grades therein referred to—subject to any changes which may be made upon said hearing. In the latter case the grades so determined and established for such purpose may be either the grades, or any of them, which have previously been officially or otherwise established or adopted, or they may be grades different, modified or changed from those previously so established or adopted In all events the statement contained in the resolution of intention directing notice to the grades, as heretofore provided, shall constitute sufficient notice thereof to any person affected Any property owner whose property is included within the assessment district for the proposed improvement and any other person whose rights are affected may, at the time fixed in the resolution of intention for the hearing of objections, appear before the legislative body conducting the proceedings and present written objections to the grade or grades to which any or all of the improvements are proposed to be constructed. A failure to make such written objection at such time shall be deemed to be a waiver of all objections to the grade or grades to which the improvement is proposed to be constructed, whether such grade or grades be different, modified or changed from those previously established or adopted, or not, and shall operate as a bar to any claim for damages, and any action looking to the prevention of the work or improvement, the avoiding of paying therefor, or recovery of damages on account of the construction of the work or improvement or grades The provisions of this section relative to grades are alternative and shall not repeal the provisions of any other statute relative to change of grade, but shall govern and control for all purposes and for all improvements made in proceedings conducted under this act

SEC. 7 The legislative body of the county or municipality conducting the proceedings may determine that any part of the expenses of the acquisition or improvement, or both, as the case may be shall be paid out of the treasury of the county or municipality, as the case may be, and such payment, or any part of the same, may be made from the general fund of such county or municipality or from any other fund available to such county or municipality and from which expenditures may be made for acquisitions or improvements of like character as those which may be made under this act Said legislative body conducting the proceedings may also purchase all or any part of the materials to be used in constructing any of the improvements included in the contract therefor made under this act and furnish the same therefor, said purchase to be made from any of the funds above mentioned If such county or municipality has a purchasing agent, said materials shall be purchased by him, otherwise said materials shall be purchased by the legislative body

by contracts let to the lowest responsible bidder after notice calling for bids has been published by at least two insertions in a newspaper, or by any other method prescribed by law for the purchase of materials by a county or municipality. If the county or municipality is to furnish materials or make payment toward said expenses, the resolution of intention shall so provide and shall state the fund from which such materials are to be purchased or payments made. When such provision is made, the execution of the contract for the improvement (in the case of an improvement), and the obtaining of an interlocutory judgment (in the case of an acquisition), shall create a liability on the part of the county or municipality, as the case may be, to furnish the materials or make the payments provided for in the resolution of intention. In the event that the acquisition or improvement, or both such acquisition and improvement, under the proceeding includes any acquisition or improvement, or both, within the territory of a county or any municipality or municipalities for which the legislative body conducting the proceeding does not function, the legislative body of such county or municipality may determine that any part of the expense of the acquisition or improvement, or both, in the proceeding shall be paid out of its treasury, or materials therefor furnished, as above provided, from any of its funds above mentioned. Such determination shall be expressed by resolution of such legislative body which shall be transmitted to the legislative body conducting the proceeding and thereupon a liability of such county or municipality to furnish such portion of such expenses and/or materials provided for shall be created as above provided. The resolution of intention shall set forth the fact that such portion of the expenses and/or such materials are to be paid and/or furnished by such county or municipality.

SEC. 8. After the adoption of the resolution of intention the superintendent of work shall cause to be conspicuously posted along the line of said contemplated work or improvement, if an improvement is contemplated, and along the line of the property to be acquired, if an acquisition is contemplated, at not more than three hundred feet in distance apart but not less than three in all, notices of the adoption of said resolution, *provided, however*, that the failure to post any or all of said notices shall in no event affect the validity of the proceedings or the jurisdiction and power of the legislative body to order the acquisition or improvement, or both. Said notices shall be entitled "Notice of Public Improvement" in letters of not less than one inch in length, and shall, in legible characters, state the fact of the adoption of the resolution of intention, its date, and briefly and in general terms, the improvement or acquisition, or both, as the case may be, proposed, and refer to the resolution of intention for further particulars. The said notices need not contain a description of the assessment district described in the resolution of intention but may refer to said resolution therefor. Said notices shall contain also a statement of the day, hour and place when and where any and all persons having any objections to the proposed improvement or acquisition, or both, as the case may be, or to the grade or grades to which the improvement is proposed to be constructed, or to the extent of the assessment district, or to the zones, if any, into which such district is divided, or to the percentages to be raised from each of such zones, or to any or all of the foregoing, may appear before the legislative body and be heard.

If deemed advisable and the legislative body so orders, said notices may consist of printed copies of the resolution of intention, entitled as above provided, and the same shall be sufficient for all purposes of said notice.

The legislative body may, if it deems it advisable, direct the clerk thereof to mail copies of said notices to the owners or reputed owners whose names and addresses are known to him, but the mailing of such notices shall not be essential to obtaining jurisdiction by the legislative body and the failure so to do shall not affect in any manner the validity of any proceedings taken hereunder. The failure of the legislative body to so direct said clerk shall presume a finding by said body that said mailing is not advisable or necessary.

SEC. 9. At any time not later than the hour set for hearing objections as provided in the preceding section, any owner of land within the boundaries of the assessment district as set forth in said resolution may, severally, or with other such owners, file with the clerk of the legislative body conducting the proceedings written objection to the thing or things proposed to be done, whether it be an improvement or acquisition, or both, or to the grade or grades to which the improvement is proposed to be constructed, or to the extent of the assessment district, or to the zones, if any, into which the said district is divided, or to the percentages proposed to be raised from each of said zones, or to any or all of the foregoing. Upon such hearing all objections and protests to the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done shall be heard and considered. If upon said hearing it appears that the owners of more than one-half of the area of the property included within the entire assessment district, as proposed, have in writing made objection to the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done, i. e. the improvement or acquisition, or both, as the case may be, in their entirety, and to the ordering of the same, the legislative body shall, by a resolution to be entered upon its minutes, so find and thereupon such legislative body shall have no power to proceed further under said resolution of intention nor to adopt any resolution for doing the same thing or things during a period of six months next succeeding the time of such finding, unless the said

objections be overruled by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of the members of such legislative body. In order that such objections operate as a bar, as aforesaid, in the absence of such a four-fifths vote, they must specifically state that the objections are to the doing of the thing or things proposed in their entirety and not merely to some item, class, kind or part of the thing or things proposed to be done. If the fact be that the owners of more than one-half of the area of the property included within the entire district as proposed have not so in writing made objection going to the ordering of the thing or things proposed to be done, as an entirety, the legislative body shall so find, and may thereupon proceed with the hearing, but such finding need not be in writing and may, for the purpose of proceeding with the hearing, be a mere announcement of the body. Next shall be heard, in any order desired by such body, such objections as shall be made to the extent of the district and to the zones, if any, into which said district is divided and to the percentages to be raised therefrom as set forth in the resolution of intention, and objections to the grade or grades to which the improvement is proposed to be constructed.

The hearing may be continued from time to time by the legislative body by an order to be entered upon its minutes.

Owners of land within the meaning of this section are those, and those only, who appear to be such upon the records in the recorder's office of the county in which the district is situated on the day before the day set for said hearing, and an executor or administrator shall be deemed representative of his decedent, and a trustee of an express trust in land, other than as security for the payment of money, of the land held in such trust, and a trustee in bankruptcy of the bankrupt, and a guardian of his ward. The objection of any owner may be made by the signature of his agent, provided that there must be attached to the objection the affidavit of the agent that he is duly authorized to sign said objection. Every written objection must contain a description of the property in which each signer thereof is interested, sufficient to identify it, and must set forth the nature of his interest therein and, if signed by more than one objector, must be accompanied by the affidavit of one of the signers thereto that each signature thereof is the genuine signature of the person whose name is thereto subscribed. Any written objection not complying with the foregoing requirements shall not be considered by the legislative body in determining whether objection has been made to the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done, as an entirety, by the owners of more than one-half of the area of the property included within the assessment district.

SEC. 10. Unless the power to proceed shall have ceased, as hereinbefore provided, the legislative body shall in conclusion of the aforementioned hearing and as a determination of all questions arising thereat, by resolution to be entered upon its minutes, declare its finding that the owners of more than one-half of the area of the property included in the assessment district have not made written objection going to the entirety of the thing or things proposed to be done, or, if such objection has been made, that such objections are overruled by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of the members of the legislative body. Said legislative body may at the conclusion of the hearing thereon and in said resolution determine the extent and boundaries of the assessment district and may exclude from the district described in the resolution of intention any parcels of land which it may find will not be benefited by the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done. It may also change or modify the zones, if any, into which said district is divided, so that each zone shall be composed of the lands within said district which will be benefited in like measure; and it may also change the percentage of the amount to be raised in each such zone, so that such zoning and the raising of the special assessment taxes therefrom shall best, in its judgment, reflect the benefits to be derived by the parcels of land included therein. If no changes be made in the boundaries of the assessment district, as the same are set forth in the resolution of intention, or no changes are made in the zones or the percentages to be raised therefrom as set forth in said resolution, it shall be sufficient to state that the boundaries of the district, the zones and the percentages to be raised therefrom, are those set forth in the resolution of intention; but if any changes be made in the boundaries of the assessment district, the boundaries as finally determined shall be fully set forth in said resolution, and the plat or map of the assessment district on file in the office of the clerk of said legislative body and referred to in the resolution of intention shall be made to show said boundaries as finally determined, and if any changes be made in the zones referred to in the resolution of intention, the description of the boundaries of said zones, as finally determined, shall be fully set forth, and said plat or map on file in the office of the clerk of the legislative body shall be changed to show the boundaries of said zones as finally determined, and, if any change be made in the percentages to be raised from the several zones, the resolution shall so state, giving the percentage to be raised from each zone, as finally determined. The boundaries of the district, as the same are set forth in the resolution of intention, shall not be so changed as to include within the district any territory not within its boundaries as set forth in said resolution.

If no change be made as to the grades, as set forth in the plans and specifications and referred to in the resolution of intention, it shall be sufficient to state in the resolution adopted at the conclusion of said hearing, that the grades, as finally

determined, are those set forth in such plans and specifications, but if any changes are made in the grades, as set forth in the plans and specifications and referred to in the resolution of intention, such changes shall be set forth in said resolution adopted at the conclusion of said hearing

The boundaries of the assessment district, the location and extent of the zones, if any, and the percentages to be raised therefrom, so determined, shall then be established and prevail for all purposes of the proceeding and until any bonds to be issued for the expenses of the thing or things to be done shall have been fully paid and discharged, and the grades so determined shall be the grades for all the purposes of the proceeding and the improvement to be done thereunder. The findings and determination of said legislative body upon the matters of the extent and boundaries of the assessment district, the zones, if any, into which said district is divided, the percentage of the expenses to be raised from each of said zones, the grades to which the improvement is to be constructed, and the necessity for the acquisition, or improvement, or both, comprehended by the proceeding, shall be final and conclusive.

SEC. 11. Having thus taken action upon all objections and protests to the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done and having determined the boundaries of the district and of the zones, if any, and the percentages to be raised therefrom, and the grades for the improvement, the legislative body shall have jurisdiction and may, by resolution, order the thing or things proposed to be done in the resolution of intention to be done. The resolution ordering the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done may be the same in which all of the final determinations above mentioned are made, or it may be a separate resolution, in which latter case it shall refer to the resolution making said final determinations. Neither said resolution ordering the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done nor any resolutions, notices, orders or determinations thereafter made or given in the proceeding need contain a description of the work or improvement to be done or the property to be acquired, and it shall be sufficient in any of the foregoing to refer therein to the resolution of intention for a description of the work or improvement to be done, or the property to be acquired, or both as the case may be, and, if the boundaries of the district, the zones, percentages and grades set forth in the resolution of intention have not been changed, it shall be sufficient in any of the foregoing to refer therein to the description of the same set forth in the resolution of intention, but if said boundaries, said zones, said percentages, and said grades or any or all of the same have been changed then it shall be sufficient to refer to the resolution changing and determining the same for a description thereof and all details relative thereto. If said resolution ordering the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done includes the acquisition of property, the legislative body shall therein direct an action to be brought by the attorney, in the proper superior court, in the name of the county or of the municipality for which the legislative body conducting the proceedings functions as the case may be, for the condemnation of the property necessary or convenient to be taken therefor. If said resolution orders work or improvement to be done, the legislative body shall therein fix a time for receiving bids for doing said work or improvement and direct the clerk thereof to give notice accordingly, inviting sealed bids.

SEC. 12. Such notice inviting bids shall include a statement that the work or improvement is to be done under the provisions of this act, and according to the plans and specifications on file therefor, except in so far as the grades specified therein shall have been fixed otherwise by the legislative body in conclusion of the hearing heretofore provided, to which said act, to the resolution of intention and all proceedings had hereunder the attention of the bidders shall be directed, and they shall by reference be made a part of said notice. Said notice inviting sealed bids shall, by the clerk of said legislative body, be published by at least two insertions and, not necessarily simultaneously, a copy of the same shall be posted and kept posted for five days at or near the chamber door of said legislative body. The time fixed for receiving said bids shall be not less than ten days from the time of the first publication of said notice. All bids offered shall be accompanied by a check payable to the county or municipality, as the case may be, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the bid, or by a bond for said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and either one duly authorized corporate surety, acceptable to said legislative body, or two sureties qualifying each in double the amount of the bid over and above all statutory exemptions, before an officer competent to administer oaths. Said bids shall be delivered to the clerk of said legislative body and said legislative body shall, in open session, publicly open, examine and declare the same, and no bids shall be considered unless accompanied by said check or such a bond satisfactory to said legislative body. Said legislative body may reject any and all bids should it deem this for the public good, and also the bid of any bidder who has been delinquent or unfaithful in any former contract with said county or municipality, as the case may be, and shall reject all bids other than the lowest regular bid of any responsible bidder, and may award the contract for said work or improvement to the lowest responsible bidder at the prices named in his bid. If all bids are rejected or no bids are received the legislative body may thereafter readvertise for bids as in the first instance, without further proceedings, and as many times thereafter as it deems necessary until a satisfactory bid has been received, and thereafter proceed in the manner in this section above provided

and shall thereupon return to the proper parties their respective checks and bonds covering the bids so rejected. The check or bond accompanying the accepted bid shall be kept by the clerk of said legislative body until the contract for doing said work or improvement, as hereinafter provided, has been entered into. If said bidder fails, neglects or refuses to enter into the contract to perform said work or improvement, as hereinafter provided, then the certified check accompanying his bid and the amount therein mentioned shall be declared forfeited to said county or municipality, as the case may be, and may be collected by it and paid into its general fund, and any bond forfeited may be prosecuted, and the amount due thereon collected and paid into said fund.

SEC. 13. Notice of such award of contract shall be published by the clerk of said legislative body by two insertions and posted for five days in the same manner as hereinbefore provided with respect to the publication and posting of the notice inviting bids.

SEC. 14. If the bidder to whom the contract was awarded fails, neglects or refuses, for twenty days after the first publication of the notice of award, to enter into the contract, then said legislative body, without further proceedings, shall direct its clerk to give a new notice inviting sealed bids and thereupon said legislative body shall proceed as in the first instance, and as in the case of default of the first awardee, so also in the event of subsequent defaults, and any delay occasioned thereby shall in no way affect the validity of the proceedings or any assessments levied thereunder. The bids of all bidders who have failed to enter into the contract as herein provided may for that reason be rejected in any bidding subsequent to the first for the same work.

SEC. 15. Before being entitled to a contract, the bidder to whom the award thereof has been made must advance and pay to the superintendent of work, for payment by him, the costs and expenses of publishing and posting the notices, resolutions, orders and matters required under the proceedings prescribed in this act and of such other notices as may be deemed requisite by the legislative body, together with all other incidental expenses incurred up to the time of entering into the contract.

SEC. 16. At any time within ten days from the date of the first publication of the notice of award of the contract any owner of, or other person having any interest in any parcel of land within the boundaries of the assessment district, who claims that any of the previous acts or proceedings relating to the work or improvement are irregular, defective, erroneous, faulty, or invalid, for any reason, may file with the clerk of the legislative body a written notice specifying in what respect said acts and proceedings are irregular, defective, erroneous, faulty, or invalid. Said notice shall state that it is made in pursuance of this section. All objections to any acts or proceedings relating to the improvement prior to the time within which such objections are permitted by this section to be filed, not made in writing and in the manner and at the time aforesaid, shall be waived. It is the intent of this section that any person failing to file such notice within the time specified shall be deemed to have intentionally waived every objection to the regularity or validity of such acts or proceedings and he shall be estopped from thereafter raising the same.

SEC. 17. The superintendent of work is hereby authorized, in his capacity as such superintendent of work, to execute the contract with the awardee of the same, and to receive and approve all bonds by this act required on the part of such awardee. He shall, by the terms of said contract, fix the time for the commencement of the work or improvement, which shall not be more than twenty days from the date thereof, and for the completion of said work or improvement under all contracts entered into by him, and the contract shall provide that the work shall be prosecuted with diligence until completed. The time of completion fixed in the contract may be extended from time to time by said superintendent of work, under the direction of the legislative body expressed by resolution, a copy of which shall be certified by the clerk of said legislative body and attached to the contract. Such extension of time may be granted by the legislative body at any time before the expiration of three months after the time originally fixed for completion in the contract or by the last previous extension of time, and the extension so granted shall be deemed to commence and be effective from the date of such expiration. Any such extension of time shall not release any surety or sureties upon any bond required under this act.

Said contract shall provide that the work or improvement to be done shall be under the direction and to the satisfaction of said superintendent of work, and that the materials used shall comply with the specifications and be to the satisfaction of said superintendent of work. Said contract shall undertake on behalf of the county or municipality, as the case may be, that, upon the performance and completion of the contract on the part of the contractor, and under the provisions of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925" all steps will be taken, in and by said act authorized to be taken, to effect the issuing by the treasurer of the bonds in said act authorized to be issued, and to provide a fund for the payment of the same, as in and by said act prescribed. Said contract shall also contain an express notice that in no case, except where it is otherwise provided by law, or the charter of the

county or municipality whose legislative body is conducting the proceedings, as the the case may be, shall the county or municipality, as the case may be, or any officer thereof, be liable for any portion of the expense or be holden under said contract in any way except for the discharge of official duty under the law, nor shall said county or municipality, as the case may be, be liable for any materials or sums of money except those which the resolution or intention shall provide will be furnished or paid.

SEC. 18 If, after the execution of the contract, the contractor shall fail to begin the work in good faith within the time provided in said contract, or shall fail at any time thereafter to prosecute said work diligently according to the terms of the contract, the superintendent of work shall make a report to the legislative body setting forth wherein the contractor is in default Thereupon the legislative body shall cause written notice to be mailed to said contractor at his last known address, that at a time, to be set in the notice and which must be not less than five days after the mailing of the notice, the body will hold a hearing to determine whether or not the contract shall be declared forfeited.

At the time set in said notice, or at any time to which the matter may be continued, the legislative body shall determine whether or not the contractor is in default either in respect to beginning said work or in respect to its diligent prosecution. If said body determines that the contractor is in default it may declare the contract forfeited In such event it shall either again call for bids and award the contract as provided heretofore for awarding the contract in the first instance, or it may declare the county or municipality, as the case may be, the successor of the contractor.

If bids are again called for and a new contract entered into at a price greater than that in the contract declared forfeited, suit shall be brought on the bond of the original contractor for an amount equal to the excess of the second contract over the first, plus the incidental expenses incurred in entering into the new contract. The sum recovered shall be placed in the interest and sinking fund of the district.

If the county or municipality be declared the successor of the contractor, the work shall be completed under the direction of the legislative body at the expense of the county or municipality, as the case may be, either by contract or in any other manner determined upon by its said legislative body When the work or improvement is completed the declaration of completion in this act provided to be executed and filed by the contractor and superintendent of work shall be executed and filed by the superintendent of work alone and thereafter the proceedings described for a hearing thereof and upon the question of issuing bonds for the expenses of the improvement shall be had, following the provisions elsewhere contained in this act controlling said matters. When the bonds have been issued they shall be sold by the legislative body and the proceeds applied to reimburse the county or municipality, as the case may be, for all expenditures it has made in the premises, the balance remaining to be paid to the original contractor. Should the proceeds realized from the bonds so issued and sold be insufficient to reimburse the county or municipality, as the case may be, in full for its expenditures in completing the contract, including all incidental expenditures, suit shall be brought on the bond of the contractor for an amount sufficient to so reimburse said county or municipality.

SEC 19. The legislative body may, by resolution or ordinance, prescribe general rules directing the superintendent of work or the contractor as to the materials to be used and the mode of executing the work, under all contracts thereafter made.

SEC. 20 All contractors shall, at the time of executing any contract hereunder, execute a bond to the satisfaction and approval of the superintendent of work, running to the county or municipality, as the case may be, in an amount not less than twenty-five per cent of the amount of the contract, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, and said bond shall be signed by two or more sureties who shall aggregately qualify before an officer competent to administer oaths in double the amount mentioned in the bond over and above all statutory exemptions, or by one duly authorized and acceptable corporate surety.

SEC 21. Every contractor to whom is awarded any contract hereunder shall, before executing said contract, furnish and file with the superintendent of work a good and sufficient bond acceptable to and approved by said superintendent of work, in a sum not less than one-half of the total amount payable by the terms of said contract, such bond shall be executed by the principal and by two or more sureties who shall aggregately qualify before an officer competent to administer oaths in double the amount mentioned in the bond, over and above all statutory exemptions, or by one duly authorized and acceptable corporate surety, and shall be made to inure to the benefit of any and all persons, companies, or corporations who perform labor on or furnish materials to be used in the work or improvement to be done under the contract, and shall provide that if the contractor to whom said contract was awarded fails to pay for any materials so furnished for the said work or improvement or for any work or labor done thereon of any kind, the sureties will pay the same, to an amount not exceeding the sum specified in said bond. Any laborer, materialman, person, company or corporation furnishing materials to be used in the performance of said work or improvement or who performed work or

labor thereon, whose claim has not been paid by the said contractor or his assigns, shall severally have a first lien upon and against the bonds to be issued to cover the expenses of said work or improvement, and likewise against any new bonds therefor directed to be issued by order of the legislative body or upon a decree of court. Such person, laborer, materialman, person, company or corporation may at any time prior to the issuance of said bonds or said new bonds file with the treasurer of the county or municipality whose legislative body conducted the proceedings, as the case may be, a verified statement of the fact that he or it has furnished such labor or material and has not been paid therefor, stating the nature and amount of such labor or material and the amount due therefor, and claiming said amount, and, if he or they so elect, demanding the withholding of bonds in an amount sufficient to satisfy said claim. The said treasurer shall, upon such a demand being made, withhold from the contractor, or anyone claiming under him as assignee or otherwise, sufficient of said bonds to satisfy said claim and all costs which can reasonably be anticipated. If the claimant filing such statement shall, within ninety days after the date of issuance of the bonds for the expenses of said work and improvement, commence an action to enforce his lien aforesaid, then the said treasurer shall withhold and keep the bonds so withheld, subject to the final judgment in said action; but if such action is not so filed the bonds so withheld shall be delivered to the contractor or his assignee. Such claimant, if he so elects, and if he has not received said bonds, may, as an alternative, at any time within six months after the filing of such statement and claim bring an action upon the bond of the surety or sureties in his own name, or if he has assigned his claim, the action may be brought in the name of the assignee, for the recovery of the amount due on said claim. Said amount may include the costs incurred in said action, together with a reasonable attorneys' fee to be fixed by the court for the prosecution thereof.

If the contractor or his assigns shall so desire, upon the filing of any claim or claims as aforesaid by any laborer or materialman, he or they may furnish and file an undertaking in an amount to be fixed by the said treasurer (but which amount shall not be less than the aggregate of the claim or claims plus not less than fifteen per cent of said amount to cover court costs and attorneys' fees), which said undertaking shall be executed by said contractor or his assigns and by two or more sureties who shall aggregately qualify before an officer competent to administer oaths in double the amount mentioned therein, over and above all statutory exemptions, or by one duly authorized and acceptable corporate surety, which said undertaking shall be to the satisfaction of said treasurer and shall provide that the said contractor or his assigns and the surety or sureties thereon will pay the amount, if any, which may be due on said claim or claims, with interest, court costs and attorneys' fees; whereupon said first lien upon and against said bonds or new bonds shall be discharged and said claimant shall thereupon look to said undertaking for recovery.

SEC. 22. As soon as may be done in good faith there shall be filed with the clerk of the legislative body conducting the proceeding a declaration that the work has been completed according to the contract therefor, together with an itemized statement of the incidental expenses of the improvement and of the proceedings, inclusive of the estimated cost of publishing the notice of final hearing in this section provided for and of issuing the bonds to be issued for the improvement made. The aggregate of such items shall be stated and also the amount due under the contract and the amount or amounts to be paid the contractor by the county or municipality or municipalities from their funds, if any such amount or amounts were so provided for in the resolution of intention. The total sum for which bonds of the district are claimed by the contractor shall also clearly appear. The said declaration and statement shall be signed and verified by the superintendent of work and by the contractor, or some person cognizant of the facts signing on behalf of the contractor and stating why he, instead of the contractor, so signs and verifies. Either signer may except from his signature and verification any amount and item to which he does not assent. The legislative body conducting the proceeding is hereby authorized to and shall thereupon fix a day, hour and place and direct the clerk thereof to give notice of a hearing for the purpose of determining whether or not the work and improvement shall be accepted as being completed according to the contract, and for determining the aggregate amount for which bonds shall be issued to the contractor, or his assignees, therefor, and of furnishing an opportunity to all persons interested in any of the work or improvement done under the proceeding or in any matter affecting said improvement and the assessment district therefor, and feeling aggrieved by any act or determination done or made in the said proceeding or claiming that any of the previous acts or proceedings are irregular, defective, erroneous or faulty or claiming that the work or improvement has not been performed according to the contract in a good and substantial manner, or claiming that any portion of the work or improvement for any reason was omitted or illegally included in the contract for the same, or having any objections to offer or any reason to advance why bonds should not be issued in the amount set forth in the declaration and statement on file, to appear before the legislative body and by it be heard upon any of the above mentioned matters.

The time fixed for said hearing shall be not sooner than ten days from the date upon which it is fixed. Such hearing shall be known as the final hearing upon the improvement. The notice of such hearing may, in form, and shall, in substance, (filling all blanks as appropriate), be as follows:

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING UPON THE IMPROVEMENT.

In the Matter of Acquisition and Improvement District No. _____ of the county (or city) of _____

Notice is hereby given that the final hearing in the matter of the improvement made in the above named district will be had at the hour of ____m. on the _____ day _____, 19____, at the chambers of the _____ (designating the legislative body) _____ of the county (or city) of _____ (naming the county or municipality) _____, State of California, under the provisions of section 22 of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925", for the purpose of determining whether or not the work and improvement shall be accepted as being completed according to the contract, and for determining the aggregate amount for which bonds shall be issued to the contractor, or his assigns, therefor, and of furnishing an opportunity to all persons interested in any of the work or improvement done under the proceeding or in any matter affecting said improvement and the assessment district therefor, and feeling aggrieved by any act or determination done or made in the said proceeding or claiming that any of the previous acts or proceedings are irregular, defective, erroneous or faulty, or claiming that the work or improvement has not been performed according to the contract in a good and substantial manner, or claiming that any portion of the work or improvement for any reason was omitted or illegally included in the contract for the same, or having any objections to offer or any reason to advance why bonds should not be issued in the amount set forth in the declaration and statement on file, to appear before said legislative body and by it be heard upon any of the above mentioned matters.

The attention of all persons interested is hereby directed to the provisions of said act and to the proceedings in the above named matter and district, and particularly to the above mentioned declaration and statement, on file in the office of the clerk of the _____ (designating the legislative body) _____ of the county (or city) of _____ (naming the county or municipality) _____.

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Clerk of said_____(designating said legislative body

Said notice shall be signed by the clerk of the legislative body conducting the proceedings and shall be published by at least two insertions, and a copy or copies thereof posted and kept posted for at least two days on or near the chamber door of said legislative body. The date of the first publication and that of such posting (they need not be simultaneous) shall be not less than five days before the date in said notice specified for said hearing.

SEC. 23. At the time set for said hearing any owner of property within the district, the contractor, or his assigns, and any other person or persons interested in the matter, may appear and be heard upon any of the matters referred to in the last preceding section. Protests or objections may be presented either in writing or orally and the hearing of the said matters may be continued from time to time upon the order of the legislative body. Evidence may be adduced going to any of the matters to be determined and in such order as the legislative body may summarily direct.

If, when the matters have been fully heard, whether under or in the absence of any objections claiming that the work or improvement has not been performed according to the contract in a good and substantial manner, the legislative body is of the opinion that said work or improvement has not been so completed, it shall in writing specify what must be done in order to complete the work, and shall, by an order or resolution to be entered in its minutes, continue the further hearing of the whole matter to a specified date, expressly stating that such continuance is for the purpose of enabling the contractor to complete the contract.

On said continued hearing the objections presented upon the first hearing shall continue in force, and evidence shall be received, if offered, as to what has been done in the way of completing the contract in the particulars specified in the order of the legislative body on the said continuance of the hearing. If, upon said continued hearing, it is the opinion of the legislative body that the work is still uncompleted in the particulars as to which it has been ordered to be completed, it shall be discretionary with said legislative body to order or refuse a second continuance of the hearing. If the legislative body do order such second continuance, it shall be ordered in the same manner and with like effect as provided aforesaid upon the first continuance. And as provided aforesaid for a second continuance, so with any other or further continuance.

All other objections shall pend and be heard on said day, or at any continued hearing had as in this section aforesaid provided. Every continuance of said hearing for the purpose of enabling the contractor to complete his contract or the work or improvement shall continue or revive such powers of the legislative body had under the provisions of this act in the proceedings at the time of the filing of the

declaration that the work was completed, as provided aforesaid, and shall also operate to extend the time for the completion of said contract in such manner that its completion within the time to which the hearing is continued shall be as valid a performance of said contract as if completed at the time of filing such declaration or statement. All objections to any of the matters to which objection may be made at said hearing not made and presented before said legislative body at the time of said hearing or at any time to which the same may be continued shall be waived.

SEC. 24. Whenever upon the hearing provided in the two preceding sections, whether at the first or at any continued hearing, it shall be the opinion of the legislative body that the work has been completed and performed according to the contract in a good and substantial manner, said legislative body shall by resolution to be entered upon its minutes so declare and that the work is accepted and shall in said resolution state the amount of the contract price for the doing of said work or improvement and the amount of the incidental expenses of the improvement and of the proceedings therefor, which are to be charged against and to be paid by the contractor, and the amount or amounts, if any, to be paid the contractor by the county and/or municipality or municipalities, and the aggregate amount for which bonds are to be issued to the contractor, or his assigns, as hereinafter provided. The legislative body may remedy and correct any error or informality in the proceedings and revise and correct any act or determination relative thereto or to the work or improvement performed thereunder. All the decisions and determinations of the legislative body, upon notice and hearing as aforesaid, shall be final and conclusive upon all persons entitled to be heard under the provisions of the two preceding sections and as to all matters determined upon said hearing and as to all errors, informalities, irregularities and omissions or defects which said legislative body may have avoided or have remedied during the progress of the proceedings or which it can at that time remedy, and no bonds thereafter issued or special assessment taxes thereafter levied for the payment of the bonds to be issued for said work or improvement and the expenses thereof shall be held invalid by any court for any error, informality, irregularity, omission or other defect in the proceedings, where the resolution of intention has been actually published, as in this act provided, before the said legislative body shall have ordered the work or improvement to be performed.

Immediately after the adoption of said order accepting the work the amount or amounts which were agreed to be paid to the contractor by the county or municipality shall be paid to said contractor, less the amount of any incidental expenses chargeable to and not paid by the contractor. Any amount so deducted shall be credited to the fund against which any such incidental expenses were charged.

SEC. 25. Upon the expiration of twenty days from the making of the final order provided for in the last preceding section, the clerk of the legislative body shall transmit to the treasurer an attested copy of said final order, and upon receipt of the same the treasurer shall proceed to issue bonds amounting in the aggregate to the principal sum for which bonds are to be issued, as the same is stated in said final order. Said bonds when issued, shall be dated as of the date when said final order of the legislative body was made. The bonds shall be issued in the form and manner in this act provided and shall be delivered by the said treasurer to said contractor, or to his order, assignee or lawful representative, except as in this act otherwise provided in the case of bonds withheld to satisfy claims. The bonds shall not be delivered to the contractor, however, until he shall have paid to the treasurer all incidental expenses relative to the proceedings for the improvement which have not been formerly paid, as provided in section 15.

SEC. 26. If the resolution ordering the thing or things proposed to be in the proceeding included the acquisition of property and directed an action to be brought for the condemnation thereof, the attorney shall thereupon proceed to bring said action, which action shall be commenced within a period not exceeding one hundred and eighty days from the date of the adoption of said resolution directing the bringing of the same. Said action shall in all respects be subject to and governed by such provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure now existing or that may be hereafter adopted as may be applicable thereto, except in the particulars otherwise provided for in this act.

In the event that an action has theretofore been brought by the attorney in the name of the county or municipality whose legislative body is conducting the proceeding, as the case may be, for the condemnation of the property necessary or convenient to be taken in such acquisition, under authority of law and prior to the adoption of the resolution ordering the acquisition to be made, as provided in this act, then and in that event, the resolution ordering the acquisition may refer to said action and direct the attorney to continue the prosecution of the same, and said action shall then have like effect and be in lieu of and serve all the purposes of the action herein referred to, and shall thereafter be carried on in the same manner and subject to the provisions hereinafter stated; *provided*, that the complaint in said action shall set forth or state the effect of the resolution of intention in such proceeding but need not set forth nor state the effect of the resolution ordering the acquisition. In the event that the complaint in said action shall for any reason omit to state the effect of the resolution of intention in said proceeding, said complaint may be amended as

of course to set forth said matters at any time before trial and shall thereupon satisfy the requirement as to reference to the resolution of intention.

SEC. 27. The complaint shall set forth, or state the effect of, the resolution of intention, and the resolution ordering the acquisition (except as provided in the preceding section), or so much of said resolutions as affect the acquisition contemplated (if both acquisition and improvement are comprehended in the proceeding), but need not set up any other proceedings had or taken before the bringing of the action. Said resolutions shall be conclusive evidence, in such action, of the public necessity of the proposed acquisition and the improvement thereby effected, and that the property sought to be condemned is necessary therefor, and also that the same is located in the manner which will be most compatible with the greatest public good and the least private injury.

SEC 28. If the legislative body conducting the proceeding shall by resolution determine that the public necessity and convenience require, the plaintiff in the action ordered by said body, or the plaintiff in any action theretofore brought for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient to be taken in the acquisition contemplated, may, at any time after the filing of such complaint or complaints, take immediate possession and use of all or any portion of the property sought to be condemned therein, by giving such security in the way of money deposits as the court in which the proceedings are pending may direct, and in such amount or amounts as the court may determine to be reasonably adequate to secure to the owner of the property sought to be taken immediate payment of just compensation for such taking and any damage incident thereto, as soon as the same can be ascertained according to law. Upon obtaining an order of the court giving such immediate possession and use, the contractor for any improvement contemplated in the proceeding, whose contract includes work or improvement upon any or all of the property covered by such order of court for immediate possession and use, shall have the right to enter upon and construct thereon the improvements included in the contract.

The county or the city, as the case may be, shall have power to and may advance such amount or amounts as are required by the court to be deposited to obtain such immediate possession and use, and reimburse the treasury from the sale of bonds thereafter issued under the proceeding. Such amount or amounts may be so advanced from either the general fund or from any fund available for the purchase or acquisition of public ways or property. Said deposits required by the court may also be made from the revolving fund or funds created and administered as in this act provided.

In addition to the foregoing methods for obtaining the amount or amounts necessary for such deposits required by the court in order that immediate possession and use may be had, bonds of the district may be issued and sold therefor, as hereinafter provided. The attorney shall report to the legislative body the amount or amounts required for such purpose and thereupon said body may fix a day, hour and place for a hearing upon the issuance of bonds against the lands in the assessment district for the purpose of obtaining the amount or amounts required by the court in order that immediate possession and use of the public ways, or property or rights-of-way, or any part thereof, sought to be acquired under the proceedings may be had, and for the purpose of furnishing an opportunity to all persons owning land within the assessment district, or otherwise interested, and feeling aggrieved by any act or determination done or made in the said proceeding or claiming that any of the previous acts, determinations or proceedings are irregular, defective, erroneous or faulty, or having any objections to offer or any reason to advance why bonds should not be issued in the amount set forth in said notice for the purpose therein set forth, to appear before the legislative body and be heard upon any of the above mentioned matters. The amount or amounts required for said purpose and for which bonds are proposed to be issued shall be stated in the notice. The time fixed for said hearing shall be not sooner than ten days from the date upon which it is fixed. Said hearing shall be known as the hearing upon issuance of bonds to obtain immediate possession. The notice of such hearing may, in form, and shall, in substance, (filling all blanks as appropriate) be as follows

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO OBTAIN IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

In the Matter of Acquisition and Improvement District No. _____ of the county (or city) of _____

Notice is hereby given that, in the matter of the acquisition of public ways to be made in the above named district, a hearing will be had at the hour of _____ m. on the _____ day of _____, 19____, at the chambers of the _____ (designating the legislative body) _____ of the county (or city) of _____ (naming the county or municipality) _____, State of California, under the provisions of section 28 of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925", for the purpose of determining whether or not bonds of the said district shall be issued and sold in the sum of _____ dollars, to obtain the amount (or amounts) required by the court in order that immediate possession and use of the public

ways _____ (or property, or rights-of-way—as the case may be—) _____ sought to be acquired under the proceedings for the above named district, and of furnishing an opportunity to all persons owning lands within said district, or otherwise interested, and feeling aggrieved by any act or determination done or had in the proceedings for said district, or claiming that any of the previous acts, determinations or proceedings are irregular, defective, erroneous or faulty, or having any objections to offer or any reason or advance why said bonds should not be issued and sold in said amount and for said purpose, to appear before said legislative body and be heard upon any of the above mentioned matters

The attention of all persons interested is hereby directed to the provisions of said act and to the proceedings in the above named matter and district on file in the office of the clerk of the _____ (designating the legislative body) _____ of the county (or city) of _____ (naming the county or municipality) _____.

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Clerk of said _____ (designating said legislative body.

Said notice shall be signed by the clerk of the legislative body conducting the proceedings, and shall be published by at least two insertions, and a copy or copies thereof posted and kept posted for at least two days on or near the chamber door of said legislative body. The date of the first publication and that of said posting (they need not be simultaneous) shall be not less than five days before the date in said notice specified for said hearing.

At the time set for said hearing, or at any time to which the same shall be continued, any person owning land within the assessment district, or otherwise interested, may appear and be heard upon any of the matters referred to in said notice. Protests or objections may be presented either in writing or orally Evidence may be received, if offered, going to any of said matters.

Said legislative body may remedy and correct any error, defect, irregularity or informality in the proceedings and revise and correct any act or determination relative thereto All the decisions and determinations of the legislative body upon notice and hearing as aforesaid shall be final and conclusive upon all persons entitled to be heard under the provisions of this section and as to all matters determined upon said hearing and as to all errors, informalities, irregularities, omissions and defects which said legislative body might have avoided or have remedied during the progress of the proceedings or which it can remedy at said time, and no bonds thereafter issued or special assessment taxes levied thereafter for the payment of the bonds shall be held invalid by any court for any error, informality, irregularity, omission or other defect in the proceedings, where the resolution of intention has been actually published as in this act provided before the legislative body shall have ordered the acquisition to be made. All objections to any of the matters to which objection may be made at said hearing not made and presented before said legislative body at the time of said hearing or at the time to which the same may be continued shall be waived and may not thereafter be urged

If the legislative body decides that said bonds shall be issued it shall so order and its order and its determination of all of the above matters shall be final and conclusive Thereupon the clerk of said legislative body shall transmit to the treasurer an attested copy of said order which shall state the aggregate of the principal sum for which such bonds are to be issued, and thereupon bonds shall be issued in said amount and in the form and manner provided in this act for the issuance of bonds under proceedings had under this act Said bonds, when issued, shall be dated as of the date when said order of the legislative body was made

Upon the issuance of said bonds they shall be sold to the highest cash bidder, after advertisement for bids, which advertisement shall be published by at least two insertions, *provided, however*, that said bonds shall not be sold for less than par If any bonds be sold for an amount in excess of par such excess shall be applied to the interest and sinking fund for the retirement of the bonds issued in the proceeding. The proceeds of the sale of said bonds shall be paid to the treasurer and shall be deposited as the court shall direct, as security for the obtaining of immediate possession and use of the property sought to be condemned in the action

SEC. 29. When all parties defendant to the action have answered or have been served with summons and their default entered, the plaintiff or any party defendant to the action whose default has not been so entered, may upon five days notice to the parties, except those in default, move the court to set the action for trial If, upon the hearing of such motion, a trial by jury or by the court without a jury is not demanded by the defendants, or any of them, or by the plaintiff, such trial shall be deemed to be waived, and the court must appoint three disinterested persons referees to ascertain the compensation to be paid to said defendants so waiving trial by jury, or by the court without a jury Such referees must be residents of the county in which the action is commenced and over the age of twenty-one years and must take and file with the court an oath to discharge their duties faithfully and impartially. If any of such referees fails to qualify, or resigns, or is removed by order of court, or is or becomes unable to act, the vacancy so created shall be filled by the court

SEC. 30. The referees shall at once proceed to view the lands sought to be condemned, and ascertain the compensation proper to be paid to such of the parties

interested in each parcel thereof as have waived a trial by jury or by the court. They shall have power to examine witnesses under oath, to be administered by any of them, and may have subpœnas issued by the clerk of the court, requiring the attendance of witnesses, or the production of evidence before them. They shall make and file with the court a written report of their findings and of their necessary expenses, within thirty days after the date of their appointment, *provided, however*, that the time so allowed may be extended upon good cause shown, by the court or judge thereof, but such extension shall not exceed one hundred and twenty days, *and provided, further*, that if any vacancy in the referees is created and filled as heretofore provided in this act, or if new referees are appointed, or if a new report from the same referees is ordered, as hereafter provided, the time herein specified for the filing of such report shall be deemed to be thirty days from the date of the order filling such vacancy, or appointing new referees, or ordering the new report from the same referees, and said time may be extended accordingly, as above provided. Any two of such referees who agree thereto may make such report.

SEC. 31. For the purpose of assessing the compensation and damages, the right thereto shall be deemed to have accrued at the date of the issuance of summons, and its actual value at that time shall be the measure of compensation for all property to be actually taken, and the basis of damages to property not actually taken but injuriously affected, in all cases where such damages are allowed by the provisions of this act, *provided*, that in any case in which the issue is not tried within one year after the date of the issuance of summons, unless the delay is caused by the defendants, the compensation and damages shall be deemed to have accrued at the date of trial, and its actual value at that time shall be the measure of compensation.

If an order of the court be made letting plaintiff into immediate possession and the plaintiff shall take immediate possession upon commencing eminent domain proceedings and thereupon giving such security in the amount of money deposited as the court may determine to be reasonable to secure compensation to the owner, as provided in section fourteen of article eleven of the constitution of this state, then the compensation and damages awarded shall draw interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of such order.

No improvements placed upon the property proposed to be taken subsequent to the date of the publication of the resolution of intention in the proceedings shall be included in the assessment of compensation or damages.

The referees, or the court, or the jury, as the case may be, shall find separately:

First—The value of each parcel of property sought to be condemned, and all improvements thereon pertaining to the realty, and of each separate estate or interest therein;

Second—If any parcel of property sought to be condemned is only a part of a larger parcel, the damages which will accrue to the portion not sought to be condemned, and to each separate estate or interest therein, by reason of the severance therefrom of the portion sought to be condemned, and the construction of the improvement in the manner proposed by the plaintiff. Such damages must be fixed irrespective of any benefit from such improvement.

SEC. 32. Upon the filing of the referees' report, the court may, upon motion of any party, appoint a date for hearing the same, not less than twenty days thereafter. Notice of the time and place of said hearing must, at least ten days before the time so appointed, be served on all other parties except those whose default has been entered. The plaintiff, or any defendant who has answered, may file exceptions in writing to said report, specifying the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, at any time not later than one day prior to the hearing, and any such party so filing exceptions to said report may appear at the hearing of said report and contest the same. In addition to the notice hereinbefore provided, the clerk of the court must give notice of the filing of said report and of the time and place appointed for the hearing of the same to all persons owning or having any interest in any property included within the assessment district described in the resolution of intention or the assessment district as finally determined at the conclusion of the hearing upon the resolution of intention if the boundaries were thereupon changed as provided heretofore in this act, by causing said notice last mentioned to be published by five insertions in a daily newspaper published and circulated in the county, and, if there be no such daily newspaper, then by two insertions in a newspaper published less often than daily and circulated in the county. Any publication of such notice shall commence at least ten days before the time appointed for the hearing of said report. Said notice shall require all persons owning or having any interest in any property included within said assessment district to intervene in said action, and file in the office of the clerk of said court his exceptions in writing to said report, if any he has, specifying the grounds upon which such exceptions are based. Said notice need not contain a description of said assessment district but may refer therefor to the resolution of intention, or to the resolution finally establishing the boundaries of said district after the hearing thereon heretofore provided, giving the date of the adoption of said resolution and

the place where the same is on file At any time not later than one day prior to the hearing, any person, not a party to the action, owning or having any interest in any property included within said assessment district may intervene in the action and file his objections in writing to said report, specifying the ground upon which such exceptions are based, and any person so intervening may appear and contest the said report, and introduce evidence in support of such exceptions After hearing the report and any exceptions thereto, the court may confirm the report, or may modify it and confirm it as modified, or may set it aside and may order a new report from the same referees or from new referees to be appointed. If new referees are appointed, the same proceedings and the same qualifications shall apply and the same proceedings shall be had as upon the first reference

If there be a trial of the action by a jury, or by the court without a jury, the clerk of the court must give notice of the time and place of such trial to all persons owning or having any interest in any property included within said assessment district. Said notice shall be published in the same manner and for the same time as the notice theretofore in this section required to be given by said clerk, and shall require all persons owning or having any interest in any property included within said assessment district to intervene in said action, and to appear at the trial thereof and introduce evidence relative to the compensation and damages to be awarded to the defendants therein. At any time not later than one day prior to the trial any person not a party to the action, having any interest in any property included within said assessment district may intervene in the action and, upon the trial thereof, may appear and introduce evidence relative to the compensation and damages to be awarded to the defendants therein. The cost of the publication of the notice required by this section shall be paid by the plaintiff and allowed as costs in the action

When a time has been appointed for hearing the report of the referees, or for the trial of the action, and notice thereof has been given by the clerk by publication as in this section provided, if the hearing or trial be postponed or continued by the court to any subsequent day, no further notice need be given by the clerk of the hearing or trial upon any such postponement or continuance

SEC. 33 Upon the confirmation of the report of the referees, or receipt of the verdict of the jury, or filing of the findings of the court, the court shall make and enter an interlocutory judgment in accordance with such report, verdict or findings, adjudging that upon payment to the respective parties or into court for their benefit, of the several amounts found due them as compensation, and of the costs allowed to them, the property involved in the action shall be condemned to the use of the plaintiff, and dedicated to the use specified in the complaint. The court shall allow to the referees, as costs to be paid by the plaintiff, a reasonable compensation for their services, the amount of which compensation shall be fixed by the court upon the hearing of the report, together with their necessary expenses.

SEC. 34. An appeal may be taken from such interlocutory judgment within thirty days from the entry thereof, and from any order granting or denying a new trial within ten days from the entry thereof

SEC. 35. The legislative body of the plaintiff may, at any time prior to the payment of the compensation awarded the defendants, abandon the proceedings, by resolution, and cause the said action to be dismissed, without prejudice, *provided, however*, that in cases where immediate possession and use of the property to be condemned, or a portion thereof, has been taken, as provided in this act, the proceedings for the acquisition cannot be abandoned, nor the said action dismissed, unless and until the county or municipality whose legislative body is conducting the proceeding, and which is plaintiff in the action, shall first compensate the owners of property over which such possession and use has been taken for all damages occasioned thereby, and such county or municipality shall be liable for such damages.

If proceedings be abandoned or the action be dismissed no attorneys' fees shall be awarded the defendants or any of them

SEC. 36. Upon the entry of the interlocutory judgment the legislative body conducting the proceeding shall fix a day, hour and place for a hearing upon the issuance of bonds against the lands in the assessment district for the purpose of obtaining the amount or amounts set forth in said interlocutory judgment, all costs and expenses chargeable to the plaintiff in said action, and all incidental expenses incurred in the proceeding. If the proceeding includes the making of an improvement in addition to an acquisition and the incidental expense of the proceedings or a portion thereof have been advanced by the contractor for the improvement and have been or are to be included in the bonds issued to him upon the completion of his contract then said incidental expenses so paid or to be paid shall be omitted Said hearing shall also be for the purpose of furnishing an opportunity to all persons owning land within the assessment district, or otherwise interested, and feeling aggrieved by any act or determination done or made in the same proceeding or claiming that any of the previous acts or determinations of the proceedings are irregular, defective, erroneous or faulty or having any objections to offer or any reason to advance why bonds should not be issued in the amount set forth in said notice for the purpose therein set forth, to appear before the legislative body and be heard upon any of the above mentioned matters. The amount or amounts required for said purposes and for which bonds are proposed to be issued shall be

stated in the notice. Prior to the fixing of the time for said hearing, the attorney shall furnish a report to said legislative body showing the amount or amounts necessary for the payment of said interlocutory judgment and all costs and expenses chargeable to the plaintiff in the action and the amount of the incidental expenses of the proceedings (except incidental expenses for which bonds have been or are to be issued to the contractor for the improvement, if any, in the proceeding), which shall be ascertained from the clerk of the legislative body and be included in the total amount for which bonds are proposed to be issued, which total amount shall be stated in the notice. In determining the amount for which said bonds are to be issued, there shall be deducted the amount (if any) to be paid by the county or municipality, or both, toward the expenses of the acquisition, as provided in the resolution of intention, and there shall also be deducted the amount (if any) *theretofore raised by the issuance and sale of bonds to obtain immediate possession and* use of the property to be acquired and deposited, as directed by the court, as security therefor. If any amount has been so raised and deposited, it shall be applied, in the manner directed by the court, toward the payment of the amounts to be paid as set forth in the interlocutory judgment, and shall, pro tanto, reduce the amount required to be raised by the issuance and sale of bonds under this section. Should it happen that the amount so raised and deposited is in excess of the amounts required by the interlocutory judgment to be paid and the said amount of the incidental expenses of the proceedings, then no bonds shall be issued as in this section provided, and such excess, after all incidental expenses of the proceedings have been paid, shall be applied to the interest and sinking fund for the payment of the bonds, then outstanding, which were issued and sold to defray the expenses of the acquisition. The time fixed for said hearing shall not be sooner than ten days from the date upon which it is fixed. Said hearing shall be known as the "Hearing upon the issuance of bonds for an acquisition". The notice of such hearing may, in form, and shall, in substance, (filling all blanks as appropriate) be as follows.

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR AN ACQUISITION.

In the Matter of Acquisition and Improvement District No. _____ of the county (or city) of _____

Notice is hereby given that, in the matter of the acquisition of public ways to be made in the above named district, a hearing will be had at the hour of _____ m. on the _____ day of _____, 19____, at the chambers of the _____ (designating the legislative body) _____ of the county (or city) of _____ (naming the county or municipality)_____, State of California, under the provisions of section thirty-six of the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925", for the purpose of determining whether or not bonds of the said district shall be issued and sold in the sum of _____ dollars, to obtain the amount required to pay the interlocutory judgment in the action brought to condemn the property sought to be taken, all costs and expenses chargeable to the plaintiff in said action and all incidental expenses incurred in the proceeding for the above named district, and of furnishing an opportunity to all persons owning lands within said district, or otherwise interested, and feeling aggrieved by any act or determination done or had in the proceedings for said district, or claiming that any of the previous acts, determinations or proceedings are irregular, defective, erroneous or faulty, or having any objections to offer or any reason to advance why said bonds should not be issued and sold in said amount and for said purposes, to appear before said legislative body and be heard upon any of the above mentioned matters.

The attention of all persons interested is hereby directed to the provisions of said act and to the proceedings in the above named matter and district on file in the office of the clerk of the_____(designating the legislative body)_____ of the county (or city) of_____(naming the county or municipality).

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Clerk of said_____(designating said legislative body.

Said notice shall be signed by the clerk of the legislative body conducting the proceedings and shall be published by at least two insertions, and a copy or copies thereof posted and kept posted for at least two days on or near the chamber door of said legislative body. The date of the first publication and that of said posting (they need not be simultaneous) shall be not less than five days before the date in said notice specified for said hearing

At the time set for said hearing, or at any time to which the same may be continued, any person owning land within the assessment district, or otherwise interested, may appear and be heard upon any of the matters referred to in said notice. Protests or objections may be presented either in writing or orally. Evidence may be received, if offered, going to any of said matters

Said legislative body may remedy and correct any error, defect, irregularity or informality in the proceedings and revise and correct any act or determination relative thereto. All the decisions and determinations of the legislative body upon

notice and hearing as aforesaid shall be final and conclusive upon all persons entitled to be heard under the provisions of the above section and as to all matters determined upon said hearing and as to all errors, informalities, irregularities, omissions and defects which said legislative body might have avoided or have remedied during the progress of the proceedings or which it can remedy at said time, and no bonds thereafter issued or special assessment taxes levied thereafter for the payment of the bonds shall be held invalid by any court for any error, informality, irregularity, omission or other defect in the proceedings, where the resolution of intention has been actually published as in this act provided before the legislative body shall have ordered the acquisition to be made. All objections to any of the matters to which objection may be made at said hearing not made and presented before said legislative body at the time of said hearing or at the time to which the same may be continued shall be waived and may not thereafter be urged

If the legislative body decides that said bonds shall be issued it shall so order and its order and its determination of all of the above matters shall be final and conclusive. Thereupon the clerk of said legislative body shall transmit to the treasurer an attested copy of said order which shall state the aggregate of the principal sum for which such bonds are to be issued, and thereupon bonds shall be issued in said amount and in the form and manner provided in this act for the issuance of bonds under proceedings had under this act Said bonds, when issued, shall be dated as of the date when said order of the legislative body was made.

Upon the issuance of said bonds they shall be sold to the highest cash bidder, after advertisement for bids, which advertisement shall be published by at least two insertions; *provided, however*, that said bonds shall not be sold for less than par. If any bonds be sold for an amount in excess of par such excess shall be applied to the interest and sinking fund for the retirement of the bonds issued in the proceeding. The proceeds of the sale of said bonds shall be paid to the treasurer who shall place the same in a special fund, designating such fund by the name of the district against which the bonds were issued and as the fund to defray the expenses of the acquisition. The legislative body shall on or before the time of the sale of such bonds and the deposit of the moneys derived therefrom in said fund cause to be transferred from the general or such other fund as was named in the resolution of intention from which a portion of the total expense was to be paid by the county or municipality, as the case may be, to the said special fund said amount so provided to be paid

SEC. 37 As soon as there is sufficient money in the hands of the treasurer, in the special fund to defray the expenses of the acquisition (together with the amount, if any, received from the issuance and sale of bonds to obtain immediate possession and use and deposited for that purpose), to pay the amounts including costs awarded to the defendants by the interlocutory judgment in the action in condemnation, the said amounts including costs shall be paid to the parties entitled thereto, or into court for their benefit. Upon satisfactory proof being made to the court of payment of the amounts awarded by the interlocutory judgment or judgments to the respective parties entitled thereto, including costs awarded, or into court for their benefit, it shall direct the interlocutory judgment to be satisfied and shall make and enter a final judgment condemning the lands described in the complaint to the use of the plaintiff, for the uses specified in such complaint.

SEC. 38. If, for any reason, there shall be a deficiency in the funds derived from the issuance of bonds, as heretofore provided, for any improvement or acquisition, or both, comprehended under a proceeding had and taken under this act, including all incidental expenses thereof, the legislative body which conducted the proceeding may meet such deficiency by an appropriation out of the general fund of the county or municipality, as the case may be, or by ordering a supplemental issue of bonds of the district and the sale of such bonds, all in like manner and form and subject to like procedure and after like notice as that heretofore in this act prescribed for the issuing of bonds to defray the expenses of an acquisition or improvement. In the event such a supplemental issue of bonds is made, said legislative body may advance the deficiency required to be met from the general fund of the county or municipality, as the case may be, and thereafter reimburse said fund from the proceeds of such supplemental issue.

SEC. 39. The bonds issued under and in pursuance of this act for either any acquisition or improvement, or both such acquisition and improvement, may in form and shall in substance (using designations and filling blanks as appropriate under the proceeding) be as indicated following, to wit:

ACQUISITION AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT BOND.

Acquisition and Improvement District No. _____
of the County (or City) of _____, State of California.

Bond No. _____
$_____ Series _____

Under and by virtue of an act of the legislature of the State of California, known as the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," the county (or city) of _____, State of California, will pay to the bearer, out of the fund hereinafter designated, at the office of the treasurer of said county (or city), on the _____

day of _____, 19____, the sum of _____ dollars in gold coin of the United States of America, with interest thereon in like gold coin at the rate of _____ per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the second day of January and the second day of July in each year from the date hereof (except the last installment thereof which shall be payable at the maturity of this bond) upon presentation and surrender, as they respectively become due, of the proper interest coupons hereto attached, the first of which is for interest from the date hereof to the next date of interest payment and the last for interest to maturity hereof from the last preceding date of interest payment.

This bond is issued under and in conformity with the provisions of the above mentioned "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925" and is one of _____ (here use the words "a series of", if bonds are to be issued under the proceeding for either an acquisition or improvement only, and the words "several series of", if bonds are to be issued for both an acquisition and improvement) _____ bonds issued to represent the expenses of certain _____ (here use the words "acquisitions of property by the public," if bonds are to be issued for an acquisition only, and the words "public improvements", if bonds are to be issued for an improvement only, and the words "acquisitions of property by the public and public improvements", if bonds are to be issued for both an acquisition and improvement in the same proceeding) _____ authorized by the provisions of said act and comprehended in the proceedings had for the above named district. It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all proceedings, acts and things required by law precedent to or in the issuance of this bond have been regularly had, done and performed, and this bond is by law made conclusive evidence thereof.

This bond is payable out of the "Acquisition and Improvement District No. _____ of the county (or city) of _____ Interest and Sinking Fund" exclusively, as the said fund appears upon the books of the treasurer of said county (or city) and neither said county (or city) nor any officer thereof shall be holden for its payment otherwise, but in accordance with the provisions of said act a special assessment tax will be levied and collected upon the lands in said district in an amount clearly sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds as the same shall become payable.

In witness whereof the _____ (here designate the legislative body) _____ of the said county (or city) has caused this bond to be signed by the treasurer of said county (or city) and the seal of _____ (here use the words "the board of supervisors of said county" or the words "said city", as the case may be) _____ to be hereto affixed this _____ day of _____, 19____.

_____
Treasurer of the county (or city)
of _____, State of California.

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The designation of the district by its name and number set forth at the top of the bond shall be sufficient to identify and distinguish each and all of the bonds thereof from any other issue. In the event that the proceeding comprehends an improvement only, all the bonds issued thereunder may be designated as of one series, as for example, "Series A". In the event it comprehends an acquisition, and bonds are issued to raise funds necessary to obtain an order of possession over the property to be acquired before trial, as in this act provided, the bonds issued for that purpose shall be designated by a separate series from those issued thereafter, if any, to defray the remaining expenses of the acquisition, as for example, "Series A" for the bonds issued to raise such funds, and "Series B" for the bonds issued for the remaining expenses of the acquisition. In the event the proceeding comprehends both an acquisition and an improvement, the bonds issued for the expenses of the improvement and those issued for the expenses of the acquisition shall be designated by separate series, as for example, those issued for the improvement as "Series A", those issued to raise funds to obtain such an order of possession as "Series B", and those issued for the remaining expenses of the acquisition as "Series C", according to the order, in point of time, in which the respective issues are made.

All bonds issued under this act shall be signed by the treasurer of the county or municipality whose legislative body conducts the proceeding and shall have the seal of the board of supervisors of the county or the seal of the city, as the case may be, thereto affixed, and when so signed shall be binding according to the terms thereof as prescribed in the above form therefor. The interest coupons attached to said bonds shall be in such form as the said treasurer shall determine, subject to the provisions of this act and the determination made by the legislative body, and the signature of said interest coupons by said treasurer, by either written or engraved or printed facsimile signature shall be sufficient.

SEC. 40. The principal and interest of the bonds issued under this act shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of America at the office of the treasurer issuing the same. The legislative body is hereby vested with power to determine and shall in the resolution of intention determine the number of years, not to exceed thirty, after the issuance of any bonds issued, within which the aggregate principal of all the bonds to be issued in any proceeding under this act shall be paid and discharged, and to fix the rate of interest, not to exceed eight per cent per annum, to be paid thereon, and it shall be a sufficient determination and fixing of

the same to set forth in the resolution of intention that bonds will be issued for the expense of the things to be done in any language that will fairly indicate such time and such rate and the fractional part of the principal to be paid each year. It may be provided in said resolution that the first payment shall become due either one, two, three, four or five years after the date of said bonds. The number of installments of payments on the principal shall be indicated in said resolution of intention. The amount of the principal due in each annual payment need not be exactly the same, but with respect to each installment excepting the last may be made to differ not more than one hundred dollars from the amount obtained by dividing the total of the principal amount due under the bonds by the number of installments. Each installment except the last shall be an even multiple of one hundred. The last installment shall be for the balance of the total principal amount not provided to be paid in the previous installments.

The interest payments on said bonds shall be payable semi-annually on the second day of January and the second day of July of each year, except the last installment thereof which shall be payable at the maturity of the bonds, in the manner indicated in the form of bonds in this act set forth. It shall not be necessary, either in the resolution of intention or otherwise, to set forth or determine the days of the month on which payments of interest are to be made, nor that payments shall be made in gold coin, nor that payments shall be made at such treasurer's office, but all persons are charged with notice of the contents of this section, especially in the aforesaid particulars.

SEC. 41 For each district in which bonds have been issued under the provisions of this act a special fund to be named "Acquisition and improvement district No. ____ of the county (or city) of _____ interest and sinking fund" (the number to be that of the district) for the discharge and payment of such bonds, whether issued for an acquisition or improvement, or both, and interest thereon, shall be constituted by the county or municipality (as the case may be) whose legislative body has conducted the proceedings, as follows, to wit: There shall each year, at the time of the general tax levy for state and county taxes, or at the time of levying taxes to be collected for general municipal purposes, as the case may be, be levied against and upon all the lands within said district (including any land which is the operative property of any public utility, and including any lands belonging to any county, municipality, district, public agency, mandatory of the government, school board, educational, penal or reformatory institution or institution for the feeble minded or insane, whether being used in the performance of a public function or not, unless declaration was made in the resolution of intention omitting any of said lands from the assessment to be made, but not including any lands belonging to the United States government or to the State of California) according to the assessed valuation of said lands, exclusive of any improvements thereon, a special assessment tax in an amount clearly sufficient, together with any moneys which are or may be in said fund, to pay all the principal which has become or will become due and all interest which has become or will become payable on the bonds issued under the proceeding before the proceeds of another tax levy made at the time of the general tax levy for state and county purposes, or at the time of another levy of taxes to be collected for general municipal purposes (as the case may be), can be made available for the payment of said principal and interest. If the said district has been divided up into zones and the percentage of the expenses to be raised from each such zone has been determined, as provided in this act, in that event the said amount of said special assessment tax to be levied shall be divided up according to said percentages and the percentage to be raised from the lands in each zone shall be levied against and upon the lands therein as above provided. Such special assessment taxes shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for state and county purposes, or for municipal purposes (as the case may be), and shall be levied, computed, entered, collected and enforced in the same manner and by the same persons and at the same time and with the same penalties and interest as are other taxes for state and county purposes, or for municipal purposes (as the case may be), and all laws applicable to the levy, collection and enforcement of taxes for state and county purposes or for municipal purposes (as the case may be) are hereby made applicable to said special assessment taxes. It shall be the duty of the county assessor to assess, exclusive of any improvements thereon, all lands (if any there may be in any assessment district formed under this act) not otherwise assessed for purposes of general county taxes or general taxes of a municipality, against which such special assessment taxes are to be levied and collected as aforesaid.

The legislative body of the county or municipality (as the case may be) conducting the proceedings may annually, at the time of making said tax levy, transfer from the general fund of such county or municipality, or from any fund which may be used for acquisitions or improvements of a similar character as those made under the proceeding, to the interest and sinking fund above provided for such amount as in the judgment of said legislative body should be transferred. It is the intention of this provision that further assistance, in addition to that, if any, provided for in the resolution of intention and that which may be given as elsewhere provided in this act, may be given by the county or municipality toward the payment of the expenses of the thing or things done under the proceedings after bonds for said

expenses shall have been issued and sold, and apart from the loans, and apart from the advances under the revolving fund elsewhere in this act provided for.

In any event it shall be the duty of said legislative body to levy a special assessment tax upon all of the said lands within such district, sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds as the same shall become payable, and said legislative body is hereby vested with power and jurisdiction to do all and singular the things which in this section aforesaid it is declared shall be done. Whenever any of said bonds or any payment of principal or interest thereon shall become due and there shall not be sufficient money in said interest and sinking fund to pay the same the legislative body may, pending the levy and collection of a special assessment tax therefor, order the amount of money necessary to pay said bonds or payment of principal or interest so falling due to be transferred from the general fund of the county or municipality, as the case may be, to said interest and sinking fund, and the amount of money so transferred shall be deemed a loan to said interest and sinking fund and shall be repaid to the general fund from the first money coming into said interest and sinking fund thereafter. Any money remaining in any acquisition and improvement district interest and sinking fund after all of the bonds of the district have been retired shall be transferred to the general fund of the county, or municipality, as the case may be, whose legislative body has had jurisdiction over the proceeding and may by said body be used in repairing any public way in said district, regardless of whether a portion or all of the district as originally formed may have been included within one or more municipalities which did not include such portion or all of the district at the time the proceedings for the same were initiated.

SEC 42. All bonds issued in pursuance of the provisions of this act shall by their issuance be conclusive evidence of the regularity, validity and legal sufficiency of all proceedings, acts and determinations in any wise pertaining thereto, had or made under this act, and after the same are issued no tax levied or collected for the purpose of paying the principal or interest on said bonds shall be held to be invalid or illegal, or set aside or refunded, by reason of any error, informality, irregularity, omission or defect in any of the proceedings, acts or determinations in any wise pertaining to the issuance or payment of said bonds, nor shall any action or proceeding be thereafter commenced or maintained to cancel or set aside said bonds or to prevent the payment thereof or the levy or collection or enforcement of a tax for such payment.

SEC 43. The legislative body of any county or municipality shall have authority and power, by resolution or ordinance, to create, and to maintain, use and reimburse, as herein provided, a revolving fund or funds in connection with and incident to proceedings had under this act, for the purpose of facilitating, contributing toward or assisting in any way any improvements or acquisitions, or both such improvements and acquisitions, authorized in this act and any of the things which may be done hereunder. Said legislative body shall have power and authority by resolution to order transferred to and deposited in such revolving fund or funds money from the general fund, the permanent improvement fund, general street improvement fund, or any fund received and to be expended in laying out, constructing or otherwise improving or maintaining any public way or ways or property or rights-of-way of the public, or to be expended in acquiring property or rights-of-way therefor, or from the proceeds of any bonds issued either before or after the creation of such revolving fund, the proceeds of which may lawfully be appropriated to and expended for any of the things which may be done under this act, or from any other fund which may lawfully be appropriated to and expended for any of the purposes for which a proceeding may be had and taken under this act. Out of any revolving fund or funds created as herein provided the legislative body of the county or municipality, as the case may be, shall have authority and the power to appropriate any sum or sums deemed necessary and to expend the same for any of the things permitted to be done under this act, including any or all incidental expenses of proceedings, and may advance any sum or sums from any said revolving fund to pay any amount due upon any contract under this act, and may advance money from any said revolving fund and deposit the same in court as security for the purpose of obtaining immediate possession and use of any property sought to be acquired, as provided in this act, and may appropriate money out of any such revolving fund and purchase, at not exceeding the par value thereof, bonds issued under this act and collect and deposit in such revolving fund payments of principal and interest upon any such bonds so purchased from such revolving fund. Whenever the legislative body shall appropriate and expend or advance any sum or sums out of any said revolving fund to pay or to secure the payment of any of the costs and expenses of any improvement or acquisition, or both authorized by this act, said legislative body shall have power and authority to order that the revolving fund be reimbursed, either in whole or in part by the deposit therein of the proceeds of any bonds issued under this act in an amount or amounts not exceeding the amount so paid out or advanced from the revolving fund, or said legislative body upon making appropriations out of and expending any moneys from such revolving fund, as herein authorized shall have power and authority to reimburse said revolving fund in whole or in part by appropriating thereto and depositing therein additional moneys

from any of the funds hereinbefore enumerated from which transfers to and deposits in revolving funds may be made.

The legislative body may at any time reduce or discontinue any revolving fund herein authorized and established by its order and shall thereupon transfer the moneys remaining therein to the funds from which the same were derived or may expend such moneys for any acquisitions or improvements which may be made under this act.

SEC. 44. Whenever any court of competent jurisdiction shall determine that any contract purporting to have been made, or any proceedings, steps or actions purporting to have been taken, or any bond or bonds issued under this act, is or are void, invalid or unenforceable, or shall for any cause enjoin the issuance of any bonds proposed to be issued under this act, said court shall also determine whether any work has been done or improvements have been performed in good faith by any contractor under said invalid contract or proceeding or under any contract pursuant to which said bonds were issued or proposed to be issued, and if so what part, if any, of the said work or improvement was of such kind as might have been ordered under the provisions of this act, and whether the acquisitions made or purported to have been made are such as might have been ordered under the provisions of this act. If the court shall find that any work or improvement of such kind as might have been ordered under this act has been done or performed in good faith by any contractor under or in pursuance of a contract purporting to have been made under the provisions of this act, or that any acquisition has been made or attempted to be made which could have been made under the provisions of this act, then the said court shall direct the legislative body which conducted the proceeding to take proceedings as in this section provided for the issuing of new bonds to cover the reasonable value of said work or improvement, and to cover the expenses of such acquisitions as have been made. Said legislative body may also, without any decree of any court, upon the written application of a contractor who may have done or performed in good faith any work or improvements pursuant to a contract purporting to have been made under this act, or of the assignee of such contractor, if such work or improvements shall have been accepted, or of any bondholder, or upon the written application of any person interested in an acquisition attempted to be had under the proceeding, or of any bondholder, determine that the proceedings authorizing said work or improvements, or the acceptance thereof, or said acquisition, are for any reason invalid, and direct that new proceedings be had as provided in this section for the issuing of bonds to cover the reasonable value of so much of said work or improvements as is of a kind which might have been ordered and performed under this act, and to cover the expenses of the acquisition or acquisitions of such property as might have been ordered under this act.

It is hereby declared to be the true intent and meaning of this section to make the costs and expenses of all work or improvements made or to be made and of all acquisitions had or to be had through an attempted compliance with and exercise of the powers conferred by the provisions of this act, payable by the lands benefited or to be benefited by such work, improvements and acquisitions, by the issuance of new bonds to defray the expenses thereof.

Upon a decree of court or an order of the legislative body having been made as above provided, the said legislative body shall cause to be made by the superintendent of work or by some other county (or city) officer, as the case may be, or by some other competent person appointed by it for that purpose, a report for a proposed new bond issue. Said report, in the case of an improvement, shall set forth a description of the work or improvements done or performed by said contractor or assignee pursuant to the contract referred to in said decree of court or order of the legislative body, which work or improvements have been found by said court or said body to be of such kind as might have been ordered under this act, and shall state the reasonable value of said work or improvements (which shall not exceed the aggregate of the original contract price, if any, for said work and improvements, together with the incidental expenses of the original proceedings for said work and improvements, and shall also include interest upon said total, at the same rate proposed for the new bond issue, from the date of the original acceptance of said work by the legislative body, if so accepted), and a description of the district of the lands benefited thereby, and a description of the zones, if any, into which such district is divided, in each of which zones the lands included therein shall be benefited in like measure, and a statement of the percentage to be raised from the lands in each of such zones each year for the payment of the installments of principal and interest on the bonds falling due, and describe the bonds to be issued for the said amount, which bonds shall be as nearly as possible the same as to maturity, rate of interest and other particulars as the bonds described in the original proceedings for said work or improvements, correcting any errors or irregularities that may have existed in the description of the bonds in said original proceedings, and subject to the limitations contained in this act as to maturity and rate of interest. In the event said report comprehends an acquisition or acquisitions it shall set forth a description of such acquisitions as have been found by the court or said legislative body to be of such kind as might have been ordered under this act, and shall state the amount necessary to defray the expenses thereof (which shall not exceed the total amount of the original expense thereof, including incidental

expenses of the original proceedings therefor and interest thereon at the same rate proposed for the new bond issue from the date of the order of the legislative body for the issuance of the original bonds for said acquisition, if any). In the event any payments have been made upon the principal or interest of any bonds outstanding, which have been declared invalid, by the owners of lands within the assessment district by the payment of any special assessment taxes which have been levied therefor, the amounts of such payments shall be ascertained and deducted from the amount for which new bonds are to be issued under this section and said report shall set forth the amount of the payments made and state that a credit or offset is to be made for said amount in the issuance of such new bonds. Said report shall be entitled in the matter of the same acquisition and improvement district as the original proceedings under which such improvements or acquisitions were made, shall be signed by the person making said report and be filed with the clerk of said legislative body. Upon the filing of said report the legislative body shall fix a day, hour and place for a hearing thereon, which time shall be not less than twenty days after the time of the filing, and direct the clerk of said body to give notice of the filing of said report and of said hearing, as provided in this section. The said clerk shall thereupon give notice of the filing of said report and of said hearing, which notice may, in form, and shall, in substance be (filling blanks) as follows:

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PROPOSED NEW BOND ISSUE.

In the Matter of Acquisition and Improvement District No. _____ (giving the same number as in the original proceeding) of the county (or city) of_____ State of California.

Notice is hereby given that a report for a proposed new bond issue in the above entitled matter has been filed with the clerk of the_____ (designating the legislative body)_____ of the county (or city) of_____. Said report describes work and improvements declared to be of the reasonable value of $_____ as follows: (here insert a general description of the location and extent of the work and improvement sufficient to identify the same and of the character thereof, in general terms.) (If the report comprehends an acquisition or acquisitions also insert the following:) Said report also describes an acquisition of property by the public, the expense of which is declared to be the sum of $_____ and includes the following: (here insert in general terms a description of the property acquired and for what purpose acquired). Said report declares that the district of the lands benefited by said work and improvement and/or acquisition, as the case may be, is described as follows: (here insert description of the district contained in the report). Said report also declares that the lands in said district are divided into the following zones (if such be the case), each zone including the lands benefited in like measure: (here insert a description of the zones in which the district is divided). The percentages of the amounts to be raised by special assessment taxes against the lands in each of said zones to defray said expenses are as follows: (here insert the alphabetical or numerical designation of each zone and opposite it the percentage to be raised therefrom).

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that it is proposed to issue new bonds for said work and improvements (and/or acquisition, as the case may be), to the amount (or amounts) of the reasonable value and the expenses thereof, being the amount (or amounts) above stated—less the sum (if any there be) of_____ dollars, which has been paid upon bonds previously issued, by the payment of special assessment taxes levied therefor, and for which a credit or offset will be made in the issuance of said new bonds. Said bonds to bear interest at the rate of_____ per cent per annum, payable semiannually, all in gold coin of the United States (and such other language as is necessary to describe said bonds), and to pay the principal and interest of said bonds by the levy of special assessment taxes annually upon the lands within the district above described, all as provided for in the "Acquisition and Improvement Act of 1925," to which statute the notice of all persons interested is hereby directed; and that a hearing on the said matter will be held before the said legislative body at the hour of_____ m. on the_____ day of_____, 19____, at the chambers thereof, located at_____.

Given by order of said legislative body (describing same) this_____ day of _____, 19____.

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Clerk of_____ (designating the legislative body)

Said notice shall be published by at least three insertions and a copy thereof shall be posted for five days (not necessarily simultaneously) on or near the chamber door of said legislative body. Said publication and posting shall be completed not less than ten days before the date fixed for said hearing.

At the time fixed for the hearing of said report, or at any time to which said hearing may be continued, any person interested may appear and be heard upon any of the matters set forth in said report. Said legislative body shall have the power to confirm said report and to revise, correct or modify said report in such manner as it shall deem just and in accordance with the facts, in respect either to the amount or character of the work or improvement done or the reasonable value

thereof (which value, however, shall not exceed the aggregate of the original contract price, if any, and the incidental expenses of the original proceedings, and shall also include interest thereon at the same rate adopted for the new bond issue from the date of the original acceptance of said work or improvement by the legislative body, if so accepted), to the acquisition or acquisitions made or to be made and the expenses thereof (which shall not exceed the aggregate of the amounts paid or to be paid for the property acquired and the incidental expenses of the proceedings for such acquisition and shall also include interest upon the bonds issued or to be issued at the same rate adopted for the new bond issue from the date of the order of the legislative body directing the issuance of the original bonds), to the question of the district of the lands to be benefited (but any lands not included within the description set forth in said report shall not be included within said district), to the zones (if any) into which said district is divided, or to the percentages to be raised in each of said zones, or in respect to all of said matters, and at the conclusion of the hearing shall adopt a resolution declaring its findings and determinations in the matter, which shall be final and conclusive upon all persons and in all proceedings as to all matters so found and determined. If no changes are made in any of the matters set forth in said report it shall be sufficient in said resolution to declare that said report is confirmed and that bonds shall be issued as therein provided, but if any changes are made such changes shall be set forth and it may be declared that said report is confirmed as so modified by the changes set forth. The clerk of the legislative body shall at once transmit an attested copy of said resolution to the treasurer and upon receipt of the same the treasurer shall proceed to issue bonds as therein ordered. Said bonds shall be dated as of the date of the adoption of said resolution ordering the issuance of the same, and shall be issued and signed in all respects by the same officers and in the same manner and form as the bonds issued under the provisions for the original bond issue and special assessment taxes shall be levied, collected and enforced for the payment of the same in like manner and by the same officers as hereinbefore provided. Said bonds by their issuance shall be conclusive evidence of the regularity of all proceedings prior thereto under this act and after the same are issued no tax levied or collected for the purpose of paying the principal or interest on said bonds shall be held to be illegal or set aside or refunded by reason of any error, informality, irregularity, omission or defect in any of the proceedings prior to the issuance of said bonds, nor shall any action or proceeding be thereafter commenced or maintained to cancel or set aside said bonds or prevent the payment thereof, or the levy, collection or enforcement of any taxes for such payment.

Upon their issuance, such of said new bonds as may be for an improvement and the expenses thereof shall be delivered by the treasurer to the contractor, his successors or assigns or order, so that he or they may receive pay in full of the amount of his contract performed in good faith and covering improvements made which could be made under this act, together with all incidental expenses paid by him and interest as aforesaid, or to the then holders (if any bonds have been issued and transferred by the contractor to other parties) of any outstanding bonds declared invalid, such delivery to be made upon surrender for cancellation of the original bonds declared invalid, if any, issued for the improvement. Such of said new bonds as may be for an acquisition and the expenses thereof shall, upon their issuance, if bonds have been issued and sold prior thereto for such acquisition and expenses and declared invalid, be delivered to the then holders of such outstanding bonds declared invalid, upon surrender for cancellation of such bonds, and, if no bonds have been issued and sold, then said new bonds shall be sold as in this act provided for the sale of bonds originally issued for the payment of the expenses of acquisition and the proceeds of such sale used to defray the expenses of the acquisition as heretofore provided.

All payments made, through the payment of special assessment taxes levied, upon any bonds issued under proceedings taken or purporting to have been taken under this act, which proceedings or bonds shall have been held or determined to be invalid or void, as in this section provided, subsequent to the issuance and sale of said bonds, shall, upon the issuance of new bonds, as in this section provided, for the balance remaining after crediting such payments, be deemed to have been made upon the new bonds issued hereunder, the same as though said new bonds had been issued for the total amount set forth in the report, without crediting any payments made upon bonds previously issued and the payments which had been made returned and no payments so made shall in such case ever be recovered or any tax proceedings or sales held invalid on that account.

SEC. 45. Any bonds which shall be issued under the provisions of this act shall be legal investments for all trust funds, and for the funds of insurance companies, banks, both commercial and savings, and trust companies, and for state school funds, and whenever any money or funds may by any law now or hereafter enacted be invested in bonds of cities, cities and counties, counties, school districts or irrigation districts within the state of California, such money or funds may be invested in the said bonds issued under this act and in accordance with its provisions, and whenever bonds of cities, cities and counties, counties, school districts or irrigation districts within this state may by any law now or hereafter enacted

be used as security for the performance of any act or the deposit of any public moneys, the said bonds issued under this act and in pursuance of its provisions may be so used.

SEC. 46. Any bonds issued under this act may be surrendered by the holder thereof to the treasurer of the county or municipality, as the case may be, in accordance with the provisions of any law now or hereafter enacted applicable to the registration of municipal, county or district bonds, and thereafter the principal and interest becoming due thereon shall be paid to the proper registered owner thereof

SEC. 47 If in any proceedings hereunder, at the time of any hearing a quorum of the legislative body is not present, said hearing may, by order of any one member of said legislative body or by announcement of the clerk thereof if no member is present, be continued to a day and hour to be stated in the order or announcement Such order or announcement and a statement of the name of the members of the legislative body present, if any, shall be entered in the minutes of said legislative body and the said hearing shall be deemed and held to be regularly continued to the said hour so ordered or announced. If, for any reason, any such hearing is not had at the time fixed therefor and no order or announcement is made, as above provided, continuing the same to another time, the power of the legislative body in the premises shall not thereby be divested, but the legislative body may proceed anew to fix a time and place for such hearing and cause notice thereof to be given by publication by at least one insertion, such publication to be at least five days before the date of the hearing, and thereupon the legislative body shall have power to proceed and act as in the first instance

SEC 48. Whenever any resolution, order, notice or other matter is required to be published or posted and the duty of posting or procuring the publication or posting of the same is not specifically enjoined upon any officer, it shall be the duty of the clerk of the legislative body conducting the proceeding to post or procure the publication or posting thereof, as the case may be. No proceeding or step required under this act shall be rendered insufficient or affected in any way by any error, mistake or departure as to the officer or person posting or procuring the publication or posting of any resolution, notice, order or matter hereunder, when the same is actually published or posted for the time required

Proof of the publication of any resolution, order, notice or other matter required by the provisions of this act shall be made by affidavit of the owner, publisher, printer or clerk of the newspaper and proof of the posting of any such resolution, order, notice or other matter required to be posted shall be made by the affidavit of the person posting the same or of the person who procured the same to be posted. Such affidavits of publication and posting shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the legislative body conducting the proceeding and it shall be the duty of any officer or, person who is required by this act to have any resolution, order, notice or other matter published or posted, to obtain and file the affidavit or affidavits in proof thereof; *provided*, that his failure so to do shall not affect in any way the validity of any proceedings under this act. Any such affidavits so filed shall be prima facie evidence of the facts therein stated regarding such publication or posting.

No publication or notice other than those provided for in this act shall be necessary in any of the proceedings provided for herein

SEC. 49 The notices, resolutions, orders or other matters required to be published by the provisions of this act shall be published as follows, to wit:

If the legislative body conducting the proceedings be that of a county, whether or not the proceeding includes an acquisition or improvement in and the assessment district includes land within one or more municipalities as well as in unincorporated territory of the county, the publications shall be made in a newspaper to be selected and designated by said legislative body, published and circulated in said county, which may be published either daily or less often than daily; and if the legislative body conducting the proceedings be that of a municipality, whether or not the proceeding includes an acquisition or improvement in and the assessment district includes land within another municipality or unincorporated territory of the county, or both, as well as within its own boundaries, the publication shall be made in a newspaper to be selected and designated by said legislative body, published and circulated either in the municipality for which such legislative body functions or elsewhere in the county in which said municipality is located, which newspaper may be one published either daily or less often than daily. The newspaper selected shall be that deemed by said legislative body most likely to give notice to all owners of land in the assessment district and persons interested in the proceedings; *provided however, that it shall not be necessary for said legislative body to set forth a* determination of said fact in any of the proceedings, but such determination shall be presumed from the selection and designation of the newspaper. Said legislative body may designate in the resolution of intention the newspaper for making the publication thereof and for making all other publications in or incident to the proceedings. In such case it shall not be necessary thereafter to designate the newspaper for each publication; *provided, however*, that if publication in the newspaper designated in the resolution of intention for making all publications in the proceedings shall become impossible for the reason that such newspaper has ceased to be

published, or for any like reason which renders publication therein impossible, the legislative body may, by a resolution entered in its minutes, in which the facts are set forth, designate another newspaper for each required publication as occasion therefor arises. If a designation of a newspaper for making all publications in the proceedings is not made in the resolution of intention, as above provided, the legislative body shall designate a newspaper for the publication of each notice, resolution, order or other matter required to be published as the occasion for such publication arises and in its order directing such publication. Whenever in this act it is provided that any notice, resolution, order or other matter "be published", such provision shall be deemed to and shall mean a publication in a newspaper as in this section provided.

If no newspaper be published in the county, where the legislative body of a county conducts a proceeding, or in the county in which the municipality is situated, where the legislative body of a municipality conducts a proceeding, then any resolutions, notices, orders or other matters required to be published in a newspaper may, in lieu of publication, be posted in three public places in the county, or municipality, as the case may be, and with like effect as if published, the said posting to be completed within the time provided for the publication.

The provisions of this section shall be controlling in all proceedings had and taken under this act, and no other statute shall govern or be applicable to the publications in this act provided for.

This section shall not apply to the publication of the notices required to be published by the clerk of the court in section 32 of this act.

SEC. 50. Subdivision 1. The term "public way," as used in this act, shall be deemed to mean and shall include all public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights-of-way of the public, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more unincorporated municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether wholly or partly within or without said boundaries. Said term, as used in this act, shall also be deemed to mean and shall include all property for which an order to take immediate possession and use of a right-of-way thereover for a public use has been obtained from a court of competent jurisdiction in any action in eminent domain or proceeding for the acquisition thereof, in compliance with the provisions of section fourteen or article one of the Constitution of this state.

Subdivision 2. The word "acquire," and any of its variants, as used in this act, shall be deemed to mean and shall include the acquisition of any public way or ways, as the same are above defined and any other property and rights-of-way of the public, or to be acquired for the public, in any manner provided by law, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, and straightening of the same, in whole or in part.

Subdivision 3. The word "improve," and any of its variants, as used in this act, shall be deemed to mean and shall include the construction or doing of the things and work following, either singly or in any combination thereof, as well as the reconstruction and repairing thereof, viz:

(*a*) Grading or regrading, paving or repaving, planking or replanking, macadamizing or remacadamizing, graveling or regraveling, oiling or reoiling.

(*b*) The construction or reconstruction of sidewalks, cross-walks, steps, parks and parkways, culverts, bridges, curbs, gutters, tunnels, subways or viaducts.

(*c*) Sanitary sewers or instrumentalities of sanitation, together with the necessary outlets, cesspools, manholes, catch basins, flush tanks, septic tanks, disposal plants, connecting sewers, ditches, drains, conduits, tunnels, channels or other appurtenances.

(*d*) Drains, tunnels, sewers, conduits, culverts and channels for drainage purposes, with necessary outlets, cesspools, manholes, catch basins, flush tanks, septic tanks, disposal plants, connecting sewers, ditches, drains, conduits, channels and appurtenances.

(*e*) Poles, posts, wires, pipes, conduits, tunnels, lamps and other suitable or necessary appliances for the purpose of lighting public ways or property.

(*f*) Pipes, hydrants and appliances for fire protection.

(*g*) Breakwaters, levees, bulkheads and walls of rock or other material to protect public ways, or property or rights-of-way from overflow by water.

(*h*) Wells, pumps, dams, reservoirs, storage tanks, channels, tunnels, conduits, pipes, hydrants, meters or other appurtenances for supplying or distributing a domestic water supply.

(*i*) Mains, services, pipes, fittings, valves, regulators, governors, meters, drips, drains, tanks, ditches, tunnels, conduits, channels or other appurtenances for supplying or distributing a domestic or industrial gas supply.

(*j*) Retaining walls, embankments and other structures necessary or suitable in connection with any of the work mentioned in this section.

(*k*) The planting of trees, shrubs or other ornamental vegetation.

(*l*) All other work which may be deemed necessary to improve the whole or any portion of any public ways or property or rights-of-way of the public

(*m*) All other work or improvements, auxiliary, incidental, necessary or convenient to any of the above which may be required to carry out, facilitate or complete the same

Subdivision 4. The word "work," when used in this act, shall be deemed to mean and shall include all the things included and all the works comprehended within the above definition of the word "improve."

Subdivision 5. The words "acquisition" and "improvement," when used in this act, referring to that which is done, which is to be done, or which may be done under proceedings had under this act, shall be understood to be generic and as being employed for the purpose of brevity and to avoid repetition, and shall refer to and include any or all of the things comprehended in the definitions of the words "acquire" and "improve" above given.

Subdivision 6. All work or improvement provided to be done "in" or "on" any public way or property or rights-of-way of the public in this act shall be deemed to mean and shall include such work or improvement in, under, upon and above the same.

Subdivision 7. The term "legislative body," as used in this act, when applied to a municipality, shall mean the body or board which, under the law, constitutes the legislative department of the government of the municipality, and, when applied to a county, shall mean the board of supervisors of the county.

Subdivision 8. The term "incidental expenses," as used in this act, when referring to proceedings for an acquisition, shall be deemed to mean and shall include, in addition to the amounts awarded to the defendants by the interlocutory judgment, the costs of the defendants, the compensation and expenses of the referees, as allowed by the court, and all other costs of the plaintiff in such action and expenses incurred by it in the trial thereof; all expenses necessarily incurred in connection with such proceedings for the publication and posting of resolutions, notices and orders in any of the proceedings, for maps, plats, surveys, searches and certificates of title to the property to be acquired, the compensation of the person appointed to prepare and furnish specifications for the acquisition, the compensation of the special counsel or attorney employed to prepare any or all of the proceedings necessary to be had and taken and/or to commence, prosecute and bring to a conclusion the necessary court actions, and the estimated cost of preparing the bonds and any other expenses incurred by authority of this act or incidental to the completion of the acquisition in the manner herein specified. The said term, as used in this act, when referring to proceedings for an improvement, shall be deemed to mean and shall include all expenses necessarily incurred in the proceedings for the publication and posting of resolutions, notices and orders in any of such proceedings, the compensation of the person appointed to prepare and furnish specifications therefor, the compensation of the superintendent of work, the compensation of the engineer, and the estimated cost of preparing the bonds and any other expenses incurred by authority of this act or incidental to the completion of the improvement in the manner herein specified.

Subdivision 9. The word "treasurer", as used in this act, shall mean and refer to, in all proceedings conducted by the legislative body of a county, the county treasurer, and in all proceedings conducted by the legislative body of a municipality, the city treasurer.

Subdivision 10. The word "municipality" and the word "city", as used in this act, shall mean and include any corporation heretofore organized and now existing and those hereafter organized for municipal purposes.

Subdivision 11. The words "land" and "lands", as used in this act, shall be deemed to refer to and shall include pieces, parcels, lots, portions of lots, and all other subdivisions of land.

SEC. 51. This act shall in no wise affect any other act or acts now existing or which may hereafter be passed covering the same subject matter nor apply to any proceedings had thereunder but it is intended to and does provide an alternative system for making the improvements and acquisitions provided for in this act and of accomplishing the purposes comprehended herein, and it shall be in the discretion of the appropriate legislative body to proceed under the provisions either of this act or of any other such act, but when any proceedings are commenced under this act, the provisions of this act and of such amendments hereto as may hereafter be passed and no other shall apply to all such proceedings, and any provisions contained in any of such other acts or any acts in conflict herewith shall be void and of no effect as to proceedings commenced under this act.

SEC. 52. This act and all of its provisions shall be liberally construed to the end that the purposes hereof may be effective. No error, defect, irregularity, informality and no neglect or omission of any officer of any county or municipality, in any procedure taken hereunder, which does not affect the jurisdiction of the legislative body to order the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done, shall avoid or invalidate such proceedings or any bonds issued thereunder. The exclusive remedy of any person affected or aggrieved thereby shall be by appeal to the legislative body as hereinbefore provided. The sole acts necessary and essential to confer

jurisdiction upon the legislative body to order the doing of the thing or things proposed to be done shall consist of the adoption of a resolution of intention therefor and the publication of the same, as in this act provided

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this act. The legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional

SEC. 53. This act shall be known as, and whenever cited, referred to, or amended, may be designated as the "Acquisition and improvement act of 1925", and by such designation shall be sufficiently identified in any proceeding hereunder or in any court action or proceeding or legislative enactment in which this act is referred to

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 2½, 3, 5, 7, 15, 17, 21¼, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38 and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, and to add nine new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, 22*a*, and 28½.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 2 of the title following the comma, after the word "seven" insert the following: "nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 12 of the title, strike out the word "nine" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 14 of the title, strike out all of that portion of the line following the words "twenty-one *a*" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and twenty-two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, following line 8 insert the following:

SECTION 1 The State of California is hereby divided into fish and game districts to be known and designated as Fish and game district one, fish and game district one and one-half, fish and game district one and three-quarters, fish and game district one "A", fish and game district one "B", fish and game district one "C", fish and game district one "D", fish and game district one "E", fish and game district one "F", fish and game district one "G", fish and game district one "H", fish and game district one "I", fish and game district one "J", fish and game district one "K", fish and game district one "L", fish and game district one "M", fish and game district one "N", fish and game district one "O", fish and game district one "P", fish and game district one "Q", fish and game district two, fish and game district two and one-half, fish and game district two "A", fish and game district three, fish and game district three "A", fish and game district three "B", fish and game district three "C", fish and game district three "D", fish and game district three "E", fish and game district three "F", fish and game district three "G", fish and game district four, fish and game district four and one-half, fish and game district four and three-quarters, fish and game district four "A", fish and game district four "B", fish and game district four "C", fish and game district four "D", fish and game district four "E", fish and game district four "F", fish and game district five, fish and game district five "A", fish and game district six, fish and game district seven,

fish and game district seven "A", fish and game district eight, fish and game district nine, fish and game district ten, fish and game district eleven fish and game district twelve, fish and game district twelve "A", fish and game district twelve "B", fish and game district thirteen, fish and game district fourteen, fish and game district fifteen, fish and game district sixteen, fish and game district seventeen, fish and game district eighteen, fish and game district, nineteen, fish and game district twenty, fish and game district twenty "A", fish and game district twenty-one, fish and game district twenty-two, fish and game district twenty-three, fish and game district twenty-four, fish and game district twenty-five and fish and game district twenty-six.

SEC. 2. Section two of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec 2. Fish and game district one shall consist of and include the following counties, Yuba, Calaveras, Tuolumne, Mariposa, Madera and Kings, those portions of Trinity county not included in fish and game district one "D"; those portions of Shasta county not included in fish and game district one "E", those portions of Tehama county not included in fish and game districts one "G" and twelve "A"; those portions of Plumas county not included in fish and game districts one "H", one "P" and twenty-five, those portions of Butte county not included in fish and game district twelve "A", those portions of Sutter county not included in fish and game district twelve "A"; those portions of Sierra and Nevada counties not included in fish and game district twenty-three, those portions of Placer county not included in fish and game districts one "I" and twenty-three, those portions of El Dorado county not included in fish and game districts one "O" and twenty-three; those portions of Sacramento county not included in fish and game districts twelve "A" and twelve "B"; those portions of Amador county not included in fish and game districts one "J" and twenty-four, those portions of Alpine county not included in fish and game districts one "J" and twenty-four; those portions of San Joaquin county lying east and north of the east or right-hand bank of San Joaquin river and not included in fish and game districts three and twelve "B"; those portions of Stanislaus county lying east of the west bank of San Joaquin river, those portions of Merced county lying east of the west bank of the San Joaquin river, those portions of Fresno county lying east of the west bank of Fresno slough, Fish slough and Summit lake, not included in fish and game districts one "K" and twenty-six, those portions of Kings county east of the main power line of the San Joaquin Light and Power Company, crossing the north line of Kings county, in section four, township eighteen south, range nineteen west, Mount Diablo base and meridian, and crossing the south line of said county on the section line between sections thirty-three and thirty-four, township twenty-four south, range nineteen west, Mount Diablo base and meridian, those portions of Kern county lying east of the west bank of Bull slough and the west and south banks of Buena Vista lake to the southeast corner of the lake and lying north of a line extended from this point directly east and intersecting the Tejon state highway and lying east of the said state highway from the above-mentioned point of intersection to where the said state highway crosses the northern boundary line of Los Angeles county, not included in fish and game districts one "L" and one "M" and those portions of Tulare county not included in fish and game district one "L".

SEC 3 Section two and one-half of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 2½ Fish and game district one and one-half shall consist of and include those portions of Del Norte county not included in fish and game districts five, five "A" and six, those portions of Siskiyou county not included in fish and game districts one "A" and one "N", those portions of Humboldt county not included in fish and game districts six, seven, seven "A", eight and nine.

SEC. 4. A new section is hereby added to said act, to be known as section two *a* and to read as follows:

Sec. 2*a* Fish and game district one and three-quarters shall consist of and include those portions of Modoc county not included in fish and game districts one "B" and one "C"; those portions of Lassen county not included in fish and game districts one "F", one "Q" and twenty-five

SEC. 5. Section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3 Fish and game district one "A" shall consist of and include all lands lying within the county of Siskiyou within the following boundaries Beginning at the junction of Beaver creek and the north line of the Klamath river state highway, thence following the northerly line of the state highway to its junction with the Horse creek road; thence following the easterly line of said Horse creek road to its junction with Buck Horn creek, thence following Buck Horn creek to its source; thence to the summit of the Siskiyou mountains, thence following the summit of said Siskiyou mountains to the head of the west fork of Beaver creek; thence following down the west fork of Beaver creek to Beaver creek; thence down said Beaver creek to the point of beginning.

SEC 6. Section five of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec. 5 Fish and game district one "C" shall consist of and include all lands lying within the county of Modoc within the following boundaries: Commencing at the boundary of the Modoc national forest on the east side of section twenty-eight,

township forty-two north, range fourteen east, where Parker creek crosses the national forest boundary and following thence the south fork of Parker creek to the summit of the Warner mountains, thence along summit of said Warner mountains to the headwaters of Mill creek, following course of Mill creek to Mill creek ranger station and Mill creek stock corrals in approximately section fifteen, township forty north, range fifteen east, Mount Diablo meridian (unsurveyed); thence along road running from Mill creek ranger station and stock corrals north of Cantrall's sawmill to the Bowman ranch, thence along same road to the Modoc national forest boundary on the center line of section thirty-three, township forty-one north, range fourteen east, thence north along said national forest boundary to Parker creek, the point of beginning.

SEC. 7. Section seven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 7 Fish and game district one "E" shall consist of and include all lands lying within the county of Shasta within the following boundaries. Beginning at a point on the McCloud river where the ridge between Chatterdown creek and Clayborn creek meets the McCloud river, thence in a southerly direction following the east bank of said river to the point where the ridge north of Mathless creek meets the McCloud river, thence in an easterly direction along the summit of said ridge and along the summit of the ridge dividing the Salt creek drainage area from the Nasoni creek drainage area; thence along the summit of the ridge dividing the Salt creek drainage area and the north fork of Squaw creek to Squaw creek; thence northerly along the west bank of said creek to Fish camp at the beginning of Camp Welcome trail, thence following the southerly side of said trail to the summit of the divide between Clayborn creek and Chatterdown creek, thence westerly along the summit of said divide to the McCloud river, the point of beginning.

SEC. 8. Section nine of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9. Fish and game district one "G" shall consist of and include all lands within the county of Tehama within the following boundaries. Commencing at a point in section eighteen where Deer creek crosses the west township line of township twenty-five north, range two east, Mount Diablo meridian; thence north along the west township line of townships twenty-five, twenty-six and twenty-seven north, range two east, Mount Diablo meridian, to the northeast corner of section thirty-six, township twenty-seven north, range one east, Mount Diablo meridian; thence west along the north line of said section thirty-six to its intersection with the center line of Mill creek; thence northerly and easterly along the center line of said Mill creek to where it is crossed by the Red Bluff-Chester highway between Morgan's and Childs in township twenty-nine north, range four east, Mount Diablo meridian; thence along and following said highway easterly and southerly to its junction with the road running down the north fork of Deer creek; thence along the road southerly down the north fork of Deer creek to where said road crosses the north fork of Deer creek at or near Gurnseys in township twenty-eight north, range five east, Mount Diablo meridian; thence southerly down the center line of the north fork of Deer creek to its junction with Deer creek; thence southerly and westerly down Deer creek following the center line thereof to the point of beginning.

SEC. 9. A new section is hereby added to such act to be known as section fourteen *a* and to read as follows

Sec. 14*a*. Fish and game district one "N" shall consist of and include all lands lying within the county of Siskiyou within the following boundaries Beginning at the sink of the Antelope in section six, township forty-four north, range one east; thence southerly following the east bank of Antelope creek to the Antelope ranger station in section thirty-two, township forty-four north, range one east; thence southerly following the east side of the road to Tennant to the junction of said Tennant road with the Steavens pass road; thence southerly following the east side of the Steavens pass road to where said road crosses the township line between township forty-two and township forty-three north, range one west; thence easterly along the township line between township forty-two and township forty-three north, to the southeast corner of township forty-three north, range one east; thence northerly along township line between township one and two east to the northwest point of section eighteen, township forty-three north, range two east; thence easterly along the northern boundaries of sections eighteen, seventeen, sixteen, fifteen and fourteen of said township to Pumice Stone well; thence easterly along the north side of wagon road from Pumice Stone well to Medicine lake; thence northerly along the westerly side of wagon road from Medicine lake via Ice cave, passing through township forty-four north, range three east, township forty-four north, range four east, township forty-five north, range four east, through the northeast corner of township forty-five north, range three east and through township forty-six north, range three east to where said road crosses the township line between townships forty-six and forty-seven north; thence following said township line westerly to the easterly side of the main road between Macdoel and Merrill; thence following southeasterly side of said road to the sink of the Antelope, the point of beginning.

SEC 10. A new section is hereby added to said act to be known as section fourteen *b* and to read as follows

Sec. 14*b* Fish and game district one "O" shall consist of and include all that certain territory within the county of El Dorado within the following boundaries: Commencing at the junction of Silver creek with the south fork of the American river in section twenty-four, township eleven north, range twelve east; thence following easterly the American river to where said river crosses the Tahoe state highway; thence following the northerly side of said Tahoe state highway to Georgetown junction; thence northerly following the westerly side of the Georgetown Junction-Wilson road to Wilson; thence northerly following the westerly side of the Wilson-Blakely road to where said road crosses the north fork of Silver creek in section nineteen, township twelve north, range fifteen east, thence following westerly down the north fork of Silver creek to Silver creek; thence westerly down Silver creek to the American river, the point of beginning.

SEC. 11. A new section is hereby added to said act to be known as section fourteen *c* and to read as follows

Sec. 14*c* Fish and game district one "P" shall consist of and include all lands within the county of Plumas lying within the following boundaries Beginning at the junction of the Milford-Beckwith road and the Last Chance-Doyle road, thence following the easterly side of the said Milford-Beckwith road to its junction with the Dixie Valley-Frenchman's Cove road, thence following the easterly side of the Dixie Valley-Frenchman's Cove road to its junction with the Little Last Chance road; thence following the westerly side of the Little Last Chance road to its junction with the Last Chance-Doyle road, thence following the westerly side of the Last Chance-Doyle road to the place of beginning

SEC. 12. A new section is hereby added to said act to be known as section fourteen *d* and to read as follows:

Sec 14*d*. Fish and game district one "Q" shall consist of and include all lands within the county of Lassen lying within the following boundaries: Beginning at the southeast corner of section twelve, township thirty-four north, range seventeen east, thence following Painter creek to the northwest corner of section eleven township thirty-four north, range sixteen east, thence west along the left side of the Spanish Springs road to Spanish Springs, thence south following the easterly side of the county road through Secret valley via the McKessick ranch and Mud Flat to the crossing of the N. C. & O. railroad near Murray Switch, thence following the easterly line of the right of way of the N. C. & O. railroad to Wendell, thence following the northerly line of the right of way of the S. P. railroad to the Nevada-California state line; thence northerly along the Nevada-California state line to the southeast corner of section twelve, township thirty-four north, range seventeen east of the Mount Diablo base and meridian, the point of beginning

SEC 13. Section fifteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 15. Fish and game district two shall consist of and include all those portions of Mendocino county not included in fish and game districts ten, two and one-half and two "A", all those portions of Glenn county not included in fish and game districts two "A" and twelve "A", all those portions of Lake county not included in fish and game district two "A"; all those portions of Colusa county not included in fish and game district twelve "A"; all those portions of Yolo county not included in fish and game districts twelve "A" and twelve "B"; all those portions of Solano county not included in fish and game districts twelve and twelve "B"; all those portions of Napa county not included in fish and game district twelve; all those portions of Sonoma county not included in fish and game districts ten and twelve, all those portions of Marin county not included in fish and game districts ten, eleven and twelve.

SEC. 14. Section seventeen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 17. Fish and game district three shall consist of and include those portions of Contra Costa county not in fish and game districts three "F", twelve and twelve "B"; those portions of San Joaquin county not included in fish and game districts one and twelve "B", those portions of Alameda county not included in fish and game districts twelve and thirteen, those portions of San Francisco county not included in fish and game districts ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen, those portions of San Mateo county not included in fish and game districts three "G", ten and thirteen, those portions of Santa Clara county not included in fish and game districts three "E", three "G" and thirteen, those portions of Santa Cruz county not included in fish and game districts three "A", ten, fourteen, fifteen and seventeen, those portions of San Benito county not included in fish and game district three "B" those portions of Monterey county not included in fish and game districts sixteen, seventeen and eighteen, those portions of San Luis Obispo county not included in fish and game district eighteen; those portions of Santa Barbara county not included in fish and game districts three "C" and nineteen; those portions of Ventura county not included in fish and game districts three "D" and nineteen; those portions of Stanislaus county not included in fish and game

district one, those portions of Merced county not included in fish and game district one, those portions of Fresno county not included in fish and game districts one, one "K" and twenty-six; those portions of Kings county not included in fish and game district one, those portions of Kern county not included in fish and game districts one and one "L".

SEC. 15. Section twenty-one and three quarters of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 21¾ Fish and game district three "F" shall consist of and include all of sections twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one and thirty-two, township one north, range one east, all of sections five, six, seven and eight, township one south, range one east, all of sections twenty-five, twenty-six, thirty-five and thirty-six of township one north, range one west, all of sections one, two, eleven and twelve of township one south, range one west, all in Mount Diablo base and meridian.

SEC. 16. A new section is hereby added to said act to be numbered twenty-one *a* and to read as follows

Sec. 21*a*. Fish and game district three "G" shall consist of and include all those lands of the Leland Stanford Junior University lying and being in the counties *of San Mateo and Santa Clara, and consisting of lots numbers one to thirty-three*, inclusive, that portion of lots thirty-five and forty-two lying outside of the town limits of the town of Mayfield; lots thirty-six, forty-three, forty-six to seventy-five, inclusive, eighty to eighty-six, inclusive; eighty-nine to ninety-eight, inclusive, as shown on the map entitled "map of the lands of the Leland Stanford Junior University at or near the site of the university in the counties of Santa Clara and San Mateo, by A. T. and F. A. Herrmann, of Herrmann Bros" dated November, 1908, which map is recorded in the office of the county recorder of the county of Santa Clara, State of California.

SEC. 17. Section 22 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 22 Fish and game district four shall consist of and include all those portions of Los Angeles county not included in fish and game districts four "B", four "F", nineteen, twenty and twenty "A", all of those portions of San Bernardino county not included in fish and game districts four "A", four "B" and twenty-two, all those portions of Orange county not included in fish and game districts four "C" and nineteen, all those portions of Riverside county not included in fish and game districts four "C", four "D", four "G" and twenty-two.

SEC 18. A new section is hereby added to said act to be numbered twenty-two *a* and to read as follows

Sec 22*a*. Fish and game district four and three-fourths shall consist of and include all those portions of San Diego county not included in fish and game districts four "E", nineteen and twenty-one and all those portions of Imperial county not included in fish and game district twenty-two

SEC 19 Section twenty-nine of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 29 Fish and game district five shall consist of and include the waters of Smith river in Del Norte county from its mouth to Bailey's riffle.

SEC. 20. Section thirty of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 30. Fish and game district six shall consist of and include the ocean waters and *tide lands of the state to the high water mark lying between the northern* boundary of the state of California and a line extending due west from the west end of the north jetty at the entrance to Humboldt bay.

SEC. 21. Section thirty-one of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec 31. Fish and game district seven shall consist of and include the ocean waters and tidelands of the state to highwater mark between a line extending due west from the west end of the north jetty at the entrance of Humboldt bay and the southern boundary of Mendocino county and shall exclude the ocean waters between the north and south jetties at the entrance of Humboldt bay from the westerly end of each of said jetties in the Pacific ocean to their respective aprons on the shores of Humboldt bay, and shall also exclude all sloughs, streams and lagoons

SEC. 22. Section thirty-eight of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 38. Fish and game district twelve "A" shall consist of and include all the waters of the Sacramento river flowing within the main channel between the M street bridge at Sacramento and the Vina ferry near the town of Vina, in Tehama county

SEC. 23. Section thirty-nine of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec 39 Fish and game district twelve "B" shall consist of and include all waters and tidelands to high water mark of the Carquinez straits not included within fish and game district twelve, the waters and tidelands to high water mark of Suisun bay, all waters of the Sacramento river flowing within the main channel between the mouth thereof and the M street bridge at Sacramento the main channel of Steamboat slough and Sutter slough, the waters of New York slough and Broad slough, all waters of the San Joaquin river flowing within the main channel thereof to the Santa Fe railroad bridge across said river near Stockton; all waters of Old river between its mouth and the Santa Fe railroad bridge across said river at Orwood, and all lands and waters between the west bank of Old river and the east bank of the San Joaquin river north of the Santa Fe railroad between Orwood and the Santa Fe railroad bridge across said river near Stockton, and excluding all

tributary sloughs, creeks, bays, rivers and overflowed areas not specifically described herein.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 807—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1180—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 808—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. K. Iandram, against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "Iandram" and insert in lieu thereof "Landram."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the word "Iandram" and insert in lieu thereof "Landram."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 2 including lines 15, 16, 17, and 18.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "three" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "two"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "four" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "three."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed; defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof; authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish stations for the inspection and certification of cotton seed, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California; prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "California State College of Agriculture", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "College of Agriculture of the University of California".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 787—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any opium, morphine, cocaine, heroin or other narcotic is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such narcotics; and providing for the abatement of such nuisances.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of the words after section 1 down to, and including line 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Every building or place used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving, storing, keeping, or giving away any opium, morphine, cocaine or heroin, and every building or place wherein or upon which such narcotics are unlawfully sold, served or given away, or allowed to be used, is a nuisance which shall be enjoined, abated and prevented as hereinafter provided, whether the same be a public or private nuisance."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or the building", and insert in lieu thereof the words "of the building".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, following the comma after the word "affidavit" strike out all of the remainder of the line, and also lines 1 and 2 of page 2, and the word "attorney" in line 3 of page 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, insert the following:

"SEC. 7. If the existence of the nuisance be established in an action as provided herein, an order of abatement shall be entered as a part of the judgment in the case, which order shall direct the removal from the building or place of all fixtures, musical instruments and movable property used in conducting, maintaining, aiding or abetting the nuisance and shall direct the sale thereof in the manner provided for the sale of chattels under execution, and the effectual closing of the building or place against its use for any purpose, and so keeping it closed for a period of one year, unless sooner released, as hereinafter provided. While such order remains in effect as to closing, such building or place shall be and remain in the custody of the court. For removing and selling the movable property, the officer shall be entitled to charge and receive the same fees as he would for levying upon and selling like property on execution, and for closing the premises and keeping them closed, a reasonable sum shall be allowed by the court.

SEC. 8. The proceeds of the sale of the property, as provided in the preceding section, shall be applied as follows:

First—To the fees and costs of such removal and sale.

Second—To the allowances and costs of so closing and keeping closed such building or place.

Third—To the payment of the plaintiff's costs in such action.

Fourth—The balance, if any, shall be paid to the owner of the property so sold.

If the proceeds of such sale do not fully discharge all such costs, fees and allowances, the said building and place shall then also be sold under execution issued upon the order of the court or judge and the proceeds of such sale applied in like manner.

SEC 9. If the owner of the building or place has not been guilty of any contempt of court in the proceedings, and appears and pays all costs, fees and allowances which are a lien on the building or place and files a bond in the full value of the property, to be ascertained by the court, with sureties, to be approved by the court or judge, conditioned that he will immediately abate any such nuisance that may exist at such building or place and prevent the same from being established or kept thereat within a period of one year thereafter, the court, or judge, thereof, may, if satisfied of his good faith, order the premises closed under the order of abatement, to be delivered to said owner, and said order of abatement canceled so far as the same may relate to said property. The release of the property under the provisions of this section shall not release it from any judgment, lien, penalty, or liability to which it may be subject to law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "8" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "11".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "Section 1" strike out the remainder of the paragraph and insert in lieu thereof the following "Every building or place used for the purpose of conducting any lottery or other gambling game prohibited by the laws of the State of California, whether played with cards, dice or other mechanical device for money, checks, credits or other representative of value, and every building or place wherein or upon which any such lottery or other gambling game is played, held or occurs, is a nuisance which shall be enjoined, abated, and prevented as hereinafter provided whether the same be a public or private nuisance."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1235—An act to amend section 4021*a* of the Political Code, relating to recall of officers of school districts.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1609*a*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 1551 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 973—An act to amend section 1665 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "1665" add the following "Instructions must be given in the following branches in the several grades in which they may be required, viz: reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic, geography, language and grammar, with special reference to composition, history of the State of California, history of the United States with special reference to the history of the constitution of the United States, and the history of the reasons for the adoption of each of its provisions, the duties of citizenship, together with instruction in local civil government; elements of physiology and hygiene, with special reference to the injurious effects of tobacco, alcohol and narcotics on the human system, morals and manners. In the first six grades of the elementary schools, at least two-thirds of the pupil's time during each week shall be devoted to study and recitation of the subjects hereinbefore enumerated, and in the seventh and eighth grades at least twelve and one-half hours of the pupil's time each week shall be devoted to the study and recitation of such subjects

From the time remaining after the study and recitations of the studies hereinbefore enumerated, at least twenty minutes of each school day must be devoted by all pupils over the age of eight years to such physical training as shall be most conducive to their proper physical development, and instruction must be given in nature study with special reference to agriculture and animal and bird life, music, drawing, elementary bookkeeping, humane education, and thrift Manual training, household economics, and other vocational subjects may be taught in any elementary school of the state: *provided*, that in school districts employing six or more elementary school teachers in any one school, whether housed in one or more buildings, manual training and household economics must be taught. The state board of education may, in its discretion adopt textbooks in any of the subjects listed in this subdivision.

No textbook, chart or other means of instruction hereafter adopted by the state, county, city or city and county boards of education for use in the public schools of this state shall contain any matter reflecting upon citizens of the United States because of their race or color or creed; and no teacher in giving instruction as herein provided nor any amusements or entertainments permitted in or about any school shall reflect in any way upon citizens of the United States because of their race or color or creed"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act to amend section 1750c of the Political Code, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, before the word "industrial", insert "part time vocational courses in agricultural, commercial,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "such", strike out the word "classes" and insert in lieu thereof the word "courses".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "time", insert "to educative practical work under employment at least three hours daily or an equivalent amount of time".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 1165—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to public schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "school" and insert in lieu thereof the word "schools".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1166—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "by" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "this" and insert in lieu thereof the word "his".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1087—An act to amend section 1548 of the Political Code, relating to the office expenses of the Superintendent of Schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and other" following the word "educational".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1252—An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlements by executors and administrators.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "than" strike out the words "one year", and insert in lieu thereof the words "five years".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "vouchers", strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add thereafter the following "or deliver them to the executor or administrator, or to his attorney".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "destroy", insert a comma, and insert thereafter the word "deliver" before the word "or" in the same line.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "land" insert a period and strike out the rest of line 20, all of lines 21, 22 and 23.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, between the word "sewing" and the word "machine" insert a hyphen.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill strike out the words "stove pipes" and insert in lieu thereof the word "stovepipes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, between the word "wearing" and the word "apparel" insert a hyphen.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, between the word "oil" and the word "paintings" insert a hyphen.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 17

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 31 to 40, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Two horses, two oxen or two mules, and their harness, and one cart or wagon, one dray or truck, one coupé, one hack, or carriage, for one or two horses, by the use of which a cartman, drayman, truckman, huckster, peddler, hackman, teamster or other laborer habitually earns his living, and one horse with vehicle and harness

or other equipments, used by a physician, surgeon, constable, or minister of the gospel, or one automobile not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars in price, used by a physician or surgeon, in the legitimate practice of his profession or business; with food for such oxen, horses or mules for one month."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill strike out the word "sea-going" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seagoing"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, between the words "one" and "half" insert a hyphen

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, between the words "wearing" and "apparel" insert a hyphen.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, between the words "fire" and "engine" insert a hyphen.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 16, of the printed bill, between the words "hose" and "buckets" insert a hyphen.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE

On page 3, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "uniforms" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, at the end of line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a period

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "provided" strike out the comma.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 2280 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figures "2280" insert the following "A trust cannot be revoked by the trustor after its acceptance, actual or presumed, by the trustee and beneficiaries, except by the consent of all the living and existing beneficiaries, unless the declaration of trust reserves a power of revocation to the trustor, and in that case the power must be strictly pursued"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counter claims in civil actions and to repeal section 442 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to cross complaints in civil actions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill after the word "amend" in line 1 of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following "sections four hundred thirty-eight and four hundred twenty-two and to repeal section four hundred forty-two of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to pleadings".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "action" and insert in lieu thereof the word "accident".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, lines 2 and 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "may answer or demur thereto as to an original complaint" and insert in lieu thereof "must plead thereto as to an original complaint".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 11 and 12 and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 2. Section four hundred twenty-two of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby amended to read as follows:

422. The only pleadings allowed on the part of the plaintiff are:

1. The complaint.

2. The demurrer to the answer and counterclaim

3 The answer to the counterclaim if the defendant desires to file a written answer thereto, and on the part of the defendant.

1. The demurrer to the complaint;

2. The answer and counterclaim.

SEC 3. Section four hundred forty-two of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 346—An act to amend section 856 of the Code of Civil procedure, relating to counterclaims.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill after the word "act" in line 1 of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to repeal section eight hundred fifty-six of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to pleadings"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of line 2 of page 1, of the printed bill, after the word "hereby" and strike out all of lines 3 to 9, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the word "repealed".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 439 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counterclaims.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill after the word "section" in line 1 of the title of said printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four hundred thirty-seven and to repeal section four hundred thirty-nine of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of lines 1 to 10 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1 Section four hundred thirty-seven of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby amended to read as follows:

437. The answer of the defendant shall contain:

1. A general or specific denial of the material allegations of the complaint controverted by the defendant.

2. A statement of any new matter constituting a defense.

The answer may also contain any new matter constituting a counterclaim.

If the complaint be verified, the denial of each allegation controverted must be specific, and be made positively, or according to the information and belief of the defendant. If the defendant has no information or belief upon the subject sufficient to enable him to answer an allegation of the complaint, he may so state in his answer, and place his denial on that ground. If the complaint be not verified, a general denial is sufficient, but only puts in issue the material allegations of the complaint.

SEC. 2. Section four hundred thirty-nine of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relative to the construction of bridges and highways, approved May 25, 1923.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in Tulare County, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Tulare County to convey said road to the State of California.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Assembly Bill No. 798—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out and acquire a right of way, or rights of way for a highway or highways extending from a point at or near the town of Cordelia in Solano County, to a point at or near the north boundary of the city of Vallejo and thence extending said highway or highways from the south boundary of the city of Vallejo to the straits of Carquinez declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An act authorizing and directing the California highway commission to lay out, acquire a right of way or rights of way and construct a highway or highways extending from a point at or near and west of Cordelia, Solano county, to and in a general southwesterly direction through the American canyon and thence extending said highway or highways by the most direct and practicable route in a southerly direction to a connection with the north end of the Carquinez bridge now being constructed by the American Toll Bridge Company over and across the straits of Carquinez and declaring and establishing the same a state highway or state highways.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Insert the following as section 1:

The California highway commission is hereby authorized and directed to lay out, acquire a right of way or rights of way and construct a highway or highways

extending from a point at or near and west of Cordelia, Solano County, to and in a general southwesterly direction through the American canyon and thence extending said highway or highways by the most direct and practicable route in a southerly direction to a connection with the north end of the Carquinez bridge now being constructed by the American Toll Bridge Company over and across the straits of Carquinez.

Insert the following as section 2.

Said highway is hereby declared to be a state highway and placed under the management, control and jurisdiction of the California highway commission

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "tires" strike out the words "or cushioned wheels" and insert in lieu thereof the following

"Vehicles equipped with cushion wheels shall be permitted to be operated at speeds not in excess of ten miles per hour greater than those set forth in the foregoing table and not, in any case, in excess of twenty-five miles per hour".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled "California vehicle act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, insert the word "twenty" in the blank space after the word "year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "May, August and November" and insert in lieu thereof the words "and August".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, lines 27 to 42, of the printed bill, strike out all of subdivision F after the words "shall be" in line 27 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "paid into the 'state highway maintenance fund'".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 689—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, by amending sections numbered 44, 77, 95, 96, 114, 138, 145 and 153, relative to the renewal of registration of motor vehicles and to the operation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, amend the title by striking out all of said title after the "amending" in the second line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following "section twelve relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, strike out all of the bill, after the period therein and insert in lieu thereof the following "Section twelve of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 12 (*a*) "Pneumatic tires" All tires inflated or capable of inflation with compressed air,

(*b*) "Cushion tires" All tires of the solid type whose resiliency is increased by means of air chambers or openings therein, or by means of an inner annular air chamber or series of air chambers, *provided, however*, that the air chambers and openings herein referred to do not include or refer to indentations in the tread

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 455—An act authorizing and empowering the division of water rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California to conduct investigations of streams, stream systems, lakes or other bodies of water, to investigate either or both surface and underground water conditions to collect records of diversion and use of water, to supervise distribution of water in accordance with agreements therefor, to do all or any of such work either independently or in cooperation with a state or federal agency, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 455 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 455 re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Miller, J. A., moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 44 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, insert after the word "forty-four" the words "and forty-five."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In the last line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "thereof" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Add a new section to said bill to be designated as "Sec. 2." and to read as follows:

SEC. 2. Section forty-seven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 47. A redemption of the property sold may be made by the owner or any party in interest, within three years from the date of purchase, or at any time thereafter before a deed has been made and delivered. Redemption must be made in gold or silver coin, as provided for the collection of state and county taxes, and when made to the collector he must credit the amount paid to the purchaser or his assignees. In each report the collector makes to the board of directors, he must name the person entitled to redemption money, and the amount due each. On receiving the certificate of sale, the county recorder must file it and make an entry in a book similar to that required of the collector. On the presentation of the receipt of the person named in the certificate, or of the collector for his use, of the total amount of the redemption money, the recorder must mark the word "redeemed," the date, and by whom redeemed, on the certificate and on the margin of the book where the entry of the certificate is made. If the property is not redeemed within the time herein provided, the collector or his successor in office, upon demand, must make to the purchaser, or his assignee, a deed of the property, reciting in the deed substantially the matters contained in the certificate, and that no person redeemed the property during the time allowed by law for its redemption. The collector shall receive from the purchaser for the use of the district, two dollars for making such deed. Where property has been sold to the district and a deed for it has been given to the district as the purchaser, the title so acquired by the district may be conveyed by deed executed and acknowledged by the president and secretary of the board of directors: *provided*, that authority to so convey must be conferred by resolution of the board entered on its minutes fixing the price at which such sale may be made; *and provided, further*, that where property has been sold to the district it may be redeemed as herein provided at any time before the district has disposed of the same.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 47 thereof, relating to the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the third and fourth lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "nous fifty-three and fifty-seven thereof, relating respectively to the construction of works and the compensation of officers."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "forty-seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty-three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Strike out all of the printed bill from and including line 4, on page 1, down to and including line 10, on page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 53. Before the construction of any work to be paid for out of the proceeds of any issue of bonds, the board of directors shall adopt plans and specifications therefor and shall give notice by publication at least once a week for three successive weeks in a newspaper published in the county in which the district is situated (or, if the district is situated in more than one county, then in a newspaper published in each county in which any part of the district is situated), calling for bids for the construction of such work or of any portion thereof. If less than the whole work is advertised, then the portion so advertised must be particularly described in such notice. If no newspaper is published in the county in which the district or some part thereof is situated, then the publication hereinbefore required shall be made in a newspaper designated by the board of directors. Said notice shall set forth that plans and specifications for the work advertised can be seen at the office of the board and that the board will receive sealed proposals therefor and

that the contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, stating the time and place for opening said proposals, which, at the time and place appointed, shall be opened in public, and as convenient thereafter the board shall let said work, either in portions or as a whole, to the lowest responsible bidder, or the board may reject any or all bids and readvertise for proposals, or may proceed to construct the work under its own superintendence; *provided*, that in cases of emergency or urgent necessity for the construction of any such works, the board of directors, by unanimous vote of those present at any regular or special meeting, may award contracts therefor without advertising for bids, but the cost of such work shall not exceed five hundred dollars and such additional amount as shall be equal to five cents for each acre of land in the district. The plans and specifications aforesaid may provide that the district will furnish any or all materials for the work described. Contracts for the purchase of any materials to be furnished by the district for use in the construction of any such works shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder after such notice as the board may deem proper. Any person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded shall furnish a bond with good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the board, payable to said district for its use, for twenty-five per cent of the amount of the contract price, conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract. The work shall be done under the direction and to the satisfaction of the engineer, and subject to the approval of the board. Nothing in this section shall be construed to apply to any work to be paid for from the general fund of the district.

SEC 2. Section 57 of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows: The directors, when sitting as a board or acting under the orders of the board, shall each receive not to exceed ten dollars per day and fifteen cents per mile for each mile actually traveled from his place of residence to the office of the board, and actual and necessary expenses paid while engaged in official business under the order of the board; *provided*, that in irrigation districts containing five hundred thousand acres or more the directors, in lieu of said per diem, shall each receive a salary of one hundred and fifty dollars per month The board shall fix the compensation to be paid to all officers named in this act, to be paid out of the treasury of the district, *provided*, that said board shall, upon the petition of at least fifty freeholders within such district therefor, submit to the electors at any general election a schedule of salaries and fees to be paid hereunder, which may include the salary or per diem to be paid to the directors. Such petition must be presented to the board not less than twenty days, nor more than forty days, prior to a general election, and the result of such election shall be determined and declared in all respects as other elections are determined and declared under this act. If said schedule shall be approved by a majority of those voting thereon, it shall be declared adopted and become effective on the first day of the next ensuing month

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the third line of the title of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "eight" strike out the following: "nine,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In the fourth line of the title of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "seventeen" insert the following: "eighteen,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In the sixth line of the title of the printed bill, after the comma following "thirty-eight" insert the following "forty-one,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 40, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "first" insert the following: "second,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 10 and 11, and insert in lieu thereof the following "directors correspond-"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page four of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 19 to 38, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 6" and insert in lieu thereof the following "Sec. 5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 7" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 8" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec 9" and insert in lieu thereof the following "Sec. 8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 6, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 10" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 11" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 7, line 43, of the printed bill, after the word "conservation" add the following: "and distribution".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 7, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the word "disposition" and insert in lieu thereof the word "distribution".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 8, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "adopted" and insert in lieu thereof the word "adapted".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 8, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "to" and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 8, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "and" strike out the word "to" and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 8, line 52, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "action" insert the following

"SEC 11. Section eighteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec 18 If the said board of directors recommends that said project be abandoned the state engineer shall make such further investigation of said project as is in his judgment desirable and shall within sixty days after the filing of said report make and enter upon the records kept by him an order either (*a*) approving and confirming the said report and recommendation and declaring said project abandoned, which said order shall be without prejudice to the presentation of another petition covering the same matter, or (*b*) approving and adopting the said report but taking no action with respect to the said recommendation, and calling another election to be held in the district for the purpose of determining whether or not the recommendation of said board of directors shall be adopted or rejected. In the event the said

order so made and entered by the state engineer shall call an election, said state engineer shall within thirty days after the entry of said order give notice of such election. Said notice shall be published once a week for at least three weeks previous to such election in each county in which any land in the district is situated. Said notice shall require ballots to be cast, which shall contain the words "Completion of project—Yes" or "Completion of project—No." For the purposes of said election the state engineer must establish a convenient number of election precincts in said district and define the boundaries thereof and said state engineer at the time of calling said election shall in his order designate voting places and appoint three land holders of the district to act as a board of election at each voting place. Such election shall be conducted as nearly as practicable in accordance with the provisions of this act relating to general water storage district elections, but no particular form of ballot shall be required. The qualification of voters at said election shall be the same as prescribed for the original election on organization of district, and the votes cast at said election shall be canvassed in the same manner as votes cast at said original election, and the result of such election shall be declared and entered of record in the minutes of the board. If such result shall show more than one-third of all the votes cast are "Completion of project—No," the state engineer shall make and enter in his records an order declaring said project abandoned, and requiring all persons, except the holders of warrants issued pursuant to the provisions of this act and which have been duly presented for payment, having claims against said district, or proposed district, to file them with the necessary vouchers within three months of the making of said order in the office of said state engineer. Notice of said order requiring presentation of claims stating the time and place thereof shall be published in the county in which the office of the district is located by said state engineer once a week for four successive weeks, the first publication of which said notice shall be made within ten days after the making of said order. After all warrants issued under the provisions of this act which have been duly presented for payment and all claims that have been duly presented and have been allowed and approved by said state engineer or the board of directors of said district, have been paid, said state engineer shall forthwith cause a copy of said order declaring said project abandoned, duly certified by said state engineer, to be filed for record in the office of the county recorder of each county in which any portion of the land embraced in said district is situated, and from and after such filing said district shall be deemed dissolved and all liens which may have attached to any of the lands therein under any provisions of this act shall be discharged and any undertaking given pursuant thereto shall be annulled and of no further effect. If the canvass of the votes cast at such election show two-thirds or more of all votes cast are "Completion of project—Yes" said state engineer shall thereupon appoint the commissioners provided for in section nineteen of this act and thereafter such proceedings shall be taken and followed as are provided in said section nineteen and subsequent sections of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 9 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 3 to 52, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 10 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2, and to the period following the word "district" in line 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 19. If the board of directors recommends that said project be carried out in accordance with the plans and specifications in its said report contained, the state engineer shall make such further investigation of such project as is in his judgment desirable and shall as soon as possible after the expiration of sixty days after the filing of said report make and enter upon the records kept by him an order either approving and confirming said report and recommendation or disapproving the same. Pending final approval or disapproval by the state engineer, the board of directors may amend, modify, or supplement their report and the plans, specifications and estimates and other matters accompanying the same, either on their initiative or in response to suggestions by the state engineer.

Immediately after making and recording such order, the state engineer shall call a district election for the purpose of determining whether such recommendation and report shall be adopted, such election to be noticed, held, and conducted and the result thereof determined and declared in all respects as nearly as possible as provided in section eighteen of this act, the notice of election to state whether such report and recommendation is approved or disapproved by the state engineer.

If the result of such election shows that more than one-third of all votes cast representing two-thirds or more of the assessment payers are "Completion of Project—No", the project shall be deemed abandoned and proceedings shall be thereafter taken as provided in section eighteen in case of abandonment. If the result of such election shows two-thirds or more of all votes cast representing one-third or more of the assessment payers are "Completion of Project—Yes", said report and recommendation shall be deemed to be adopted by the district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 14, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "uniform" strike out the word "blank" and insert in lieu thereof the word "plan".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 21, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "voter" insert the following "who has voted at such election".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 21 of the printed bill, beginning with the comma after the word "it" in line 7, strike out all to and including the word "bonds" in line 8.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 21, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the word "majority" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "two-thirds or more".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 26, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Note" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Notice".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 27, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "due" strike out the word "in" and insert in lieu thereof the word "on".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 28 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 30 to 32, inclusive

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 29 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 32, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 30 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 4, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Sec 25 The board of directors shall have the power and it shall be its duty to manage and conduct the business and affairs of the district; to adopt a seal; to make and execute all necessary contracts, to employ and appoint such agents, officers, and employees as may be required, and prescribe their duties. The board and its agents shall have the right to enter upon any lands to make surveys, locate works, or for any other necessary and lawful purpose. The board shall have the power to construct, maintain, improve, and operate the necessary dams, reservoirs, canals, and works for the storage and distribution of water, and any drainage or reclamation works connected therewith, and to provide for the generation and distribution of hydro-electric energy incidental to such storage and distribution and shall have the power to sell, distribute, or otherwise dispose of, such water, water rights, and hydro-electric energy as may not be necessary for the uses and purposes of said district. The board shall also have the right to acquire by purchase, lease, contract, or other legal means, all lands, waters, water rights, or any use thereof or interest therein, and any other property or rights by it deemed necessary for the construction, maintenance, improvement, and operation of the works or the carrying out of the project of the district, whether the same be in this or another state or foreign nation, including the property and rights of private owners, and stocks of other corporations domestic or foreign, and may give in payment therefor bonds of such district upon such terms and conditions as the board of directors may deem best, *provided*, that upon the petition of five per cent of the voters of the district, the valuation of any property to be acquired having a value of over ten thousand dollars, shall be determined by the railroad commission; *provided, however*, that no bonds shall be so used at a valuation less than ninety per cent of the face value of the same and the accrued interest thereon. Said board may also enter into, and do any acts necessary or proper for the performance of, any agreement with the United States or with any state, county, district, public corporation, or municipality of any kind, for a purpose appertaining to or beneficial to the project of the district, and may acquire the right to store water in any reservoir, or to carry water through any canal, ditch, or conduit within or without this state not owned or controlled by the district and may grant to the owner or lessee of a right to the use of any water permission to store such water in any reservoir of the district or to carry such water through any canal, ditch, or conduit of the district The said board is hereby authorized and empowered to take conveyances, leases, contracts, or other assurances for all property acquired by it under the provisions of this act, in the name of such district, to and for the uses and purposes herein expressed, and to institute and maintain any and all actions and proceedings, suits at law, or in equity necessary or proper in order to fully carry out the provisions of this act, or to enforce, maintain, protect or preserve any and all rights, privileges, and immunities created by this act or acquired in pursuance thereof. All contracts and other documents executed by the board shall

be signed by the president and by the secretary. And in all actions, suits or proceedings, the said board may sue, appear, and defend in person or by attorneys, and in the name of such district. The board of directors shall have power whenever it deems it necessary for its own guidance or for the best interests of the district to submit any question or proposition relating to the construction, maintenance, improvement, or operation of the works or the carrying out of the project of the district, to the qualified voters of the district at any general election or at a special election called for the purpose, which election shall be in all respects conducted as is provided for other elections in the district. The said board shall have power generally to perform all such acts as may be necessary to fully carry out the purposes of this act.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 32, line 29, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "precinct" insert the following:

SEC. 23. Section forty-one of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 41. The ballots used at the election shall be provided by the board of directors, and one of the judges of the election shall deliver to each of the qualified voters the number of ballots to which he is entitled as provided in this act. Each ballot shall have a perforated tab which shall be marked with the initials of a member of the board of election of the precinct immediately before being handed to the voter. The perforated tab shall be torn from the ballot by the inspector immediately before the voted ballot is placed in the ballot box, and shall be preserved by him and sent with the ballots to the secretary of the board of directors with the ballots.

The ballots shall have printed on them the names of all candidates whose names have been filed as provided in this act, with a voting square behind each name; *provided*, that the ballots in each division of the district shall have on them names of persons to be voted for as director to represent that division only, and no director shall be elected by the district at large. The names shall be arranged in groups alphabetically, under the designation of the office for which each persons named is a candidate. Each voter shall be supplied with one ballot for each twenty-five votes or fraction thereof to which he is entitled; and each ballot cast shall contain the number of votes it represents, in accordance with the provisions of this act. A list shall be kept by the election board, containing the names of each voter (and if the ballot be cast by proxy also the name of the person casting it) who has voted at such election and the number of votes cast by such voter.

Said election must be held and the result thereof determined and declared by such election board as nearly as practicable in conformity with general laws regulating elections; *provided*, that no informality shall invalidate the same, if the election shall have been otherwise fairly conducted.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 32, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 23" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 24".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 33, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 24" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 25".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 33, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 25" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 26".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 34, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 26" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 27".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 34, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 27" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 28".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 35, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 28" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 29".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 35, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 29" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 30".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 36, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 30" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 31".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 36, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 31" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 32".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 36, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 32" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 33".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 37, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "asset" and insert in lieu thereof the word "assent".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 37, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 33" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 34".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 37, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 34" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "Sec. 35".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 38, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 35" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 36".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 38, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 36" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 37".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 38, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec 37" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 38".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 39, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 38" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 39".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 39, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 39" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "Sec. 40".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 40, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 40" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "Sec. 41".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 40, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 41" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 42".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-ONE.

On page 40, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 42" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "Sec. 43".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-TWO.

On page 41, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 43" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "Sec. 44".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-THREE.

On page 41, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec 44" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 45".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FOUR.

On page 42, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 45" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "Sec. 46".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FIVE.

On page 42, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "office" insert the following: "of the county recorder".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SIX.

On page 42, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 46" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 47".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SEVEN.

On page 42, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 47" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec 48".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, to be numbered 1*a*, providing for the excusing of children from school for religious instruction.

MOTION TO AMEND.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by Miss Miller:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "class" insert "in the public school".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Miss Miller, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 128 was made a special order for Monday, March 30, 1925, at two o'clock p.m.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 550—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the matters to be stated in contracts and receipts issued by such employment agencies, providing for standard and uniform forms of contracts and receipts to be prepared by the Commissioner of Labor and providing that an employer must so state on the reverse side of an employment contract or receipt if the applicant was not employed or if he was discharged in less than seven days, as the case may be.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3650½, relating to assessments.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend sections 8, 11 and 12 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for

drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; and creating a board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the method and procedure for exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "sections eight, eleven, and twelve of an act" and strike out all of lines 2 to 16, inclusive, of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The title and sections eight, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen and twenty, of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith, and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and creating a state board to be known as the 'state irrigation board', and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, and by adding a new section to be numbered 15*a* relating to and providing for the levy and enforcement of assessments, the raising of funds and the voting and issuance of bonds for all the purposes of this act by water storage districts included as constituent districts or units of water conservation districts, and by adding a new section to be numbered 15*b*, relating to and providing for the levy and enforcement of assessments, the raising of funds and the voting and issuance of bonds for all the purposes of this act by reclamation districts which are included as constituent districts or units of water conservation districts, and by adding a new section to be numbered 37, relating to and providing for actions or proceedings contesting or attacking the validity of the formation of a water conservation district, the validity of any bond issue provided for in this act, and any election held under the provisions of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figure "1" and strike out lines 2 to 13, inclusive; on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive; on page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive; on page 4 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 30, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"The title of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and creating a board to be known as the 'state irrigation board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the method and procedure for exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows

An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith, and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act, for the inclusion therein of irrigation districts, water storage districts, reclamation districts, drainage districts, and other political subdivisions of the state, as constituent districts or units of said water conservation districts, and the manner of providing funds and the voting and issuance of bonds by such political subdivisions, to carry out the purposes of this act; and creating a State board to

be known as the "State irrigation board", and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties

SEC 2. Section eight of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC 8 The State irrigation board shall, before making the final order creating a water conservation district, by order duly entered in its minutes, apportion to each constituent district or unit of said water conservation district, the portion to which it is entitled of all the water storage capacity in the proposed reservoir, the waters stored or to be stored or diverted or to be diverted by such project for the irrigation of the lands of the water conservation district, and all power developed or to be developed incidental thereto or in connection therewith, and in making such apportionment it must take into consideration the present water rights and the additional water necessary to perfect the irrigation of the lands of each unit, and the apportionment of power to each unit shall be in the same proportion to the whole as its apportionment of capacity in the reservoir, which proportion of such water and power shall be forever applied to the purpose and for the benefit of such constituent district or unit.

Said board shall likewise in such order determine, define, and apportion to each of such constituent districts or units the proportion of all costs and expenses of the project to be paid by it, including the costs and expenses of said irrigation board in connection therewith, same to be based upon and in proportion to the allotment of water storage capacity, water and power apportioned to each unit plus the benefit of reclamation or drainage or flood control to such unit, and to each of such allotments fifteen (15) per cent above the actual estimate shall be added for contingencies. A copy of such order duly certified, shall be served on each of the constituent districts or units by delivering the same to some officer thereof, *and provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to confer on said State irrigation board or upon any water conservation district formed under the provisions of this act the right to impair or deprive any person, corporation or district of any vested right in or to any water without due process of law

SEC. 3 Section ten of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 10. After making the order of apportionment provided for in section eight hereof the state irrigation board shall make an order directing the governing board of each unit or constituent district to call an election to be held on the one hundred and twentieth day after the making of said order by said irrigation board apportioning the benefits and costs and expenses as herein provided.

Said order of the state irrigation board last above provided for shall contain the name of the proposed water conservation district and shall describe the territory embraced within such proposed water conservation district by naming the constituent units or districts proposed to be joined therein as set forth in the petition to the state irrigation board.

Upon receiving and filing a copy of said order of said state irrigation board *duly certified by the secretary of said board, it shall be the duty of the governing* board of each of said constituent districts or units by resolution to call said election to be held as herein provided.

The secretary of the governing board of each of said constituent districts or units shall give notice of said election, which said notice of such election shall contain the name of the proposed water conservation district and the description of the territory embraced within such proposed water conservation district by naming the constituent districts or units proposed to be joined therein as set forth in the petition to said state irrigation board. Said notice shall also state that there shall be submitted to the electors or voters of each of such units or districts in which such election is held the question as to whether or not a *water conservation district shall be organized under the provisions of this act*, and shall require ballots to be cast which shall contain the words "Water Conservation District—Yes" and "Water Conservation District—No" or words equivalent thereto, and shall require that said ballots shall also contain the words "Bonds—Yes" and "Bonds—No" or words equivalent thereto, and said notice shall also state the amount of bonds proposed to be issued to pay the proportion of the costs and expenses allotted and apportioned to such constituent district or unit by the state irrigation board in said order Said notice shall also set forth the date upon which said election is to be held and the time of the opening and closing of the polls and shall specify the precincts in the constituent district or unit holding such election, which precincts shall be the same as those established and existing in such constituent district or unit where such election is held; and in the event none are already established and existing, then, prior to the giving of said notice of said election, the same are to be fixed and established for said election by the governing board of the particular district or unit in which the same are not already established and existing.

The governing board of the constituent district or unit holding said election shall in its resolution calling said election, fix and specify the polling places of each precinct and shall appoint one clerk, one inspector and two judges from the electors thereof for each polling place, who shall constitute a board of election for said precinct. Said polling places and the names of said officers of said election shall be specified in said notice of election. If a governing board fails to appoint a board

of election, or the members appointed do not attend at the opening of the polls on the morning of the election, the electors of the precinct present at that hour may appoint the board or supply the place of an absent member thereof.

Said notice shall be posted for at least two weeks prior to the date of election in three public places in each election precinct in each constituent district or unit holding such election, and published for at least once a week for two successive weeks prior to the date of said election in a newspaper of general circulation in each county in which any of the lands of such constituent districts or units are located.

At such election there shall also be submitted to the electors or voters in each of such units or districts the question whether or not bonds shall be issued and sold in an amount sufficient to pay its proportion of the costs and expenses allotted and apportioned to such unit by the state irrigation board in said order. The ballots to be cast at said election shall contain the words, "Water Conservation District—Yes" and "Water Conservation District—No" or words equivalent thereto, and said ballot shall also contain the words "Bonds—Yes" and the words "Bonds—No" or words equivalent thereto.

No particular form of ballot shall be required other than as herein specified and any defect or informality in any statement on said ballot shall not invalidate said election.

As soon as all the votes are counted a certificate shall be drawn upon each of the papers containing the poll lists and tallys, or attached thereto, stating the number of votes each proposition voted on has received, which number shall be written in figures and in words at full length Each certificate shall be signed by the clerk, inspector and one judge. One of the said certificates with the poll list and tally paper to which it is attached, shall be retained by the inspector and preserved by him at least six months The ballots shall be strung upon a cord or thread by the inspector during the counting thereof, in the order in which they are entered upon the tally lists by the clerks; and said ballots, together with the other of said certificates with the poll list and tally paper to which it is attached, shall be sealed by the inspector in the presence of the judges and clerks and endorsed "Election returns of (name of precinct) precinct", and be directed to the secretary of the governing board of the constituent unit or district in which said vote is cast, and shall be immediately delivered by the inspector, or by some other safe and responsible carrier designated by said inspector, to said secretary and the ballots shall be kept unopened for at least six months, but if any person be of the opinion that the vote of any precinct has not been correctly counted, he may appear on the date appointed for the governing board to open and canvass the returns and demand a re-count of the vote of the precinct that is so claimed to have been incorrectly counted, and no list, tally paper or certificate returned from any election shall be set aside or rejected for want of form if it can be satisfactorily understood.

The governing board of each constituent unit or district must meet at its usual place of meeting on the second Monday after said election to canvass the returns. If, at the time of meeting, the returns from each precinct in a constituent district or unit in which the polls were opened, have been received, the governing board must then and there proceed to canvass the returns; but if all the returns have not been received the canvass must be postponed from day to day until all the returns have been received, or until six postponements have been had. The canvass must be made in public and by opening the returns and estimating the vote of the district or unit on each proposition submitted and declaring the result thereof.

Except as herein otherwise specified, and as nearly as practicable, all the laws, rules and regulations, and amendments and modifications thereto, governing the manner of conducting and holding elections of the particular constituent district or unit in which the election provided for in this section is held, shall apply to and govern this election.

A majority vote in each constituent district or unit shall be required to carry the election in said district or unit in favor of the propositions submitted at said election as to voting of bonds.

SEC. 4. Section eleven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

Sec. 11. Within ten (10) days after such election has been held and the result thereof determined, and declared, it shall be the duty of the governing board of each petitioning constituent district or unit, to have the secretary of said governing board certify to the said state irrigation board, the result of such election, and whether or not said bonds have been voted, and whether or not the constituent district or unit represented by said governing board, has voted in favor of, or against the organization of said conservation district Within ten (10) days after the state irrigation board receives the said certificates from all of the petitioning units or districts, said board shall enter an order that a conservation district is established comprising only those districts which have voted both in favor of the organization of said conservation district and in favor of the bonds at the election held for that purpose; *provided*, that such districts represent eighty-five per cent or more of the apportionment of the project as made in accordance with the provisions of section eight of this act.

Said irrigation board shall also in said order apportion to the districts or units voting in favor of organization and for bonds that portion of the water storage

capacity and of the waters stored in or to be stored or developed, and all power developed or to be developed which it had theretofore apportioned to the districts or units voting against organization or bonds, such apportionment to be made to the districts or units entitled thereto in proportion to the apportionment theretofore made to them

A certified copy of said order shall be served upon the secretary or other officer of the governing board of each of said constituent districts or units, and a copy thereof, duly certified, shall be recorded by said state irrigation board, in the office of the county recorder of each of the counties in which any of the lands, included in said water conservation district, are situated.

The board of directors of each constituent district or unit shall enter upon its minutes the certified copy of said order so received by it.

The state irrigation board shall also, in said order establishing said water conservation district, divide said water conservation district into three, five, seven, nine or eleven subdivisions, as is most practicable, which said subdivisions shall be designated by number, and in making such subdivisions, the said board shall make the same as nearly equal in acreage as is practicable; *provided, however,* that districts or units or parts thereof, created or formed under different laws or acts of the legislature, shall not be joined or united into one subdivison.

A majority of the votes cast at such election in each particular constituent district or unit shall be required to carry the election in said district or unit in favor of the organization of a water conservation district.

SEC. 5. Section twelve of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 12. Such water conservation district shall be governed by a board of directors consisting of one director elected from each of said subdivisions in the manner herein provided. The state irrigation board shall give notice of an election to be held in each subdivision of such water conservation district within sixty days after the making of said final order establishing said district, for the purpose of electing a director from each subdivision, and shall fix and establish in said notice a convenient number of election precincts in each subdivision of said water conservation district, and define the boundaries thereof, and at least one precinct must be established for each subdivision of said water conservation district. There shall also be designated in said notice, a voting place or places in each subdivision and a board of election consisting of one clerk, one inspector and two judges for each voting place, the names of which said officers of election shall be specified in said notice. Said notice, as to the election in each subdivision, shall be posted in three public places in each election precinct, and published in a newspaper of general circulation in each county in which any of the lands included within the boundaries of said water conservation district are situated, for at least two weeks prior to the date of said election.

Nominating petitions for directors to be elected at such election shall be filed with the state irrigation board in the manner hereinafter provided for filing of nomination petitions with the board of directors of a water conservation district.

As soon as the polls are closed, the election officers shall count votes cast at such election, and a certificate shall be drawn by said election officers stating the number of votes each candidate received, and the result of said election The certificate as aforesaid shall be signed by an inspector and judge of such election board. The election returns shall be immediately delivered by the inspector or by some other safe and responsible carrier designated by said inspector to the secretary or other officer of the state irrigation board No returns from election shall be set aside or rejected for want of form if they can be satisfactorily understood

On the second Monday after such election the state irrigation board shall meet at its usual place of meeting to canvass the returns If at the time of the meeting the returns from each precinct in the water conservation district in which polls are opened have been received, the state irrigation board must then and there proceed to canvass the returns, but if all the returns have not been received, the canvass must be postponed from day to day until all the returns have been received, or until six postponements have been had. The canvass must be made in public and by opening the returns and ascertaining the vote of each subdivision of the water conservation district for each director thereof voted for, and declaring the result thereof The secretary of the state irrigation board must immediately make out and deliver to each person elected a director of a subdivision of the water conservation district a certificate of election signed by him and authenticated with the seal of said board and shall designate a place within the boundary of the conservation district where the first meeting of said directors shall be held

SEC. 6 Section thirteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 13 The directors of a water conservation district shall at noon on the second Tuesday of the first month after their election and qualification meet and organize as a board, enter upon their official duties, elect one of their members as president and appoint a secretary and a treasurer, neither of whom shall be a member of said board, and all of whom shall hold office at the pleasure of the board The board shall select and designate an office of the board, which shall be in one of the counties in which any of the lands of the water conservation district is situated, which shall also be the office of the district, at which the board shall thereafter hold its meetings,

The salary of the secretary and the treasurer and the amount of the bond to be given by each for the faithful performance of their duties shall be fixed by the board of directors. The board shall then proceed to classify themselves by lot into classes as nearly equal in number as possible, and the term of office of the class having the lessor number shall expire at noon on the second Tuesday in March following the next general February election provided for in this section of this act and the term of office of the class having the greater number shall terminate at noon on the second Tuesday in March following the next general election thereafter

An election which shall be known as the general water conservation district election, shall be held in each water conservation district on the first Wednesday in February of each odd-numbered year at which a successor shall be chosen to each director whose term of office shall expire at noon on the second Tuesday in March next thereafter. The term of office of each director of the district elected after the election on organization provided for in section twelve of this act shall be four (4) years or until his successor is elected and has qualified

In case of vacancy in the office of director, the state engineer shall appoint some person qualified by law to fill such vacancy for the unexpired term. No director shall be elected by the water conservation district at large, but one director shall be elected from each subdivision to represent such subdivision.

Each director from each subdivision shall be a freeholder in the subdivision he represents.

A director or any other official of any constituent district or unit shall be eligible to hold the office of director of a water conservation district.

Within ten days after receiving their certificates of election or appointments herein provided for, each member of the board of directors shall take and subscribe the official oath, and file the same in the office of the board of directors, and execute the bond herein provided for. Each member of said board of directors shall execute an official bond in the sum of $5,000 which said bond shall be approved by a judge of the superior court of the county in which the office of the board is located, and shall be recorded in the office of the county recorder of such county, and filed with the secretary of said board, except that the official oath and bond of each director elected at the first election of directors shall be filed with the state irrigation board. All official bonds herein provided for shall be in the form prescribed by law for the official bonds of county officers and the premiums thereon may be paid by the water conservation district

SEC 7. Section fourteen of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 14. Not less than ten (10) days before the election of directors any ten (10) or more qualified voters in any subdivision of the water conservation district may file with the board of directors of the water conservation district a petition requesting that a certain person or persons specified in such petition be placed on the ballot as a candidate or candidates for the office named in the petition. The name or names proposed by the various petitions so filed, and no others, shall be printed on the ballot: but there shall be sufficient blank spaces left in which voters may write other names, if they so desire The petitions shall be preserved in the office of the board of directors of the water conservation district.

Thirty days before an election to be held under section thirteen of this act the secretary of the board of directors of a water conservation district shall cause notices to be posted in three public places in each election precinct of the time and place of holding the election, and shall also post a general notice of the same in the office of said board, which shall be established and kept at some fixed place to be determined by said board, specifying the polling places of each precinct Prior to the time for posting the notices, the board must appoint for each precinct from the electors thereof a clerk, an inspector and two judges, who shall constitute a board of election for such precinct If the board fails to appoint a board of election, or the members appointed do not attend at the opening of the polls on the morning of the election, the electors of the precinct present at that hour may appoint the board, or supply the place of an absent member thereof. The board of directors must, in its order appointing the board of election designate the house or place within the precinct where the election must be held.

The ballot used at the election of directors of a water conservation district, after the election of directors on organization, shall be provided by the board of directors of a water conservation district, and one of the judges of election at every election of directors of a water conservation district shall deliver to each of the qualified voters one of the ballots so provided The ballots to be used in each subdivision for the election of a director from said subdivision shall have printed on them the names of all candidates whose names have been filed as provided in this act, with a voting square behind each name: *provided*, that the ballots in each subdivision of the water conservation district shall have on them the names of the persons to be voted for as director to represent that subdivision only.

As soon as the polls are closed, the election officers shall count the votes cast at such election, and a certificate shall be drawn by said election officers stating the number of votes each candidate received, and the result of said election The certificate as aforesaid shall be signed by an inspector and judge of such election board. The election returns shall be immediately delivered by the inspector or by

some other safe and responsible carrier designated by said inspector to the secretary or other officer of the water conservation district board. No returns from election shall be set aside or rejected for want of form if they can be satisfactorily understood. The board of directors of the water conservation district must meet at the usual place of meeting on the first Monday after election to canvass the returns. If, at the time of meeting, the returns from each precinct in the district in which the polls were opened have been received, the board of directors must then and there proceed to canvass the returns, but if all the returns have not been received the canvass must be postponed from day to day until all the returns have been received or until SIX (6) postponements have been made. The canvass must be made in public and by opening the returns and ascertaining the vote of each subdivision of the water conservation district for each director voted for and declaring the result thereof.

The person receiving the highest number of votes in any election held in a subdivision of a water conservation district for the election of directors shall be elected as director.

The secretary of the water conservation district must immediately make out and deliver to each person elected a director of a subdivision of the water conservation district a certificate of election signed by him and authenticated with the seal of said water conservation district.

At all elections held under the provisions of this act, including the election for organization of a water conservation district, the polls shall be opened at eight o'clock a.m. and remain open until six o'clock p.m. The inspector shall be chairman of the election board and may administer all oaths required in the process of an election; and appoint judges, if, during the progress of the election, any judge ceases to act. Any member of the board of election may administer and certify oaths required to be administered during the progress of an election. Before opening the polls, each member of the board must take and subscribe an oath to faithfully perform the duties imposed upon him by law. Any voter of the precinct may administer and certify such oath.

SEC. 8. A new section is hereby added to said act, to be numbered 15*a*, and to read as follows:

SEC. 15*a*. Whenever at any election called pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of this act the majority of the votes cast in any water storage district unit of a proposed water conservation district shall be in favor of the organization of the proposed water conservation district, and also in favor of said water storage district unit issuing and selling bonds for the purpose of said proposed water conservation district, and the state irrigation board shall enter its order as in this act is provided, that said water conservation district is established, then the said election so held in any such water storage district unit shall be in all respects as effective to authorize a bond issue of any such water storage district unit as an election called and held under section twenty-four of the water storage district act, and the board of directors of such water storage district unit shall cause bonds in the amount stated in the order for such election, to be executed and delivered to the treasurer of said water storage district to the credit of the water conservation district fund of said water storage district unit in the manner and form and to the same effect as though said bonds had been authorized and issued after instead of before an assessment had been levied on the lands within such water storage district benefited by said water conservation district project in the amount stated in said order calling said election, which amount shall be that apportioned to such water storage district in the order of the state irrigation board apportioning to the several units in such proposed water conservation district its proportion of all the costs and expenses of the project of said proposed water conservation district.

The treasurer of such water storage district shall sell said bonds in the manner provided in section twenty-four of said water storage district act, and the proceeds of sale of said bonds shall be placed in the water conservation district fund of said water storage district. Any sale by such treasurer and delivery of the bonds thereunder shall be conclusive evidence in favor of the purchaser and all subsequent holders of the bonds, that such sale was made upon due authority and notice.

Whenever the state irrigation board shall have made its order that a water conservation district is established, with one or more water storage district units therein, the state engineer shall forthwith appoint three commissioners in each such water storage district unit, whose duty it shall be to assess the proportion of the costs of the water conservation district project apportioned to such water storage district unit by the state irrigation board in its final order of apportionment upon the benefited lands within such water storage district unit which shall be done in the same manner and with the same effect as though said project had been approved by a majority of the votes cast at an election called and held as provided in section nineteen of said water storage district act. The state irrigation board shall furnish the board of directors of each water storage district unit two correct copies of the report and estimate required to be kept on file in the office of the state irrigation board by section seven of this act and of the order required to be made by section eight of this act, and the said commissioners shall receive from the board of directors of the water storage district unit one of said copies in the place of the detailed plans, specifications and estimates of the costs of the project provided to be delivered

to them by section nineteen of the water storage district act, and the rolls prepared by said commissioners when completed shall be accompanied by the written report of the commissioners wherein is set out with particularity the exact nature and quantum of the benefits so assessed to the benefited lands of the district in the project of such water conservation district apportioned and allotted to each such tract of land in said water storage district unit, including any benefits through any drainage or reclamation work connected therewith. In such report lands embraced within a comprehensive area or a political subdivision of the state may be referred to generally as lands lying within such area or subdivision without further description. In other respects said rolls and report, and proceedings with relation thereto up to the filing of the same with the county treasurer, shall conform as near as may be to the requirements of said section nineteen of said water storage district act.

When the board of directors of such water storage district unit shall file with the county treasurer of a county within such district the assessment list or roll as finally approved as provided in said water storage act, the charges assessed thereby upon the several tracts of land within the county shall constitute a lien thereon, which shall be prior to all other liens except state, county and municipal taxes, and assessments or taxes levied or assessed by or under statutory authority, and shall impart notice thereof to all persons.

All moneys collected by a county treasurer upon any assessment levied as in this section provided, including all moneys derived from the sale of land for delinquent installments or from redemption thereof, or from sale of lands bought by such treasurer at any such sale as trustee of the water conservation district bond fund of the water storage district, shall be by such treasurer forthwith paid into the county treasury of the county from which the same arose, to the credit of a water conservation district bond fund which shall be created by such water storage district, and shall be used exclusively for the payment of principal and interest of said bonds issued on account of said water conservation district bond fund. Where bonds of such water storage district have been issued as herein provided, no act or conduct on the part of the board of directors of said water storage district or any officer mentioned in said water storage district act, or in this act, shall invalidate any assessment herein authorized to be made after the same shall have become a lien in the manner herein provided.

It is the purpose of this section to provide that any water storage district which may become a unit in a water conservation district, may authorize a bond issue as in this act provided, before it shall have levied an assessment upon the benefited lands in said water storage district, and that it may thereafter, by proceedings hereunder, levy an assessment upon the benefited lands to secure the payment of the bonds so issued as herein provided, and this section shall be liberally construed to accomplish that purpose.

SEC. 9. A new section is hereby added to said act, to be numbered 15*b*, and to read as follows:

SEC. 15*b*. Whenever at any election called pursuant to the provisions of section ten of this act the majority of the votes cast in any reclamation district unit of a proposed water conservation district shall be in favor of organization of the proposed water conservation district, and also in favor of said reclamation district unit issuing and selling bonds in the amount allotted and apportioned to it by said state irrigation board for the purposes of said proposed water conservation district, and the state irrigation board shall enter its order, that said water conservation district be established, then the said election so held in any such reclamation district unit shall be and the same is as effective to authorize the issuance of said bonds of any such reclamation district unit as an election called and held under section three thousand four hundred eighty of the Political Code, and the board of trustees of such reclamation district unit shall cause bonds in the amount stated in the order for such election, to be executed and delivered to the treasurer of the county in which said reclamation district or the larger part thereof is situated in the manner and form provided by section three thousand four hundred eighty of the Political Code, and to the same effect as though said bonds had been authorized and issued after instead of before an assessment had been levied on the lands within said reclamation district benefited by said water conservation district project. Said bonds and the proceeds thereof shall be held by said treasurer to the credit of said reclamation district in a fund to be known and designated as the water conservation district fund.

The treasurer of said county shall sell said bonds in the manner provided in section three thousand four hundred eighty of the Political Code for the sale of the bonds of a reclamation district, and the proceeds of the sale of said bonds shall be placed in the treasury of said county to the credit of the water conservation district fund of said reclamation district. Any sale by such treasurer and delivery of the bonds thereunder, shall be conclusive evidence in favor of the purchaser and all subsequent holders of bonds that such sale was made upon due authority and notice.

Whenever the state irrigation board shall have made its order that a water conservation district is established with one or more reclamation district units therein, the board of supervisors of the county in which the said reclamation district or the greater part thereof is situated, shall forthwith appoint three (3)

commissioners in each such reclamation district unit, who shall qualify as provided in section three thousand four hundred fifty-five of the Political Code. Said commissioners shall assess the proportion of the costs of the water conservation district project apportioned to such reclamation district unit by the state irrigation board in its final order of apportionment upon the benefited lands within such reclamation district unit, which shall be done in the same manner and with the same effect as though the plan or plans of said water conservation district project had been prepared and approved in the manner provided in section three thousand four hundred fifty-five of the Political Code, and no hearing on said plans shall be held by, and no approval of said plans shall be required or made by either the reclamation board of the Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district or by the board of supervisors of the main county of said reclamation district, but the said election held in said reclamation district unit pursuant to the provisions of this act shall constitute a final approval of said project and of the part therein apportioned to said reclamation district unit.

The state irrigation board shall furnish the board of trustees of each reclamation district unit three (3) correct copies of the report and estimate required to be kept on file in the office of the state irrigation board by section seven and three (3) copies of the order required by section eight of this act. Said board of trustees shall file one of each of said copies of said report and order with the secretary of said reclamation district, one each of said copies with the clerk of the board of supervisors of the main county of said reclamation district, and the said commissioners shall receive from the board of trustees of the reclamation district unit one of said copies of said report and order in place of the plan or plans of the works of reclamation, and the estimation of the costs of the contemplated works of the district provided to be made and reported to the board of supervisors by section three thousand four hundred fifty-five of the Political Code.

Said commissioners shall thereupon view and assess upon the land within said reclamation district unit the said sum apportioned to such reclamation district unit by the state irrigation board in its final order of apportionment, and shall apportion the same according to the benefits that will accrue to each tract of land in said irrigation district unit respectively by reason of the expenditures of said sums of money, and shall estimate the same in gold coin of the United States, and shall file with the clerk of the board of supervisors of the main county of said reclamation district an assessment list in the manner and form required by the Political Code for reclamation district assessments where the reclamation district is situated wholly outside of the Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district. In addition to the matters required by the Political Code to be set forth in said assessment lists, said commissioners shall set forth in said lists the proportionate right of each assessed parcel of land in the share of said reclamation district unit in the project of said water conservation district.

The said board of supervisors shall thereupon appoint a time for hearing objections to the report and assessment lists of said commissioners; cause notice of said time and place of said hearing; hear and act on objections filed thereto until the amount of each assessment shall finally be fixed; shall then make an order approving said report and assessment list and shall endorse such order upon said assessment lists, which said endorsement shall be signed by the chairman of said board of supervisors and attested by the clerk thereof, all in the manner and form required by section three thousand four hundred sixty-two of the Political Code for hearing, equalizing, adjusting and finally determining assessments of reclamation districts, and such decision of said board of supervisors shall be final and thereafter said assessment list shall be conclusive evidence that the said assessment list has been made and levied according to law, except in an action commenced as provided in section three thousand four hundred sixty-two of the Political Code. The assessment lists shall then be filed with the county treasurer or if the reclamation district is situated in more than one county, then the original list must be filed with the county treasurer of the county where the greater portion of the lands of said district are situated, and copies thereof certified by the treasurer must be filed with the treasurer of each of the other counties. When the board of supervisors shall have finally taken action modifying or approving any assessment lists as provided herein and in section three thousand four hundred sixty-two of said Political Code, the charges assessed thereby upon tracts of land within the county shall constitute a lien thereon and shall impart notice thereof to all persons, and in the event of the conveyance of a part of a tract of land in said district and in the absence of any provision in the instrument conveying the same, said lands so conveyed shall be deemed to share ratably in the benefits apportioned to the entire tract.

The sums so assessed must be collected and paid into the county treasury, as in section three thousand four hundred eighty of the Political Code provided, and be placed by the treasurer to the credit of the water conservation district fund of said reclamation district unit for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of such bonds and for no other purpose. All proceedings for the sale of lands for delinquent assessments and the redemption of such lands shall be in accordance with the provisions of section three thousand four hundred eighty of the Political Code.

Where bonds of such reclamation district unit have been issued as provided herein, no act or conduct on the part of the board of trustees of said reclamation district or any officer mentioned in said article two, chapter one, title eight, part three of the Political Code or this act shall invalidate any assessment herein authorized to be made after the same shall have become a lien in the manner provided herein, but such trustees may be compelled by mandate or other proper proceedings to perform their duties as required by law.

It is the purpose of this section to provide that any reclamation district which may become a unit in a water conservation district may authorize a bond issue as in this act provided, before it shall have levied an assessment upon the benefited lands in said reclamation district, and that it may hereafter, by proceedings hereunder, levy an assessment upon the benefited lands to secure the payment of the bonds so issued as herein provided, and this section shall be liberally construed to accomplish that purpose.

SEC. 10. Section twenty of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 20. Each of the constituent districts or units of a water conservation district is hereby expressly authorized to vote, issue and sell its bonds for the purposes herein provided in this act, and said bonds are to be in all respects of the same force and effect, and of the same priority as a lien on property as other bonds voted, issued and sold by such constituent district or unit under the particular law or laws governing the voting, issuance and sale of bonds by such constituent district or unit.

The board of directors of a water conservation district shall estimate and determine, in the manner provided in section twenty-four hereof, the amount of money required by such board of directors of the total sum originally voted by all of the constituent districts or units, and said board of directors shall thereupon apportion and allot to each of said constituent districts or units its proportion of the cost of said project. Said apportionment shall be made upon the same basis as was provided for in the original apportionment of the cost made by the state irrigation board, and thereupon said board of directors shall, by resolution duly adopted and entered upon the minutes of said board, make requisition upon each of said constituent districts or units for its proportion of said cost, and a copy of said resolution, duly certified to, shall be served upon the secretary or other officer of the governing board of each constituent district or unit.

SEC. 11. A new section is hereby added to said act, to be numbered thirty-seven and to read as follows:

Sec. 37. Actions or proceedings contesting or attacking the validity of the formation of a water conservation district can only be commenced within thirty days from the date of the making by the state irrigation board of the final order establishing such water conservation district, as provided in section eleven hereof.

Actions or proceedings attacking or contesting the validity of any bond issue provided for in this act can only be commmenced within thirty days after the declaration of the result of such election at which such bonds were voted.

Except as herein provided, actions or proceedings attacking or contesting any election under the provisions of this act can only be commenced within thirty days after the declaration of the result of such election."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 121—An act validating the formation, organization and proceedings of the Potter Valley Irrigation District under the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 247—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed amendment, after the word "districts" strike out all matter to the semicolon in line 24

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the word "nine" and in lieu thereof insert the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "district period" strike out all matter to bottom of page and in lieu thereof insert the following "*Provided, further, however*, that should the legislature at the first regular session following any decimal federal census fail to reapportion the senatorial and assembly districts, the supreme court of California shall apportion such senatorial and assembly districts in accordance with the provisions of this section

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 22 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relative to election of the Railroad Commission.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed amendment, after the word "district" insert the following words: "the commissioners then elected shall take office on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January following their election,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, lines 18 and 19, of the printed amendment as amended March 20, strike out the words "except when bonded indebtedness would be incurred" and insert after the word "congressional" in line 15, page 2, a comma

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No 160—An act declaring the public highway extending from Fresno, in Fresno County, to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, and running through Mendota, Dos Palos, Newman and Crows Landing, to Tracy, to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 160 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor:

Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Foster moved that Assembly Bill No. 639 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 639 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16¼, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jost moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the amended bill, strike out the word "an" and insert in lieu thereof the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 7, of the amended bill, between the words "in" and "butter", insert the word "milk" followed by a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 18 to 20, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 21, of the amended bill, strike out the letter "(k)" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "(j)".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Jost as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 652, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JOST, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 912—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Insurance Commissioner and salary of the deputy insurance commissioner.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Eksward moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the first word "the" and before the word "salary", insert the word "annual".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Eksward as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 912, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

EKSWARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide for the credit on forthcoming taxes of certain life insurance companies of taxes heretofore erroneously collected from said insurance companies under the provisions of section 13 of article XIV of the constitution of the State of California.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Eksward moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 14, 1925, in line 18, strike out the words "that upon", and, in lieu thereof, insert the following: "and upon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 14, 1925, in line 34, strike out the words "article one of section", and in lieu thereof, insert the following: "section one of article".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Eksward as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 502, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

EKSWARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1236 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Burns, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to amend section 311 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may call stockholders meetings of corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1025 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to bail after indictment, so as to provide for the justification and approval of the same by a judge of the municipal court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1027 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1028—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1461*a*, relating to proceedings in justice's and police courts, so as to make the procedure in said courts apply to municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1028 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1030—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may solemnize marriages.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1030 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to change of place of trial of actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1031 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis,

Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1032—An act to amend section 161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to employment of judicial officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1032 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 147 of the Code of Civil Procedure, prescribing what courts shall have seals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1033 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1035—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1617, relating to county jails to provide for the imprisonment of convicts in the municipal court in city jails.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1035 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor,

Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to amend sections 1466, 1467, 1468 and 1469 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section 1468*a*, relating to appeals from municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1036 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1038—An act to amend sections 33 and 34 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to courts and courts of record.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1038 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1039—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 149*a*, relating to seals of municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1039 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1040—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered section 1281*a*, providing that judges of the municipal courts may admit to and justify bail.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1040 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 808 of the Penal Code, prescribing who are magistrates.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1041 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1037—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4300*l*, relating to fees of clerks of municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1037 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered IV to title XIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals from municipal courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1026 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1425*a*, providing that municipal courts shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all misdemeanors

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1034 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 241—An act to amend section 1281 of the Civil Code, relating to wills, the validity of which by its own terms, is made conditional.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 241 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Graves gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 241 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 402—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department and to assess and collect taxes from time to

time for such purposes, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 402 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 231—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of Horticultural Commission.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Murray moved that Assembly Bill No. 231 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 231 re-referred to Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 444 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to amend section 19*r*17 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the juvenile court law approved March 8, 1909, as amended

by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 707 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 214—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895, as amended, relating to compensation of certain officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 214 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend sections 3756 and 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 142 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Neilsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner,

Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—55.
NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Graves—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 918 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 424 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment

of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 425 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend sections 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts eighteen and nineteen.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1196 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Elksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 633c of the Political Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 529 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1255—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, as amended, relating to powers of the districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1255 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION.

Mr. Eksward moved that the Journal of March 26, 1925, on page 28, immediately following the roll call on Assembly Bill No. 1120, be corrected to include the following statement:

In reading the Journal this morning I found to my surprise that I am recorded as voting "No" on Assembly Bill No. 1120. I introduced this bill and have at all times diligently followed its progress, endeavoring to have this bill passed by the Assembly at the earliest possible time. I distinctly voted aye when my name was called to vote on this bill, but due to an error of the clerk, no doubt owing to the confusion in the Assembly Chamber at the time of taking the vote, he did not hear me vote aye and so did not record me correctly. I am making this statement to avoid any possible doubt as to my consistent and earnest support of Assembly Bill No. 1120.

FRANK L. EKSWARD.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 677—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts

and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relative to the construction of bridges and highways, approved May 25, 1923;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 588*d*, relating to the preservation against defacement of the public highways of the State of California;

Also, Assembly Bill No 423—An act to add a new section to be numbered 52½ to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by public utilities;

Also Assembly Bill No 630—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1609*a* relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also Assembly Bill No 670—An act granting certain tide lands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Seal Beach, subject to certain trusts;

Also Assembly Bill No 731—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to boundaries of municipalities.

Also Assembly Bill No 807—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, against the State of California,
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to the policy and practice of renting or leasing the exclusive right to hunt wild game or game birds on State lands, by-passes, drainage, levee, or protection districts or other properties of this State to persons, clubs or corporations—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 12 of article XIII thereof, relating to poll taxes—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Mr. West be appointed a Select Committee of One for the purpose of meeting Hon Marc Peter, Swiss Ambassador, from Washington, who will arrive in Sacramento on Sunday, March 29, 1925, at ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes a m.

Motion carried.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Schmidt, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 152—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the board of regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,' " approved June 12, 1913, as amended, relative to registration of nurses;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of labor of male and female drug clerks;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of such funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, referring to teachers' retirement salaries—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend the title of and revise an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, and to include therein provisions for work in, under and upon and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and parks within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, together with any of the same which may form the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county whether they lie wholly or partly within or without the boundaries of such municipality and in, under and upon any publicly owned property and rights of way whether within or without a municipality, and in and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section fourteen of article one of the constitution of the State of California; for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder, and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and for county aid in all of such work;

Also Assembly Bill No 580—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 640—An act to amend sections 8 and 20 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk in bottles and the labeling thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1424, relating to the rights of complaining witnesses in criminal proceedings—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

FINNEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k* and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CLAIMS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 130—An act to pay the claim of Charles Bartholomew against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 716—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 212—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of McCloud River Lumber Company—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 483—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p* inclusive of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q* relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees;

Also: Assembly Bill No 950—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifteenth class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 72—An act declaring the county road in Calaveras County, extending from Angels Camp through Vallecita and Murphy to Calaveras Big Trees in the National Forest to be a State highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad crosses such state line to be a public highway and making an appropriation for the improvement thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 290—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Niles and Santa Rita by way of Sunol and Pleasanton in the county of Alameda, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law" of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 14—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 11 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds by corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment order to engrossment. Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article XX thereof, relative to proportional representation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 60—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 15, of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 354—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots 10, 11 and 12 in block 4 of Diestelhorst's addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block 5 and lots 6 and 7 in block 6 of said Diestelhorst's addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 186—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the thirty-ninth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fortieth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Pierce:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds, to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 3, 1921 as amended.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to repeal section 445 of the Political Code, authorizing the Controller of State to maintain an Inheritance Tax Department and in connection therewith to appoint an inheritance tax attorney and assistants thereto.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 545 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 545 re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Bernard waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1071 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1071 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 629—An act to amend sections 647 and 647*a* of the Civil Code of the State of California, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 647*b*, all relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 629 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 540—An act to amend section 626*p* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of beaver.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 540 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 106—An act to amend section 4237 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the eighth class.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 106 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 625—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1451*a*, relating to obtaining money by heirs.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 625 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Minter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 137—An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, receiving for sale, and persons selling ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 43 to 52, inclusive

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 33, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following. "application for a review of any order granting, refusing, or revoking, a license made by the state mineralogist under this act, may be made to the superior court in and for the county where the aggrieved parties reside, by any person or persons who may feel aggrieved by such order and whose name or names appear in the record of the proceedings before the state mineralogist as a licensee, applicant for license, protestant, or accuser, by lodging in the office of the clerk of said court a certified copy of the transcript of the proceedings before the state mineralogist, including copies of all papers filed therein. The transcript shall be accompanied by a short petition naming the person or persons applying for the review as plaintiff or plaintiffs and the state mineralogist as defendant, and praying for a review of the order.

Within ten days after lodging such application the party or parties applying for the review shall serve notice of its pendency upon the state mineralogist, in writing, and if the review be of an order granting a license or refusing to revoke a license, such notice shall also be served upon the person to whom the license was thereby granted or whose license was thereby permitted to remain in force.

Such notice may be served by personal delivery or by registered mail, and proof of service shall be made to the satisfaction of the court if not admitted. No review shall be allowed unless taken within thirty days after entry of the order. The said court shall try all such reviews upon the transcript, and such evidence as may be offered and admitted. When the court has finally determined any such proceeding, it shall forthwith cause its order in the premises to be certified to the state mineralogist. The costs in such review shall be awarded at the discretion of the court, and if any costs are awarded against the state mineralogist, the same shall be paid out of funds arising from the payment of license fees under this act. When a review is had, as herein provided, of an order of the state mineralogist revoking a license, such review shall operate as a stay upon such order.

For the making of the transcript herein provided for, the state mineralogist shall collect from the person or persons ordering the same, twenty-five cents per folio of one hundred words, and twenty-five cents for certifying the same.

The superior court in and for the county or city and county in which the aggrieved party or parties reside shall have the right and jurisdiction to review the action of the state mineralogist in granting, refusing, or revoking a license."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 137, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund; selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 630 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 623—An act to amend section 610 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 623 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 148 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy,

Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 621—An act to amend section 15*a* of the Building and Loan Commission Act, approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 621 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 476—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of districts within municipalities for the acquisition or construction of public improvements, works and public utilities; for the issuance, sale and payment of bonds of such districts to meet the cost of such improvements; and for the acquisition or construction of such improvements," approved April 20, 1915, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 11½, providing for the disposition of money raised by the sale of bonds under said act, whenever it has by resolution been declared to be no longer necessary to expend said money for the purpose for which the bonds were voted by reason of the fact that such purpose has been accomplished by other means.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 476 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 63—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the fiftieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 63 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney,

Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the fifty-sixth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 509 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 213—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*a*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 213 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 2196 of the Political Code, relating to the care and treatment of mental defectives in private sanitariums.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 260 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—44

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Miss Broughton gave notice that on the next legislative day she would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 260 was this day passed.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 677—An act to amend section 637*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 677 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to amend sections 6, and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 636 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Duval, and Lyons—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 670—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Seal Beach, subject to certain trusts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 670 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1205—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this state; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons; to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1205 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Anderson, R. J—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 148 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 191 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris,

Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 588*d*, relating to the preservation against defacement of the public highways of the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 206 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—52

NOES—Bernard, Browne, Crittenden, West, and Mr. Speaker—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to add a new section to be numbered 52*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by public utilities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 423 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 628—An act to amend section 643 of the Civil Code, relative to building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 628 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 14 of "the Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 622 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 19*h* of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the eighth class.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 65 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 271—An act to amend section 628*b*, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 271 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar,

Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Murphy moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 34, of the printed bill, commencing with and including the word "and", strike out all words down to and including the word "fat" in line 36, same page.

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Murphy as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 641, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MURPHY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under state authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to trials of employees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1125 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt,

Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts.
Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Roberts moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "may" add the following: "upon the written request of that race or religion involved".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "device" and insert in lieu thereof the word "devise".

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Roberts as such select committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 982, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROBERTS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section I of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage.
Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 read.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During reading of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the constitutional amendment as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, as amended March 20, strike out the words "except when bonded indebtedness would be incurred" and insert after the word "congressional" in line 15, page 2, a comma.

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Williamson as such select committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1239 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Monday, March 30, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, March 30, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Noyes, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 910—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of superior courts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 681—An act to amend section 410 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of the laws, resolutions and journals of Legislature; of reports of Supreme Court—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to provide for the investigation of matters relating to the public welfare in connection with the welfare of women and children in the State of California by a committee of nine women to be appointed by the Governor,

Also Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 482—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to funds of the said society;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom prisons. Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees; providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation; defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 234—An act to amend section 363 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1187—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2554, relating to the duties of certain employees of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners and their dismissal and eligibility;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of re-establishing the said school elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend section 30 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to inspectors and traffic officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of the storage, control and diversion of water for public use and public protection in the State of California, and making an appropriation for said purpose—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to add a new section to the

Political Code, to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees, and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 254—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 255—An act to validate and legalize all bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold by municipal utility districts where authority for such issuance has already been given by vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such districts voting at an election held for that purpose, and declaring the urgency of said act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to protective tariff on cement;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to protective tariff on cherries;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends they be adopted.

LOUTTIT, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 323—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 4 and 5, and adding four new sections to be numbered 3, 3*a*, 5*a* and 6*c* to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the railroad commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, and for the punishment of violation thereof; and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the transportation of persons or property for compensation on the public highways by motor vehicles;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 61—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 816—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code relating to fish and game;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed; defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof; authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish stations for the inspection and certification of cotton seed, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California; prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend sections 438 and 422 and to repeal section 442 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 2280 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44 47 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 53 and 57 thereof, relating respectively to the construction of works and the compensation of officers;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts;

Assembly Bill No. 1182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 573—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 1551 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 962—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products and fixing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof," approved June 3, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1180—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in Tulare County, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Tulare County to convey said road to the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1235—An act to amend section 4021*a* of the Political Code, relating to recall of officers of school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 426—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 11 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds by corporations—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 36—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the fifty-fifth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 101—An act to amend section 4286 of the Political Code, relating to counties of the fifty-seventh class, and salaries of officers thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 173—An act to amend section 4275 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-sixth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1062*a*, and relating to the trial of actions for declaratory relief;

Also Assembly Bill No. 221—An act to amend section 4259 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirtieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 268—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment, fine, and imprisonment;

Also Assembly Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 4252 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 421—An act to amend section 4282 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fifty-third class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4278 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, compensation, and expenses of county officers of counties of the forty-ninth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 643—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 877—An act to amend section 19*x*21 of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved March 8, 1909, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-seventh day of March, 1925, at three o'clock p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 723—An act to amend section 4041*f*, 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-seventh day of March, 1925, at four o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 485 is returned herewith without my approval.

This bill is clearly in conflict with the decision of the Supreme Court written by Justice Wilbur in the case of Miller and Lux vs. The Board of Supervisors of Madera County (189 Cal. 254). In that case an act similar to this was declared to be violative of article 4, section 25, subsection 33 of the constitution.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 902 is returned herewith without my approval.

This bill is clearly in conflict with the decision of the Supreme Court written by Justice Wilbur in the case of Miller and Lux vs. The Board of Supervisors of Madera County (189 Cal. 254). In that case an act similar to this was declared to be violative of article 4, section 25, subsection 33 of the constitution.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 19, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 104 is returned herewith without my approval

This bill is clearly in conflict with the decision of the Supreme Court written by Justice Wilbur in the case of Miller and Lux vs. The Board of Supervisors of Madera County (189 Cal. 254). In that case an act similar to this was declared to be violative of article 4, section 25, subsection 33 of the constitution.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

I am returning herewith Assembly Bill No. 204 without my approval.

There appears to be no demand for the passage of this bill and not one person, other than its author, has written to me in its behalf. The guards at both the State's prisons are well satisfied with their jobs and have made no request for such legislation. The Board of Prison Directors reports that the enacting of this bill into a law would require the building of new sleeping quarters costing $80,000 at San Quentin and $55,000 at Folsom; that such buildings could not be erected within one year, and that the additions to the pay rolls and support allowance for the first biennium would amount to $243,460. This bill would add $378,460 to the present budget and add a perpetual biennial cost of $243,460. It is not fair to the taxpayers of the State that such a heavy burden should be placed upon them, especially when no adequate reason for the expenditure is presented.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly.

This is to advise your honorable body that I have signed the following bills:

Senate Bills Nos. 37, 58, 129, 192, 226, 300 and 301.

Assembly Bills Nos. 331 and 541.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

This is to advise you that I have this day signed Assembly Bills Nos. 36, 309, 311, 312 and 1076.

Yours respectfully,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 472—An act to prohibit the employment of aliens by contractors and subcontractors on public work being done under the authority of the State, or any officer or department thereof, or under the authority of any county, city and county, city, or town, or any officer or department thereof, except in cases of extraordinary emergency, caused by fire, flood, or danger to life or property, or except to work upon public military or naval defenses or works in time of war, and except when it can be shown to the satisfaction of the proper constituted authorities that at the time of employment citizens of this State and of the United States were not available for employment; providing that where citizens are unavailable for employment and aliens are employed and citizens later become available, they shall be given the position held by the non-citizens, and providing penalties for the violation of any of the provisions hereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 472 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 646—An act to amend section 689b of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to selling personal property under execution;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments; to provide for regular pay days in such employments, providing a penalty for the violation thereof; and authorizing the commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act, approved June 8, 1915,' approved May 6, 1919, by amending section 4 thereof, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to provide additional penalties for failures to pay monthly or semi-monthly as in section 2 of the said act provided and providing for the collection of the civil penalties provided by civil action by the said commissioner";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 469—An act to amend section 1238 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exercise of the right of eminent domain;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1192—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 126—An act to regulate the working hours of employees engaged in selling at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully concurs in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 11—An act to amend sections 7 and 8½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered section 5a, relating to poisons

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 175?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "The said treasurer shall also retain", and strike out all of lines 46 and 47.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 51 and 52 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "by the tax collector, which office is hereby created".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2.

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 175 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 746?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 9, 1925, strike out the colon following the word "Sausalito" and add the following "and being as laid out and delineated upon map number one of salt marsh and tide lands situate in the county of Marin, State of California, prepared by order of the board of tideland commissioners under the authority and in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act supplementary to, and amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to survey and dispose of certain salt marsh and tidelands belonging to the State of California, approved March thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight,'" approved April first, eighteen hundred seventy, copy of which map is on file in the office of the surveyor general of the State of California, and also on file in the office of the county recorder of Marin county, California."

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 746 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 969—An act amending an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties;

Also, Assembly Bill No 970—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, by amending section 1 thereof, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

And respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 969?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, after the word "corporations" insert the following: "other than a city and county."

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 969 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—42

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 970?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "corporations" insert the following words: "other than a city and county".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 970 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 19—An act

making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes, in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 19?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 13 of the printed bill, after line 43, insert the following paragraphs:

"For salaries California highway commission, exclusive of the state highway engineer and commissioners, two million three thousand seven hundred dollars ($2,003,700).

For support California highway commission, eight hundred seventy-two thousand forty dollars ($872,040).

For maintenance and repairs of roads in the state highway system by California highway commission, nine million one hundred fifty-three thousand dollars ($9,153,000).

For reconstruction, widening and thickening state highways already built and under maintenance by California highway commission, eleven million one hundred eighty-seven thousand dollars ($11,187,000).

For new construction on parts of state highways never before built or extensions to present construction by California highway commission, five million five hundred forty-two thousand dollars ($5,542,000)."

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 19 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P. Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 209?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "has" insert the word "filed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, before the word "distinguishing", strike out the word "No" and insert in lieu thereof the following "The designated marks shall be placed upon the ballot by the county clerk, registrar of voters, or other person responsible for the form and arrangement of the ballot, but no".

The roll was called and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 209 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 229—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 229?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the amended bill, beginning with the semicolon after the word "paid" in line 14, strike out all down to and including the word "necessary" in line 18.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the amended bill, beginning with the words "The sheriff" in line 13, strike out all down to and including the period after the word "necessary" in line 16.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 18 to 21, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following. "bent or his deputies."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 30 to 34, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the salary of the recorder is paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 40 after the period after the word "paid" to 44, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 4 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following 'the same fund as the tax collector is paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3 of the amended bill, beginning with the word "The" after the period following the word "paid" in line 15, strike out all down to and including the period after "sary" in line 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the assessor may also be allowed a sum of not to exceed two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum for additional help when in the opinion of the assessor such additional help is necessary, *provided, further*, that the assessor shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own use four per cent only on personal property tax collected by him was authorized by sections three thousand eight hundred twenty and three thousand eight hundred twenty-nine of the Political Code."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 17, of the amended bill, after the word "and", strike out the following: "as road commissioner and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 4, line 21, of the amended bill, before the word "hundred", strike out the word "six" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 36 to 48 and insert in lieu thereof the following "There is hereby created for counties of this class, a traffic officer, who shall receive a salary of not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars per month, and shall provide his equipment: *however*, such traffic officer may be allowed an amount not to exceed twenty-five dollars per month for expenses in operation of such equipment.

The traffic officer shall be allowed not to exceed three deputies, each of such deputies shall receive a salary not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars per month and shall provide his equipment; *however*, such deputies may be allowed an amount not to exceed twenty-five dollars per month for expense for operation of such equipment.

Such traffic officer and his deputies shall be appointed by the board of supervisors and shall hold office for the period provided by law; *provided, however*, that the board of supervisors shall have authority at any time to remove such officer or any of said deputies.

The salary of the traffic officer and his deputies shall be paid in monthly installments, in the same manner and out of the same fund as other county officers are paid."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 229 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 25, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution:

By Mr. Coombs.

Resolved, That five thousand copies of chapter 228, Statutes of 1923, being "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," be printed by the State Printer for the use of the members and general distribution.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
NOYES.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.

Mr. Coombs moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 26, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report and submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and at the per diem set opposite their respective names. The following named person to date from and including the twenty-first day of March, 1925:

Barney Cullum, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.....$5 00

Be it further

Resolved, That the following named person be stricken from the roll to date from and include the twenty-fourth day of March, 1925

Frank Vinson, Page.....$2 50

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant from said fund in favor of the said named persons at the said per diem and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Anderson, R. J., moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Louttit moved that the Journals of Wednesday, March, 11, 1925; Thursday, March 12, 1925; Friday, March 13, 1925; Saturday, March 14, 1925, and Monday, March 16, 1925, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Johnson:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Scofield:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexations thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Heisinger:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of the Insurance Commissioner and of the Board of Equalization with respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 912—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Insurance Commissioner;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to the policy and practice of renting or leasing the exclusive right to hunt wild game or game birds on State lands, by-passes, drainage, levee, or protection districts or other properties of this State to persons, clubs or corporations.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 19.

Relative to the policy and practice of renting or leasing the exclusive right to hunt wild game or game birds on state lands, by-passes, drainage, levee, or protection districts or other properties of this State to persons, clubs or corporations.

WHEREAS, It is of public interest to preserve the exclusive right to hunt wild game or game birds on State lands and other properties under the control and jurisdiction of the State of California, in the interest of the people of this State; and

WHEREAS, The practice of leasing such privileges by any department or agency of this State to persons, clubs or corporations is not in accord with the established principle that the ownership of the wild game of this State is vested in the people and held in trust by the State for the benefit of all the people; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That said rights of the citizens of the State to hunt on the public lands of the State should be preserved by the several departments or agencies of this State to the end that all citizens shall have the same and equal right to hunt on such lands.

Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to amend sections 1510 and 1514 of the Political Code; to repeal section 1511*b* of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1511*b*, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 598 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, and Wright, T. M.—47.

NOES—Broughton, Browne, Runner, and Mr. Speaker—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to amend section 1617½ of the Political Code, relating to the selling or leasing of any real property upon which no public school is being maintained.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, following the word "hundred" insert the word "seventeen".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 834, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 419 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Campbell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "hundred" insert the word "dollars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 40, of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1925, after the word "thousand" strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Campbell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1100, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CAMPBELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 888—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cloudman moved that Assembly Bill No 888 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 888 re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Assembly Bill No 509—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 509 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rutner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—53.

NOES—Bernard, Jones, Roland, and Mr. Speaker—4.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Miss Broughton gave notice that on the next legislative day she would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 509 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 470—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of director of said department; providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof; providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the Department of Petroleum and Gas; creating a state mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act; and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the title of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "thereof" add the words "providing for the furnishing of information in certain cases by said director to the commissioner of corporations and the surveyor general.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 4, of the printed bill, before the word "governor" add the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "thereof," strike out the period and add in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following words: "and whenever in any act supplemental to or amendatory of said act of June 16, 1913, the words "state mining bureau" appear, they shall mean the "state department of mines and mineral resources" and whenever the words "state mineralogist" appears they shall mean the "director".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "act", strike out the words "in a" and insert in lieu thereof the words "from a person or company engaged in or proposing to engage in the business of owning, developing or operating.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "shall" insert the words "so far as practicable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "necessary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "property" insert the words "requested by the commissioner."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "required" and insert in lieu thereof the word "secured", and after the word "through" insert the word "such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 19, strike out the word "shall" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 470, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 637 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a*, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1182 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—Melville, Murphy, and Roberts—3.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 573—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 573 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 959 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mrs. Woodbridge moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "for" at the beginning of the line, strike out the word "county" and insert in lieu thereof the words "any hospital or".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mrs. Woodbridge as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1216, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WOODBRIDGE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

Assembly Bill No 962—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products and fixing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 962 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to boundaries of municipalities.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that Assembly Bill No. 731 be ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 731 re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were read and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Herewith I return without my approval Assembly Bill No. 149, which amends section 1607 of the Penal Code by providing for the removal of injured or sick prisoners from county jails to hospitals.

The purpose to be effected by this measure is humane and commendable. But it is my judgment, after carefully considering the matter, that the removal of prisoners from county jails to the comforts of hospitals should not be extended to persons convicted of crime until more restrictions have been imposed for the protection of society than are set forth in this bill. It is proposed by the amendment to permit the removal of a prisoner for medical treatment upon the order of a superior judge, based on affidavit of a sheriff or district attorney and oral testimony. There is no requirement as to the character of this oral testimony. While it is probable that in most cases the court would demand medical evidence of the need of a prisoner for medical treatment, and be governed by a wise discretion in making an order, I think it would be more of a safeguard to require sworn evidence of two or more reputable physicians as to the facts involved. It needs little imagination to predict that unless some such requirement is set forth in the statute the privilege will be abused by prisoners blessed with a political "pull," or who can command funds with which to work up maudlin sentiment.

I make these suggestions on the presumption, which I think may safely be indulged, that serving a sentence in a hospital would in general be more agreeable to most criminals than serving it in a county jail.

A protest has been filed against this bill stating that it would make it possible to remove prisoners, without a hearing, from a county jail to a private insane asylum as such asylums are usually called hospitals.

This bill is a better one than the bill of a similar nature adopted by the Legislature two years ago, but not approved by me. It still lacks the necessary safeguards, and there appears to be no considerable demand for it becoming a law.

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 226 is returned herewith without my approval for the reason that a mistake was made in drawing the bill and the author has requested its return.

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 268 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 1446 of the Penal Code which has stood unchanged for more than half a century. This section is generally understood and daily applied by all of the police judges and justices of the peace in this State. This bill would require these officers to specify in a judgment the extent of the imprisonment which would be limited as therein specified. These officers, many of whom are not skilled in the drawing of judgments, would have to be as careful and exact in the wording thereof as are superior court judges. The criminal procedure in police and justice courts should be as simple as possible. This bill would make the wording of judgments more difficult and technical and hence would afford another loop hole to permit guilty persons to escape punishment. Fines in these cases are usually small and this bill would be less deterrent to crime than the present section. The sentence "Ten days or ten dollars" has in it a great deal more psychological effect than ten days or five dollars.

This bill is a useless tinkering with the codes and would be a detriment to the ends of justice.

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

This is to inform your honorable bodies that I have signed the following bills: Assembly Bills Nos. 173, 686, 221, 322, and Senate Bill No. 109.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The title of said bills are as follows:

By Mr Runner An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

By Mr Jacobson An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges and the district attorney's special fund.

By Mr. Adams An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

By Mr. Mitchell. An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of "National Cleaning and Dyeing Works" against the State of California

By Mr. Johnson (by request): An act to amend section 1913 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class.

By Mr. Deuel: An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

By Mr. Hornblower An act to amend sections 3 and 9 and to add a new section to be numbered 15 to an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this state, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," approved by electors November 2, 1920, as amended, relating to rights of aliens with respect to real property.

By Mr Crittenden: An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the speaker of the house of representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento river or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 38, said new section relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States.

By Mr. Pierce An act to repeal section 445 of the Political Code, authorizing the controller of state to maintain an inheritance tax department and in connection therewith to appoint an inheritance tax attorney and assistants thereto.

By Mr. Pierce An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed, and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

By Mr. Scofield: An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation, and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes, therein.

By Mr. Heisinger: An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company.

By Mr Johnson (by request): An act to appropriate money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lonttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Olivа, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, to be numbered 1*a*, providing for the excusing of children from school for religious instruction:

Also: Assembly Bill No 346—An act to repeal section 856 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings;

Also Assembly Bill No 347—An act to amend section 437 and to repeal section 439 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings;

Also: Assembly Bill No 524—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No 689—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, by amending section 12, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 787—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any opium, morphine, cocaine, heroin or other narcotic is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such narcotics, and providing for the abatement of such nuisances;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 798—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire a right of way or rights of way and construct a highway or highways extending from a point at or near and west of Cordelia, Solano County, to and in a general southwesterly direction through the American canyon and thence extending said highway or highways by the most direct and practicable route in a southerly direction to a connection with the north end of the Carquinez bridge now being constructed by the American Toll Bridge Company over and across the straits of Carquinez and declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 808—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. K. Landram, against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 973—An act to amend section 1665 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1087—An act to amend section 1548 of the Political Code, relating to the office expenses of the Superintendent of Schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act to amend section 1750c of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1165—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to public schools.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1252—An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlements by executors and administrators.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 495—An act to protect poultry from contagious and infectious diseases and to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 645—An act to amend section 4246 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the seventeenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1179—An act to provide that no political subdivision may enforce a quarantine against any other political subdivision without the consent of the Director of Agriculture;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this thirtieth day of March, 1925, at twelve o'clock and ten minutes p. m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate for mining, irrigation and domestic purposes, and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "for mining, irrigation and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "domestic purposes."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, beginning with line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. There is hereby reserved for use in the county wherein water of any stream system originates or has its source, fifteen per cent of the water which originates in said county, and said reserved water shall be subject to appropriation for use only in said county; *provided, however*, that from time to time on the application of any interested party the department of public works, division of water

rights, may, after hearing had, increase or diminish the amount of water so reserved so as to provide for the actual needs of said county for the beneficial use of water therein, *provided, further*, that no increase in amount of water reserved shall affect any appropriations made under permits granted or applications for permits filed prior to the time of filing of said application for increase in reserved water. Said hearing shall be had on the notice and in accordance with the proceedings provided in an act approved January 2, 1912, Act 9152, laws of the extra session of the legislature of the State of California in the year 1911, and amendments thereto, for the granting of applications for permits to appropriate water. Where a stream forms the boundary between counties and has its origin and source partly in each of such counties, said division of water rights shall upon application by anyone interested in said reserved water determine from all surrounding conditions and circumstances the manner and method of appropriating the distribution of such reserved water to the lands of said counties entitled thereto under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. Any person, corporation, association, municipal corporation, or district desiring to avail themselves of the right to use said reserved water on lands within the county or counties to which such reservation applies shall file an application with said division of water rights and upon a proper showing being made that such applicant comes within the intent and purposes of this act, the permit shall be granted and shall define the extent and purposes of the use to be made of such water.

SEC 3. In the event of conflicting claims or demands for reserved water provided for in this act between parties claiming to be entitled to the benefits hereof, such claims shall be determined by said division of water rights upon a hearing as provided by law.

SEC. 4. Where a permit has been granted for a water appropriation subject to the reservation provided for in this act and the person or persons who are or may become entitled to the use of such reserved water are not prepared to make immediate use of such water, the appropriator shall have the right to use the water so reserved until such time that a request is made for the same by a person, firm, association, municipal corporation, or other corporation, or district entitled to such reserved water by virtue of the provisions of this act and pending said time that a request is made for the use of such reserved water by the person or persons entitled thereto, no right shall inure to or vest in the appropriator whose appropriation is subject to such reservation by reason of any such temporary use made of said water.

SEC. 5. Appropriations of water which have heretofore become vested either by diversion and use, or by compliance with the provisions of title eight, part four, division two, of the Civil Code, or by legislative confirmation under the provisions of section one thousand four hundred sixteen of the Civil Code, or by permit heretofore granted by the state division of water rights, or which may be granted under application filed prior to the date at which this act becomes effective, shall not be subject to any deduction under the provisions of this act.

SEC 6. This act shall not apply to the diversion or to applications or permits to divert or conduct out of a county any water or water rights the title to which has heretofore in any manner become vested, whether such proposed diversion is for the same use or a different use from that for which such water right or title was originally acquired or for which it is owned and held.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend sections 1775 and 1778 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of teachers certificates.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "certificate", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following "*provided*, that any person employed as a deputy or assistant superintendent in a purely clerical capacity shall not be required to hold an administration certificate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "and" following the word "certificate", strike out the remainder of the line; also all of line 25 and line 26 to the semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 9. of the printed bill, beginning with the word "for", strike out the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof a period and the following ". Every county, or city and county, or city, or district superintendent, deputy superintendent, assistant superintendent and every principal of a school of more than five teachers employed in the public schools of this state during the year ending June 30, 1925, shall be entitled to a school administration certificate authorizing him to administer schools of the same grade and type as he has administered during the year ending June 30, 1925."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the word "came" and insert in lieu thereof the word "same".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 34. of the printed bill. after the comma following the word "child", insert the following: "nor treatment for such defect or defects,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "examination" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "or treatment,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 67—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 863—An act to amend section 1208 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon animals.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices in cases of mortgaged property of decedents or minors.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1263—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read second time. ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to supervise, regulate and control the transportation and sale of poultry; to provide rules and regulations therefor and provide a penalty for violations thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the commitee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "transportation"; in line 2 of the title, strike out the words "and sale of", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "business of dealing in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figure "1", and strike out all of lines 2 to 27, inclusive; on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 23, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Every person, firm, corporation, or other person or persons peddling, retailing, wholesaling or otherwise dealing in or with live or dressed poultry must enter in a book to be kept for that purpose, and exhibit the same upon demand, the name and address of the person or persons from whom poultry in excess of six fowls or carcasses was purchased or otherwise obtained, the date of said purchase, and the quantity purchased or otherwise obtained.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to refuse to inform any official of this state on demand made where and from whom he has obtained any live or dressed poultry that he has in his possession or control.

SEC. 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars.

SEC 4. All acts or parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 3480 of the Political Code, relating to the issuance of bonds of reclamation districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 10 of the printed bill, beginning at line 36, strike out all of the two succeeding paragraphs, being all of the said printed bill from line 36 of page 10 to line 9, inclusive, of page 11.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to amend section 3480½ of the Political Code, relating to and providing for a method of refunding the installments of the principal of any reclamation district bonds now or hereafter issued as and when the said installments, or any thereof, or any part thereof, shall mature.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 152—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified

applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the Board of Regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,' " approved June 12, 1913, as amended, relative to registration of nurses.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the following "sections two, five and one-half, and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the colon following the word "follows" insert the following

SEC. 2. Examinations as provided for in this act shall be held at least every six months, at such times and places as the board shall direct and according to the rules and regulations of said board. Public notice of such examinations shall be given by publishing the same at least two weeks prior to the date of such examination in two or more papers of general circulation and one nursing journal, to be selected by the board. All of said papers and said nursing journal shall be published within the State of California. Upon filing application for examination, each applicant shall pay an examination fee of ten dollars for certificate as registered nurse, which shall in no case be returned to the applicant. No further fee shall be required for certificate.

SEC. 2. Section five and one-half of said act approved June 12, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5½. On or after January first of each year, each registered nurse shall renew his or her certificate and pay the required renewal fee of one dollar. Every certificate that is not renewed will expire on the first day of March of each year and may not be renewed except upon the payment of lapsed fee. Within sixty days after March first of each year, a list of registered nurses who have renewed their certificates for that year shall be published.

SEC. 3. Section eight of said act approved June 12, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of labor of male and female drug clerks.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the sixth line of the title of the printed bill, strike out "labor of male and female drug clerks" and insert in lieu thereof "duty of registered pharmacists".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "employed", strike out the following: "whether male or female,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "court", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided, however,* that the provisions of this act shall not apply in any case of emergency. The word "emergency" as used herein shall be construed as being accident death, sickness or epidemic."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of such funds." approved June 16, 1913, as amended, referring to teachers' retirement salaries.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "thereon" insert a semicolon and the following: "*provided,* that at no time shall an amount exceeding the sum of fifty thousand dollars be on deposit in any one bank."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend the title of and revise an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, and to include therein provisions for work in, under and upon and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, together with any of the same which may form the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county whether they lie wholly or partly within or without the boundaries of such municipality and in, under and upon any publicly owned property and rights of way whether within or without a municipality, and in and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California; for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses

of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder, and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and for county aid in all of such work.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, in line 24, strike out the word "permission" and insert in lieu thereof the word "possession"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 48, of the printed bill, as amended March 7, 1925, strike out the word "this" and insert in lieu thereof the word "his".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 580—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "to amend section four of" and insert in lieu thereof the following "requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps must be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land in subdivisions except by reference to said recorded maps; and to repeal". In line 7 of the title, strike out the period following the word "amended", insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following: "and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 23, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Whenever any tract or subdivision of land shall be laid out into lots, for the purpose of sale, the owner or owners thereof shall cause to be made out and filed with the county recorder of the county in which the same is situated, an accurate map or plat thereof marked "original", drawn and attested by a civil engineer or licensed land surveyor from his own survey of the ground; and also a true and correct copy of said map or plat marked "copy", which said copy shall have thereon original signatures, attestations and certificates. Said engineer or surveyor shall, in making the survey, leave sufficient and enduring monuments firmly, accurately and securely placed, so that other surveyors can therefrom readily retrace all parts of the survey, and he shall leave a stake or other monument firmly fixed to mark each and every lot and block corner of the subdivision, except however, that witness or reference points may be left in lieu of other stakes or monuments wherever so doing will better serve to preserve the survey and facilitate its retracing: *provided, however*, that on all maps or tracts filed for the purpose of showing as acreage, land previously subdivided into numbered or lettered lots or parcels, and shown upon duly recorded maps, no survey or certificate by engineer or surveyor shall be required The map or plat shall particularly set forth and describe:

First—All exterior boundary lines of the tract or subdivision of land, with their courses and distances.

Second—All parcels of ground within such tract or subdivision of land offered for dedication for public uses, whether they be intended for public highways, parks, courts, commons, rights of way, or other public uses, either by number, letter or name, and their dimensions and boundaries and the courses of their boundary lines

Third—All lots intended for sale or reserved for private purposes and not offered for dedication to the public use, either by number or letter, and their dimensions and boundaries and the courses of their boundary lines. All parcels of land offered for dedication as public highways and not accepted by the proper authorities upon presentation to them shall also be designated by number or letter. All designations of blocks by number or letter shall be consecutive and lots in each numbered or lettered block shall be consecutively designated. If blocks are not designated by number or letter, all lots shown upon the map shall be consecutively designated.

Fourth—The nature and exact location of all monuments and witness or reference points of the survey, with such other information as is necessary for their identification on the ground and use in retracing the survey.

Fifth—The exact location of said tract or subdivision of land with reference to adjacent subdivisions and the adjacent streets thereof, the maps or plats of which have been previously recorded, if any, or if none, then with reference to adjacent tracts of land, or streets, roads or avenues that are in common use, or with reference by actual bearings and distances to corners of a United States land survey or to natural or artificial monuments.

SEC. 2. Every original map shall be clearly and legibly drawn in all its details upon tracing cloth of good quality. The sheets of drawing cloth must be eighteen by twenty-six inches. Marginal line must be drawn around the entire sheet, leaving a margin of one inch from the edge of the sheet, and the name, title or other designation, and all drawings, affidavits, acknowledgments, indorsements, acceptances of dedication and notarial seals must be within said marginal lines. The scale to which the drawing is made must be large enough to show all details clearly and two or more sheets must be used if one does not give sufficient space to accomplish this end. If more than one sheet is used, each sheet must be numbered, connections of one sheet to another clearly given and the number of sheets comprising the map shall be given in the certificate of the engineer or surveyor. Every map copy specified in this act shall be on cloth; it shall be a true and correct copy of the original, clear and legible in all its details; it shall be resistant to fading and disintegration and may be made by any process of copying which will well insure the accomplishment of these ends. The size of the copy shall be as near that of the original map or plat as possible; *provided, however*, that a slight and immaterial variation in size shall be permissible; *provided, however*, that said copy shall be signed, attested and certificated as an original.

SEC. 3. Upon every such map or plat and the copy thereof there shall be indorsed a consent to the making thereof, signed by the owner or owners of the tract or other subdivision of land shown thereon, and also by all other persons whose consent is necessary to pass a clear title to such land and acknowledged by all the signers in the same manner as conveyances of real property; also a certificate from the county auditor and from the auditor or other proper officer of any municipal corporation in which any part of such tract or other subdivision is situated, showing that there are no liens for unpaid state, county, municipal or other taxes, except taxes not yet payable against said tract or subdivision of land or any part thereof, also where a tax lien attaches against any such tract or subdivision or any part thereof a certificate of the clerk of the board of supervisors that a bond has been filed with said board as provided herein; and the owner or owners of any tract or other subdivision of land shown thereon shall cause to be filed with the board of supervisors of the county wherein such tract or subdivision or any part thereof is situated, a bond executed by good and sufficient sureties to be approved by, and in an amount to be fixed by, said board of supervisors and by its terms made to insure to the benefit of the county wherein such tract, subdivision, or any part thereof, is situate, and conditioned for the payment of all taxes which are at the time of filing of said map, a lien against any such tract or subdivision or any part thereof, but not yet payable. Except that no tax bond, or certificate in regard to tax bond, by the clerk of the board of supervisors, shall be required on any map which may be recorded on or after the date upon which the taxes for the current year have become payable and before the date upon which the assessment for the next succeeding year is based. Upon every such map or plat which shows any parcels of land intended for public use, and not previously dedicated therefor, there shall be indorsed a statement of the dedication of such parcels of land intended for public use, executed by the owner or owners, and by all other persons whose consent is necessary to pass a clear title to such parcels of ground to the public, and acknowledged by all persons executing the same in the same manner as conveyances of real property.

SEC. 4. Approval of map. Certificate showing examinations. Examination and report of county planning commission. Examination and report of city planning commission or city engineer. Report of state highway engineer. Public highways. Natural watercourses. Parks, playgrounds and parkways. Additional requirements.

The map or plat so made, indorsed and acknowledged shall be submitted to the governing body or bodies of the city, city and county, or county, one or more, having control of public highways in the territory shown on such map or plat, for the approval of such governing body or bodies before such map or plat is filed for record in the recorder's office.

Certificate showing examinations Said map or plat shall not be accepted or approved by such governing body unless the same is accompanied by a certificate of the county surveyor, if such tract or subdivision of land lies wholly or partly in unincorporated territory, or city engineer, if such there be, of any incorporated city or town in which the whole or any part of such tract or subdivision of land is situated, showing that each and every lot and block therein has been carefully examined as to its value for residence or commercial uses with their suggestions and recommendations to such governing body

Examination and report of county planning commission. If such tract or subdivision lies wholly or partly in unincorporated territory, the map or plat thereof shall be submitted by the board of supervisors of the county, upon the filing of said map with said board, to the county planning commission, if such there be, of such county, for the recommendations of such commission, which recommendations shall be advisory to said board. Said county planning commission shall report upon said map or plat to said board of supervisors within twenty days after receipt of said map or plat. If such report is not made within said twenty days, said board may act without said report.

Examination and report of city planning commission or city engineer If such tract or subdivision of land lies wholly or partly within an incorporated city or town, the map or plat thereof shall be submitted by the governing body thereof, upon the filing of said map with said governing body, to the city planning commission, if such there be, of such city or town, or, if there be no city planning commission, to the city engineer, if such there be, for the recommendations of said commission or engineer, which recommendations shall be advisory to said governing body. Said city planning commission, or city engineer, shall report upon said map or plat to the governing body within twenty days after receipt of said map or plat If such report is not made within said twenty days, said governing body may act without said report

If such tract or subdivision of land is in unincorporated territory but within three miles from the exterior boundaries of any city, or town, or cities and towns, within the same county, the map or plat thereof shall first be submitted by the county board of supervisors to the city planning commission, if such there be, or, if there be no city planning commission, to the city engineer, if such there be, of such city or town or of each of such cities or towns, if there be more than one, whereupon such commission or engineer shall make an examination of such map or plat and submit a report thereon with its suggestions and recommendations to the governing body of the municipality. Such governing body shall thereupon submit a report thereon, with its suggestions and recommendations to the said county board of supervisors. In the event of the failure, refusal or neglect of said city planning commission, or city engineer to so report within ten days to the city governing body, it shall then be the duty of said commission or city engineer to forthwith transmit said map or plat to said governing body for its action thereon. In the event of the failure, refusal or neglect of said governing body to so report to said county board of supervisors within twenty days after said county board has so filed said map with said city planning commission, or city engineer, it shall then be the duty of said governing body to forthwith transmit said map or plat to said county board of supervisors for its action thereon The recommendations of the city planning commission, city engineer, or governing body, of such city or town, within three miles of which such subdivision of land is situated, shall be considered as advisory to the board of supervisors of the county.

Approval by state highway engineer. If such tract or subdivision of land faces upon any state road or state highway, said map shall be submitted by the governing body of the city, city and county, or county, as the case may be, to the state highway engineer, for his recommendations, which shall be advisory to said governing body. Such state highway engineer shall report upon such map or plat within twenty days after same is submitted to him If a report is not made by said state highway engineer within said twenty days, such map or plat shall be forthwith returned and may be recorded without such report

In each of the above cases in which the governing body submits a map or plat for approval or recommendation, a print or copy of said map shall be deemed sufficient for said purpose

If the map or plat is approved by the governing body of the city, city and county, or county, as the case may be, said governing body shall endorse or cause to be endorsed, on said map or plat, its approval of same. Without such approval the said map or plat shall not be filed for record or be recorded

Public highways. Such governing body may require the public highways, if any, offered for dedication by said map or plat and the parcel or parcels of land, if any, therein reserved or dedicated for highway or right of way purposes, and not offered for dedication to the public use, to be as wide as and to conform, as near as practicable to the adjoining, surrounding or neighboring streets or highways of said city, city and county or county, and to be of such widths and grades as will serve the needs of public traffic. If such map or plat offers for dedication any highways said governing body or board of supervisors shall endorse thereon which of the

highways so offered for dedication are accepted on behalf of the public, and thereupon such highways which have been so accepted, and no others, shall be and become dedicated to the public use.

Natural watercourses. In the event that the tract of land shown upon the map or plat is traversed by any natural watercourse or channel, such governing body may require as a condition precedent to the approval of such map or plat, either the dedication to public use of any easement or a conveyance to the political subdivision of a right of way for storm drain purposes to conform substantially with the lines of such natural watercourse or channel.

Parks, playgrounds and parkways. Such governing body may request the reservation for public use of such areas, not exceeding ten per cent of the area of the tract of land shown on the map or plat, exclusive of streets or other rights of way, for park, playground or parkway purposes, as may be necessary for the use of the population which may be reasonably expected to occupy such tract of land as a result of the sale of the lots thereof.

Additional requirements. The approval of such governing body may be made further conditional upon reasonable requirements, in conformity to established city, county or regional plans, as to area and frontage of lots, width and location of alleys, radii of street intersection corners, placing of building set-back lines on the map or plat and such other reasonable requirements as may be established by such governing body as essential to the welfare of the population that may be expected to occupy the tract or subdivision of land as a result of the sale of the lots thereof, and to the orderly and beneficial development of the city, city and county, or county, as the case may be.

SEC. 5. Upon every such map or plat there shall be indorsed a name, title or designation, but no such tract or subdivision of land into lots shall be given any title, name or designation that is the same as the name of any existing city, town, tract or subdivision or land into lots in the same county of which the map or plat has been previously recorded, or so nearly the same as to mislead the public or cause confusion as to the identity thereof. Whenever any map or plat required by this act to be made shall be presented to a county recorder for filing or recording, he shall examine the title, name or designation indorsed thereon and compare the same with the records in his office, and if he finds that said title, name or designation violates this section in any respect, he shall refuse to file or record such map or plat, whether the same be offered for record as a separate map or as a licensed surveyor's record, or as a part of any deed or other instrument.

SEC. 6. No map or plat referred to in this act shall be accepted by the county recorder for filing or recording unless the same shall in all respects comply with the provisions of this act, and the recorder shall be entitled, before accepting or refusing such map or plat, to sufficient time to enable him to examine the same.

SEC. 7. When any map or plat referred to in this act is presented to the county recorder and is received and accepted by him, he shall paste or otherwise fasten the map marked "copy" in a books of maps which he shall keep in his office, and it shall be deemed to have been recorded and shall become a public record.

The "original" map shall be marked with the same record filings as the "copy" map, showing the date and time of filing and the book and page of the copy in the book of maps, and shall be kept in a safe receptacle, or in a folder or so fastened in a book that it may be detached and upon such filing it shall be deemed to have been recorded and shall become a public record.

SEC. 8. No person shall sell or offer for sale any lot or parcel of land in any tract or subdivision of lots, whether such sale or offer for sale be by reference to lot numbers, letters or other designations on a map or plat of such tract or subdivision, or by metes and bounds, unless a map or plat of such tract or subdivision has been made, certified, indorsed, acknowledged and filed in all respects as provided in this act, or was filed or recorded prior to the taking effect of this act and in accordance with the laws in force at the time it was so filed or recorded, and no person shall sell or offer for sale any lot or parcel of land in any tract or subdivision of lots by reference to any map or plat other than such recorded map or plat or true and correct copy thereof, whether such sale or offer for sale be by reference to lot numbers, letters or other designations on such map or plat or by metes and bounds.

SEC. 9. Every person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars and not more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 10. An act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, is hereby repealed, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 52, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 4, both inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 640—An act to amend sections 8 and 20 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk in bottles and the labeling thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to amend section twenty of an act known as the "pure milk law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the labeling of market milk."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning on page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, beginning with the words "Section 1" strike out all of the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. Section twenty of the "pure milk law," approved June 15, 1923, is hereby amended so as to read as follows

Sec 20. (*a*) The class or grade of all milk or cream sold, except in bulk to the wholesale trade, and the name and address of the producer or distributor (who shall be responsible for the quality of the contents and correct labeling as required by this act) shall at all times appear plainly and in a conspicuous place on, or be securely attached to every bottle, cap, can or container.

(*b*) Milk sold or exchanged or offered or exposed for sale or exchange as and for graded milk under the designation, label or other representation of "guaranteed," "grade A," or "grade B" milk shall have the name of the grade and whether raw or pasteurized marked on the container or cap of the container in capital letters not less than one-eighth inch long and one-sixteenth inch wide; *provided*, that milk not suitable for human consumption shall be plainly marked "Unfit for human consumption" as provided in sections seven, ten, eleven and seventeen of this act.

(*c*) No distinguishing names, marks or words other than those specified in this act shall appear on any bottle, cap, can or container to signify or describe the quality, which distinguish the milk or cream contained therein from similar products of the same class or grade, *provided*, that nothing herein contained shall prohibit the use of the names of breeds of dairy cattle, breed trademarks or other designations adopted by a national or state breed association approved by the department of agriculture of the State of California, when such breed names, trademarks or designations are placed only on an inner cap or embossed or engraved in the glass of the bottle, or the use of the expression, "from non-reacting tuberculin tested cows"; *and provided, further*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prohibit the dating of milk bottle caps under the rules of an approved milk inspecting department, or under local ordinances.

(*d*) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation selling or handling market milk to have in his or its possession or under his or its control any milk bottle cap or label, except the individual producer or distributor of milk who is responsible for the quality of the contents of any milk container and for the correct labeling thereof as required by this act. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation selling or handling market milk to substitute any required cap or label for another cap or label, or to remove any cap or label from any milk container and attach said cap or label to another milk container. It shall be unlawful to sell or offer for sale or have on hand for sale any milk bottle caps which are not in unopened, dustproof packages in which they have been packed by the manufacturer.

SEC. 2. It is hereby expressly provided that this amendment shall become an integral part of the pure milk law of California and that it shall be read and interpreted in connection with the context of said act as a whole, and that it is subject to the same general provisions relating to unlawful sales, enforcement, violations and penalties, as are provided by said law."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1156—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1424, relating to the rights of complaining witnesses in criminal proceedings.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "section" strike out the words "to the Penal Code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the second line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "twenty-four" insert the following: "to chapter one of title eleven of part two of the Penal Code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period, insert the following: "A new section, to be numbered one thousand four hundred twenty-four is hereby added to chapter one, title eleven, part two of the Penal Code, and to read as follows:

1424. The complaining witness in any criminal proceeding in this state shall have the right with the consent of the court to employ special counsel other than a district attorney to prosecute a criminal case in which he is such complaining witness, said employment to be made at the expense of said complaining witness; and in all such cases it shall be the duty of the district attorney to attend trial of such a case in order to see that the rights of the people are properly respected."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend sections 19, 79, and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 483—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "taxation" and before the period, insert "and said rate of percentage shall change whenever the rate imposed by law on said private insurance companies is changed and shall be the same as that imposed on said private insurance companies without further act of the legislature of this state".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period insert the following

In counties of the thirty-fourth class the county officers shall receive, as compensation of the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices, the following compensation and salaries, to wit:

1 County clerk The county clerk, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and when a new great register of voters is required by law to be made, he shall receive ten cents per name for every name registered *Provided*, that in counties of this class the county clerk may appoint one deputy county clerk at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one copyist at a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum, which offices are hereby created and said salaries fixed, to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid

2. Sheriff. The sheriff, four thousand five hundred dollars per annum and actual traveling expenses in pursuit or arrest of criminals either in or out of his county: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be one deputy sheriff who shall be appointed by the sheriff and who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum payable out of the treasury of the county and at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of the other county officers are paid

3. Recorder. The recorder, three thousand four hundred dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class the recorder is hereby allowed one deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and a second deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and it is hereby found as a fact and declared that said deputies provided for herein are additional deputies necessary and proper to be forthwith allowed said principal and the same is hereby allowed to the incumbent principal and effective at once during his present term of office

4. Auditor. The auditor, three thousand dollars per annum, and in counties of this class there shall be one chief deputy auditor who shall be appointed by the auditor and who shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable out of the county treasury at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of the county officers are paid

5 Treasurer. The treasurer, two thousand dollars per annum

6. Tax collector The tax collector, three thousand dollars per annum.

7. Assessor. The assessor, three thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and all fees and commissions now or hereafter allowed by law for the collection of all personal property taxes and poll taxes. It is hereby found as a fact that the changes provided for in this subsection do not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent.

8. District attorney The district attorney, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, *provided, however*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the district attorney one clerk which office hereby created. Said clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand dollars per annum which shall be paid at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the district attorney is paid. And it is hereby found as a fact and declared that said

clerk provided for herein is an additional assistant necessary and proper to be forthwith allowed said principal and the same is hereby allowed to the incumbent principal and effective at once during his present term of office.

9. Coroner. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law

10. Public administrator. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11 Superintendent of schools. The superintendent of schools, three thousand dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of the county and in counties of this class the superintendent of schools is hereby allowed one deputy who shall receive a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum which salary shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as other county officers are paid.

12 Surveyor. The county surveyor, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, he to furnish all necessary instruments; but transportation charges for field work shall be allowed him He shall not be required to perform county work more than two-thirds of the working days in any month, except on payment of fees now allowed by law.

13. Justices of the peace Justices of the peace, the following salaries to be paid each month as county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them as such justices of the peace In townships having a population of five thousand or more, one hundred dollars, in townships having a population of twenty-five hundred and less than five thousand, sixty-five dollars, in townships having a population of fifteen hundred and less than twenty-five hundred, forty dollars, in townships having a population of one thousand and less than fifteen hundred, twenty-five dollars, in townships having a population of less than one thousand, ten dollars. Each justice must pay into the county treasury, once a month, all fees and all fines colected by him. In all townships having a population of less than five thousand, if there be more than one justice, the compensation or salary allowed herein shall be equally divided between them so that the sum total of their compensation shall not exceed the salary allowed herein for a single justice in such township

14. Constables. Constables, the following salaries, which shall be paid monthly as salaries of county officers are paid, and shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit In townships having a population of twenty-five hundred or more, seventy dollars; in townships having a population of fifteen hundred and less than twenty-five hundred, forty-five dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand and less than fifteen hundred, thirty dollars, in townships having a population of less than one thousand, fifteen dollars. In addition to the monthly salary allowed herein, each constable may receive and retain for his own use, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all the services performed by him in civil actions In all townships having a population of less than twenty-five hundred, if there be more than one constable, the compensation herein allowed shall be equally divided between them, so that the sum total of their monthly compensation shall not exceed the salary allowed herein for a single constable in each township The board of supervisors shall, during each and every year, ascertain and determine the population of the several townships of the county for the purpose of ascertaining the compensation of township officers regulated by this section, in proportion to their duties

In addition to the fees and expenses allowed by law as set forth in section four thousand three hundred *d* of the Political Code, constables shall be allowed the necessary and actual traveling expenses, incurred by them in the investigation of a felony committed within the townships of which they are officers and the necessary and actual traveling expenses incurred by them in pursuing criminals charged with the commission of a felony

15 Supervisor Each supervisor, one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, for all services performed by him as supervisor, member of the board of equalization and road commissioner.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 471—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", add the following: "Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*a* In counties of the seventh class the county clerk shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law the sum of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the county clerk, the following deputies, clerks and employees, to be appointed by said clerk, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One chief deputy who shall serve as chief deputy and registrar of voters, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy, two thousand two hundred eighty dollars per annum, five deputies, two thousand one hundred dollars each per annum; six deputies, one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; three deputies, one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars each per annum, *provided*, that whenever a special state or special county, or municipal election is held, the county clerk, in counties of this class shall be, and is hereby allowed the following additional help; five clerks for a period of and not exceeding sixty days, immediately preceding such election date, whose salary shall be one hundred twenty-five dollars each, per month; *provided, further*, that in such years as the compilation of a great register of voters is required by law, to be made, the county clerk in counties of this class, shall be, and he is hereby allowed the following additional help: As many clerks as are necessary, in his discretion from January first, to November first, at one hundred twenty-five dollars each per month, and whose compensation shall not exceed the sum of three thousand seven hundred fifty dollars in the aggregate for all clerks, so employed, *provided, further*, the county clerk may appoint such number of registration deputies in any precinct as may be necessary for the purpose of registering electors each of whom shall be a qualified elector in his respective precinct, each of said deputies in precincts outside of the corporate limits of municipalities containing twenty-five thousand or more inhabitants, shall be paid the sum of fifteen cents per name, for each person legally registered by him, and that each of said deputies, within the corporate limits of a municipality containing twenty-five thousand or more inhabitants, shall be paid the sum of seven and one-half cents per name for each person legally registered by him, and the said registration deputies to be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the county auditor of said county, a duly verified claim therefor, duly approved by the said county clerk. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputy clerks and employees shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid. The county clerk shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month, all fees received by him as county clerk during the month accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

SEC. 2. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *b* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*b*. In counties of the seventh class the sheriff shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum salary; the sheriff shall also be paid fifteen cents per meal each, for all meals furnished prisoners confined in the county jail. He shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties, including the actual and necessary expense incurred by him in recovering or searching for the body of any person meeting death through drowning; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the sheriff, the following deputies, jailers and bailiffs, to be appointed by said sheriff, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One deputy, who shall act as undersheriff, at a salary of two thousand five hundred twenty dollars per annum; one deputy, who shall act as chief criminal deputy and Bertillon expert, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one chief jailer at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies who shall act as process servers at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; two deputies who shall act as criminal deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; twelve deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one matron, to attend female prisoners at a salary of one thousand three hundred twenty dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as bookkeeper at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one relief matron to attend insane female prisoners, and provide a two week's relief in each year at a salary of five dollars per day when actually employed, and whose compensation shall not exceed, in the aggregate, two hundred dollars per annum. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputies, jailers and bailiffs, shall be paid out of the

county treasury in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

The sheriff shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month all fees, mileage and per diems received by him as sheriff during the month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

SEC 3. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *c* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*c* In counties of the seventh class the recorder shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars *per annum*, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the county recorder, the following deputies, clerks and copyists, to be appointed by said recorder, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand five hundred twenty dollars per annum, one comparing clerk, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one comparing clerk, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one index clerk, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one filing clerk, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, said recorder may also appoint such copyists, not to exceed six, as may be required, for the recording of all papers, notices or documents in his office, who shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars each per annum; said recorder may also appoint two copyists at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputies, clerks and copyists and employees herein provided for, each of whom shall be a deputy county recorder, shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

SEC 4 Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *d* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*d*. In counties of the seventh class the auditor shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the auditor, the following deputies, clerks and employees to be appointed by said auditor, which positions are hereby created and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand five hundred twenty dollars per annum; one redemption deputy at a salary of two thousand two hundred eighty dollars per annum; one warrant deputy at a salary of two thousand two hundred eighty dollars per annum, one claim expert, at a salary of two thousand two hundred eighty dollars per annum, one assistant claim clerk, at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum; two deputies, at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars each per annum; and such additional assistants as the auditor may require, and whose compensation shall not exceed one thousand six hundred dollars per annum, in the aggregate, for all assistance so rendered; *provided, further*, that the auditor shall certify thereon, as to the correctness of such additional assistance. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputies and clerks, shall be paid out of the county treasury, in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

SEC. 5. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *e* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*e*. In counties of the seventh class the county treasurer shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed the following deputies, to be appointed by said treasurer, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand five hundred twenty dollars per annum; one bond deputy to act as accountant at a salary of two thousand two hundred eighty dollars per annum; one deputy to act as cashier at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum, the salaries and compensation of each of said deputies and bookkeeper shall be paid out of the county treasury, in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid. The county treasurer shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month, all fees received by him as county treasurer during the month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

SEC 6. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *f* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*f* In counties of the seventh class the county tax and license collector shall receive as full compensation for services as tax collector and ex-officio license collector, required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the tax collector, the following deputies, bookkeepers and assistants, to be appointed by said tax collector, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand five hundred twenty dollars per annum; one office deputy at a salary of two thousand

one hundred dollars per annum; one cashier, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall be correspondence and mail clerk, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum, *provided further*, that the tax collector shall have such additional deputy tax collectors to serve as such when in his discretion they are needed, the compensation of said deputies not to exceed in the aggregate three thousand six hundred dollars per annum. The salaries and compensations of each of said deputies, assistants and bookkeepers shall be paid out of the county treasury, in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner as other county officials are paid. The tax collector is hereby declared to be the ex-officio license collector, and the office of license collector heretofore existing is hereby abolished.

The tax and license collector shall deposit in the county treasury all the money received by him in his official capacity, not later than the day succeeding the collection thereof, in the manner provided by section four thousand one hundred one *a* of the Political Code, *provided*, that checks, drafts and post office orders received or accepted by the tax and license collector at his own risk, the proceeds of which are to be applied on tax or license collections, may be deposited in bank and a reasonable time allowed for "clearance" not to exceed one week, before depositing the money in the county treasury, *provided, further*, that nothing herein shall be construed to authorize the payment of taxes other than in "lawful money of the United States," as provided by section three thousand eight hundred eighty-eight, of the Political Code. The tax and license collector shall be allowed his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred by him, in the performance of his official duty, not exceeding two hundred dollars for the year.

SEC. 7. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *g* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*g*. In counties of the seventh class the county assessor shall receive as full compensation for services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum and such fees and commissions as allowed by law while acting as an agent of the State of California as the collector of the state poll tax. He shall also be provided with transportation to be used by him in assessing property and gathering assessment data and shall be allowed his actual and necessary traveling expenses in the performance of the duties of his office, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed the assessor, the following deputies, clerks and assistants, to be appointed by said assessor, which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One assistant county assessor at a salary of two thousand five hundred and twenty dollars per annum, five office deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars each per annum, one office deputy at a salary of eighteen hundred dollars per annum, as many deputies as are necessary in the discretion of the county assessor during each year at a salary of eight dollars per day and whose compensation for such services shall not exceed the sum of eight thousand six hundred and forty dollars per annum in the aggregate for all deputies so employed; as many deputies as are necessary in the discretion of the county assessor during each year at a salary of seven dollars per day and whose compensation for such services shall not exceed the sum of eight thousand four hundred dollars per annum in the aggregate for all deputies so employed, as many deputies as are necessary in the discretion of the county assessor during each year at a salary of five dollars and fifty cents per day and whose compensation for such services shall not exceed the sum of five thousand five hundred dollars per annum in the aggregate for all deputies so employed. The salaries and compensation of each of said deputies, clerks and assistants shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments, in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid. The salaries of all assistants, deputies and clerks herein provided for shall be paid by the said county in monthly installments at the same time, manner and out of the same funds as the county assessor is paid.

SEC. 8. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *h* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*h*. In counties of the seventh class the district attorney shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law the sum of five thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed the district attorney the following assistant, deputies and employees, to be appointed by said district attorney which positions are hereby created and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows: One assistant district attorney, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand nine hundred dollars per annum, one chief deputy district attorney, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand seven hundred twenty dollars per annum; one deputy district attorney whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, whose duty it shall be, in addition to performing services as deputy district attorneys, to attend preliminary examinations held in all police and justices' courts in the county and conduct on behalf of the people all prosecutions for felonies at such preliminary examinations, and, also to attend

and appear before the juvenile court of said county and prosecute proceedings therein; one deputy district attorney whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one clerk, who shall be a stenographer, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum; one clerk, who shall be a stenographer, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand three hundred eighty dollars per annum; one county detective who shall have all the powers of a peace officer as set forth in sections eight hundred thirty-four and eight hundred thirty-six of the Penal Code and duties as may be required of him by the district attorney, or by the ordinances of the board of supervisors of the county, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum; *provided, further*, that in addition to the salary herein fixed for said county detective he shall be allowed and paid actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties; *provided, further*, that the said county detective shall file with the board of supervisors a verified statement and claim showing in detail the amount paid, and the persons to whom and the purpose for which such payments were made; *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class the district attorney, in addition to the salary herein fixed, shall be allowed his traveling and other personal expenses incurred in criminal cases arising in the county, and in civil actions and proceedings in which the county is interested, and all other expenses necessarily incurred by him in the investigation and detection of crime and the prosecution of criminal cases and in civil actions and proceedings, and all other matters in which the county is interested, all of which said charges and expenses so incurred by him shall be a legal charge against the county. Neither the district attorney nor any of his assistants or deputies shall engage in the private practice of law, nor shall they be associated directly or indirectly with any lawyer or law firm as such in private practice, but each shall devote his entire time to the service of the county.

The salaries and compensation of each of said assistants, deputies and employees shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

SEC. 9. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *i* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*i* In counties of the seventh class there shall be one coroner who shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law; *provided*, the coroner, or other officer holding an inquest upon the body of a deceased person may subpena a chemist to make an analysis of the contents of the stomach or tissues of the body, or a physician or surgeon to inspect the body, or hold a post mortem examination of the deceased, and give a professional opinion as to the cause of death, and shall cause the testimony of all the witnesses at such inquest to be reduced to writing under his direction; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed the coroner the following assistants, to be appointed by said coroner which positions are hereby created, and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows one deputy and one stenographer; said deputy shall have the power and it shall be his duty when directed by the coroner to hold inquests, and all such power conferred by law upon the coroner may be exercised by said deputy, who shall receive a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum; the salary of said stenographer shall be one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which salary shall be in full for all services rendered by him as such stenographer. Said stenographer shall take down in shorthand the testimony of witnesses at inquests and shall transcribe the same into longhand and file a verified copy thereof with the county clerk The salaries and compensation of said deputy and stenographer shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid.

SEC. 10. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *j* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*j* In counties of the seventh class there shall be one superintendent of schools who shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law the sum of three thousand dollars per annum, and actual and necessary traveling expenses when visiting schools of the county; *provided, however*, that commencing January 3, 1927, in counties of the seventh class the superintendent of schools shall receive as full compensation for the services required of him by law, the sum of four thousand dollars per annum and actual and necessary traveling expenses when visiting schools of the county; *provided, further*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there is hereby allowed the superintendent the following assistant and deputy to be appointed by said superintendent which positions are hereby created and the salaries of each are hereby fixed as follows One assistant superintendent of schools who shall receive as compensation the sum of two thousand five hundred twenty dollars per annum, one deputy superintendent of schools who shall receive as compensation the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy, who shall receive as compensation the sum of one thousand nine hundred eighty dollars per annum one stenographer, who shall receive as compensation the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum The salary of said assistant superintendent of schools and deputy superintendents of schools and stenographer shall be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments.

in the same manner and at the same time as other county officials are paid. Each member of the board of education of the county shall receive five dollars per day as compensation for his services when in actual attendance upon said board, and mileage at the rate of twenty cents per mile, one way only, from his residence to the place of meeting of said board. The secretary of said board of education of said county shall receive five dollars per day for his services for the actual time that the board may be in session. Said compensation of the members of the said board and of said secretary shall be paid out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools. Claims of such service and mileage shall be presented to the board of supervisors and shall be allowed at the rate above named, and in the same manner as other claims against the county are allowed. The compensation of members of the county board of education of this county hereby provided is not in addition to that provided in section one thousand seven hundred seventy of this code.

SEC. 11. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *k* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*k*. In counties of the seventh class, the county surveyor shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; and in addition thereto all necessary expenses for work performed in the office and all necessary expenses and transportation for work performed in the field. *provided, however*, commencing January 3, 1927, in counties of the seventh class the county surveyor shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty dollars per annum, and in addition thereto all necessary expenses for work performed in the office and all necessary expenses and transportation for work performed in the field

SEC. 12 Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *l* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*l*. For the purpose of regulating the compensation of township justices and constables in counties of the seventh class, townships shall be classified on the basis of population, said population to be determined by the board of supervisors by multiplying by three the number of registered voters at the last general election next preceding the date of such determination, said census so taken shall be known and shall become the official census of the township in which the same is taken, and the population therein determined shall be and become the official population of such township. Incorporated cities having a population of twenty thousand or more, shall be known as townships of the first class, townships having a population of five thousand and less than twenty thousand shall be known as townships of the second class; townships having a population of more than two thousand and less than five thousand shall be known as townships of the third class; *provided*, that no township shall contain less than two thousand population; *provided, further*, that the number of townships shall not exceed eight in counties of this class. It shall be the duty of the board of supervisors to fix the boundaries of townships, so that all the territory in counties of the seventh class, shall be comprised within the above limitations of population, and where the boundary line of any township is changed they shall take the census of said township or townships in the manner as in this section provided and the population therein determined shall be and become the official population of the township.

Townships of the second and third classes, shall each have one justice and one constable.

Townships of the first class shall have one justice and two constables; *provided, however*, that in all such townships having a population of twenty thousand or more, there shall be one clerk to be appointed by the justice of the peace, such clerk to receive a salary of one hundred seventy five dollars per month, payable monthly in the same manner as salaries of county officers are paid All fees chargeable and collectible by justices of the peace in criminal and civil cases for services rendered by them shall be collected by them and by them paid monthly into the county treasury. All fees and mileage collected by constables in civil cases shall be deposited in the county treasury monthly.

In townships containing twenty thousand or more inhabitants the board of supervisors shall furnish the justice of the peace and the constables of such township an office to be occupied by such justice and constables jointly.

The compensation of justices of the peace in counties of the seventh class is hereby fixed as follows: Class one townships, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; class two townships, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; class three townships, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum The salaries shall be payable monthly in the same manner as county officers are paid

The compensation of constables in counties of the seventh class is hereby fixed as follows: Class one townships, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; class two townships one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; class three townships, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum The salaries shall be payable monthly in the same manner as county officials are paid.

SEC. 13. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *m* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

4236*m*. In counties of the seventh class the public administrator shall receive as compensation such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

SEC. 14. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *n* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

4236*n*. In counties of the seventh class each supervisor shall receive as compensation one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and in addition thereto the board of supervisors as a whole shall be allotted and paid five hundred dollars per year for traveling expenses, and ten cents per mile for traveling to and from the county seat; *provided*, mileage for traveling to and from the county seat shall not be allowed oftener than once in each month.

SEC. 15. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *o* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*o*. In counties of the seventh class the fees for trial jurors for attendance in any court shall be three dollars for each day's attendance, and said trial jurors shall be allowed mileage at the rate of ten cents per mile for each and every mile actually and necessarily traveled in attending upon and returning from court, said mileage to be computed for daily attendance, irrespective of whether said daily attendance covers one or more sessions of court

Each member of the grand jury shall be allowed three dollars for each day in attendance upon the sessions of the grand jury or for each day's service as a member of any committee of the grand jury, each grand juror shall be allowed mileage at the rate of ten cents per mile for each and every mile actually and necessarily traveled in attendance upon and returning from meetings of the grand jury, or any session of a grand jury committee, duly called by the secretary, or committee chairman

SEC. 16. Section four thousand two hundred thirty-six *p* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4236*p*. In counties of the seventh class the salary of the county librarian shall be three thousand dollars per annum

SEC. 17. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 4236*q* and to read as follows

4236*q*. In counties of the seventh class the salary of the county traffic officer shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county traffic officer two deputies, which offices are hereby created. Said deputies shall be appointed by said county traffic officer and shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each, which shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the county traffic officer is paid Said traffic officer and his deputies shall be provided by the county with motorcycles or other vehicles and gasoline and oil for the purpose of propelling the same and shall pay all the expenses of the upkeep of said machines. They shall be allowed their actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties. All the provisions of this paragraph are to apply to the office of county traffic officer and his deputies whenever said office of county traffic officer is created by law."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, immediately after the period following the figure "1", add the following Section four thousand two hundred forty-four of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

4244 In counties of the fifteenth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices the following salaries, fees and expenses, to wit

1. The county clerk, three thousand three hundred dollars per annum, and there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county clerk, in addition, one deputy who shall be paid the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall be paid the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall be paid the sum of one thousand seven hundred dollars per annum and two stenographers who shall be paid the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars each per annum; the said salaries to be paid by such county in monthly installments at the time and in the manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of the county officers are paid; *and provided, further*, that each year

in which a new and complete registration of voters is required by law, said county clerk shall appoint an additional deputy or deputies, who shall receive the sum of seven and one-half cents per name for taking affidavits of registration, and claims for their service at said rate shall be presented to and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims are presented and allowed, *and provided, further*, that all fees and commissions received by this office shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county.

2. The sheriff, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and all commissions, fees and mileage for the service of papers or process coming from courts other than those of his own county; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and is hereby allowed to the sheriff, one under sheriff whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one chief deputy whose salary shall be two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall be jailer, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and one deputy who shall be assistant jailer, whose salary shall be one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall be an identification expert, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum; and one matron whose salary is hereby fixed at nine hundred dollars per annum; said deputies and matron to be appointed by the sheriff and their salaries to be paid by the county in equal monthly installments at the time and in the manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid.

3. The recorder, three thousand three hundred dollars per annum; and one deputy, to be appointed by the recorder who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable in monthly installments: *and provided, further*, that the recorder is hereby allowed as many copyists as may be required who shall receive as compensation the sum of four cents per folio for recording any instrument or notice. The salaries of the deputy recorder and copyists herein provided shall be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid. All fees and commissions received by this office shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county.

4. The auditor, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; and there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the auditor in addition one chief deputy to be appointed by the auditor who shall be paid a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall be appointed by the auditor who shall be paid a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall be appointed by the auditor who shall be paid a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and such additional clerks and assistants as the auditor may require, and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed one thousand dollars in any one year; *and provided*, that the auditor shall file with the county clerk a verified statement showing in full detail the amount paid, and the *persons to whom said compensation is paid for such extra assistants aforesaid.* The salaries herein provided shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid.

5. The treasurer, three thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the treasurer, one deputy, to be appointed by him, who shall receive from the county a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, to be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid. All fees and commissions received by the treasurer shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county.

6. The tax collector, three thousand three hundred dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the tax collector the following deputies and assistants, whose offices are hereby created and who shall be appointed by the tax collector; one deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred dollars per annum, and such assistants as the tax collector may require, *provided*, that the compensation of such assistants shall not, in the aggregate exceed the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars in any one year; *and provided*, that the tax collector shall file with the county auditor a verified statement showing in detail, the amounts and the persons to whom said compensation is paid; the salaries of the said deputy and other assistants shall be paid by said county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of the county officers are paid.

7. The assessor, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, and his actual traveling expenses when away from his office on county business, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the assessor the following deputies and assistants, whose offices are hereby created and who shall be appointed by the assessor; one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, *two field deputies at salaries of two thousand one hundred*

dollars each per annum, and necessary traveling expenses in performance of their official duties, one deputy at a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand dollars per annum, one draughtsman at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and such other deputies as the assessor may require, and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars in any one year, *and provided*, that the assessor shall file with the county auditor a verified statement showing in detail, the amounts, and the persons to whom said compensation is paid. The salaries of such deputies and stenographers shall be paid by said county in monthly installments and at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund that county officers are paid. All fees and commissions, including poll tax, collected by this office shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county.

8. The coroner, such fees as are now, or may hereafter be allowed by law.

9. The public administrator, such fees as are now, or may hereafter be allowed by law.

10. The district attorney, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum and actual traveling expenses when away from his office on county business, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the district attorney the following deputies, investigator and stenographers, who shall be appointed by the district attorney, who shall hold office at the pleasure of the district attorney and shall be paid salaries as follows, one chief deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy district attorney at a salary of one thousand six hundred dollars per annum, one outside deputy district attorney at a salary of one thousand dollars per annum, one investigator and enforcement officer at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer who shall receive a salary of one thousand four hundred dollars per annum and it shall be the duty of this stenographer to report or interpret without additional charge, all matters required of her by the district attorney; one stenographer who shall receive a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum. Said deputies, investigator and stenographers shall be paid out of the county treasury in monthly installments in the same manner and out of the same fund as county officers are paid

11. The superintendent of schools three thousand three hundred dollars per annum, his office shall be kept open on all business days from nine a m to five p m., he shall be allowed his actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of the county; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the superintendent of schools, one deputy to be appointed by him who shall receive from the county a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class the superintendent of schools shall be allowed not to exceed the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum for necessary work of a stenographer. Said deputy and stenographer shall be paid by said county in monthly installments in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid

12 The surveyor three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, full time, and in addition thereto, all necessary field assistants, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed the surveyor, two deputies who shall be appointed by the surveyor of said county, and who shall be paid salaries as follows One deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum and one deputy at one thousand two hundred dollars per annum. The salaries of said deputies herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of county officers are paid All necessary expenses for field assistants shall be paid by the county, and the actual cost of preparing assessor's maps, whenever a complete set of such maps is ordered prepared by the board of supervisors, said cost of preparing said assessor's maps not to exceed the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars

13. From and after the first Monday after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred fifteen, the officers of townships in counties of this class shall be one justice of the peace and one constable anything in the provisions of section four thousand fourteen of this code to the contrary notwithstanding

14. The justices of the peace in townships having a city or a portion thereof, situated therein and having a population of fifteen thousand or more, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, payable in monthly installments, which shall be in full for all services rendered by him in both civil and criminal cases tried before him, and he shall each month pay to the county treasurer all fines, commissions and fees collected by him as such justice of the peace, including fees for celebrating marriages and returning certificates thereof to the county recorder, *and provided, further*, that the board of supervisors of counties of the fifteenth class shall furnish each justice of the peace in townships having a population of fifteen thousand or more, with a suitable office in which to hold court and also furnish the necessary furniture, books, blanks and supplies for said court *and provided, further*, that in townships having a population of fifteen thousand or more there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the justice of the peace, one clerk which office is hereby created who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace of said township, and whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per

annum, payable in equal monthly installments out of the same fund and in the same manner and at the same time as the salary of the justice of the peace is paid. Said clerk shall take the oath of office prescribed for county officers and give a bond in the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office, which bond shall be approved and filed in the same manner as are bonds of county officers. He shall keep a record of the proceedings of said court and issue all processes ordered by the justice of said court and receive and pay into the county treasury all fines, forfeitures and fees paid into said court. He shall render each month to the county auditor and the county treasurer, an exact account under oath of all fines, forfeitures and fees paid and collected and he shall prepare bonds, and justify bail when the amount has been fixed by the court or justice, and may administer and certify oaths and shall remain in the court room of said court during court hours and during such other reasonable times as may be necessary for the proper performance of his duty. He shall have the custody of all records and papers of said court. In townships having a population of six thousand and less than fifteen thousand the justices of the peace therein shall receive seventy-five dollars per month, which shall be in full for all services rendered by him in both civil and criminal cases tried before him, and there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the justices of the peace of said townships for clerk hire and office rent the sum of seventy-five dollars per month, *provided*, that said justices of the peace shall file with the county auditor monthly a verified statement showing in detail the amounts, and the persons to whom said compensation is paid; in townships having a population of five thousand and less than six thousand, fifty dollars per month, in townships having a population of four thousand and less than five thousand, fifty dollars per month and there shall be and there is hereby allowed to said justices of the peace of said townships for clerk hire or office rent the sum of seventy-five dollars per month, *provided*, that said justices of the peace shall file with the county auditor monthly a verified statement showing in detail the amounts, and the persons to whom said compensation is paid; in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than three thousand, fifty dollars per month and there shall be and there is hereby allowed to said justice of the peace of said townships for clerk hire and office rent the sum of seventy-five dollars per month, *provided*, that said justices of the peace shall file with the county auditor monthly a verified statement showing in detail the amounts, and the persons to whom said compensation is paid; in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than two thousand five hundred, twenty-five dollars per month, except that in townships outside of incorporated cities having a population of fifteen hundred and an area of not less than thirty-five nor more than forty-five square miles said justices of the peace shall receive the sum of fifty dollars per month; and in all other townships in said county ten dollars per month; *provided, however*, that in all townships having an area equal to or exceeding one thousand square miles such salary shall not be less than fifty dollars per month.

Each justice of the peace must pay into the county treasury once each month all fines collected by him in criminal cases and the auditor shall withhold a warrant for salary until a sworn statement has been filed with him of all criminal cases tried and fines collected and paid into the county treasury. All provisions of this paragraph to apply to present incumbents.

15. Constables in townships having one or more cities, or portions thereof situated therein, and having a population of twelve thousand or more, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, payable in monthly installments, and one deputy at an annual salary of nine hundred dollars, and their actual traveling expenses when engaged in official business outside of such townships, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in all civil and criminal business. They shall charge and collect such fees as are allowed by law, and they shall each month pay into the county treasury all fees, forfeitures, fines, and commissions collected by them in the discharge of their duties as such constables. In townships having a population of six thousand and less than twelve thousand the constable shall receive fifty dollars per month, in townships having a population of four thousand and less than six thousand, twenty-five dollars per month; in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than four thousand, twenty dollars per month and in all other townships in said county ten dollars per month; *provided*, that in all townships having an area equal to or exceeding one thousand square miles such salary shall not be less than fifty dollars per month; *provided, further*, that in addition to the salaries herein allowed, each constable except constables in townships having a city or portion thereof situated therein, and having a population of twelve thousand or more shall receive for their own use in civil cases the fees allowed by law, and shall be paid out of the treasury of the county his actual traveling expenses outside of his own township, but within his county, for the service of the warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, both going and returning, ten cents per mile; for each mile actually traveled outside of his county both going and returning from the place of arrest or other service, five cents per mile; and for transporting prisoners to the county jail, the actual cost of transportation.

16. The population of several judicial townships for the purpose of fixing compensation of township officers shall be ascertained and declared by the board of supervisors on the first Monday after the first day of January, every odd numbered year.

17. Each supervisor one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable in monthly installments, and ten cents per mile each way for traveling expenses from his residence to the place of meeting of the board at the county seat, and the necessary actual expenses incurred by him while engaged in county business outside of his district, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of three hundred dollars per annum, and each supervisor is also allowed his actual expenses incurred for reasonable liability insurance.

18. Whenever the work of an office has not been brought down to date by the retiring officer and the present incumbent shall present to the board of supervisors a signed sworn statement setting forth explicitly, and in detail the work so lacking and which was in that condition when he was inducted into office, and provided the county auditor shall also certify to the public necessity of the work, the board of supervisors shall investigate such condition and may, if they, by resolution, certify that the public necessity demands it before the new incumbent can make up such work, employ additional help and provide for compensation for such time as such work consumes, at a rate not to exceed eighty dollars per month for each person so employed.

19. Whenever the board of supervisors shall by resolution certify that the public convenience and necessity requires prompt dispatch of business, not possible by the normal office help of any county office they may appoint such additional help as they deem necessary until said extra work is completed; and they shall fix the compensation thereof, and the rate therefor per month for each person so employed, and they may designate that such extra help shall work part of the time in one office and part of the time in another office. This shall not be construed to provide for permanent positions in any office to care for work which the law now may impose on such county office, but shall only be exercised as a temporary measure to expedite the public business in a reasonable and businesslike manner for the purposes and under the conditions named.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 72—An act declaring the county road in Calaveras County, extending from Angels Camp through Vallecita and Murphy to Calaveras Big Trees in the national forest to be a State highway.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, to the Nevada State line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific railroad crosses such State line to be a public highway and making an appropriation for the improvement thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, lines 5 and 6, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "and making an appropriation for the improvement thereof"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 290—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Niles and Santa Rita by way of Sunol and Pleasanton in the county of Alameda, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the first four lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act declaring a certain highway between Mission San Jose and Dublin by way of Sunol in the county of Alameda to be a state highway"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 2 to 15, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the state highway at Mission San Jose, and running thence in a general northerly direction by way of Sunol and connecting with the state highway at Dublin and being twelve miles or more or less in length, is hereby declared to be, and the same is hereby constituted, a state highway, and said road is hereby placed under the supervision and control of the California highway commission. Said commission is authorized and empowered to construct, reconstruct, alter, or maintain said state highway on the most practicable route"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 5, of the amended bill, after the word "bottles", strike out the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the amended bill, strike out the following: "any hospital to its patients, or by".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 8, of the amended bill, after the comma following the word "entertainment", insert the word "and".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 219—An act to add a new section to be known as section $22\frac{1}{4}$ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 4 of the title, after the word "entitled" insert the following: "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 538—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for livestock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 12 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "this" insert the word "act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, lines 43 and 44, of the printed bill, strike out the words "certificate of health,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "tuberculous" and insert the word "tuberculosis" in lieu thereof

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "except that provision of section twenty-two of said law, relating to the marking of reactors, which provision is hereby repealed and superseded by the identification requirements of section eleven of this act".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 627—An act to amend section 642 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the withdrawing of shares of stock and investment certificates issued by building and loan associations.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 145—An act to amend section 1431 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to change of place of trial in justice's courts.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 433—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1054*a*, relating to the postponement of a trial and the extension of time within which an act is to be done

when the attorney of record in or the party to any action is in attendance upon a session of the Legislature as a member thereof.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 732—An act to amend section 3681*a* of the Political Code, relating to the correction of any error in the assessment of land or any subsequent step in the collection of the taxes thereon.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 1208 of the Political Code, relating to illiterate or helpless voters.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 539—An act requiring boards of supervisors to provide for the payment, to the owner of cattle slaughtered pursuant to law, of a sum representing the difference or part of the difference between the appraised value and salvage value of such slaughtered cattle, in cooperation with the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture; to provide for the appraisement of such slaughtered cattle in cooperation with the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture; to authorize boards of supervisors to levy a special tax on all taxable property to carry out the provisions of this act; to authorize boards of supervisors to establish a fund or funds for the purposes of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*a* and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State; providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 3465 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed salt marsh and tidelands.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 60—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, and 15, of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 354—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots 10, 11, and 12 in block 4 of Diestelhorst's addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block 5 and lots 6 and 7 in block 6 of said Diestelhorst's addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 186—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the thirty-ninth class.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fortieth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "The coroner" strike out balance of line 1 and all of lines 2 and 3, and insert in lieu thereof "such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, following the words "salary of" strike out "eighty dollars per month" and insert in lieu thereof "seven hundred fifty dollars per annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "during" strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 20, of the printed bill, after the word "constables" strike out the balance of line 20, down to and including line 27, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Justices of the peace and constables. In Marysville township, the justice of the peace shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, and the constable of Marysville township shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred dollars per month. The above salary shall be in full compensation of said justice of the peace and said constable in criminal cases, *provided*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed, said constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county, his actual traveling expenses when engaged in the service of a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 36, of the printed bill, following the word "of" strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand", insert the words "seven hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "seventy-five" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "eight hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "annum", insert a period and strike out the balance of line; also strike out lines 19 and 20.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 21, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" add the words "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" add the words "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN

On page 3, of the printed bill, strike out lines 7 to 10, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof, the following "In townships of the first class the justices of the peace shall receive a salary of fifty dollars per month and the supervisors may allow for rent, light and fuel of such justice, in the maintenance of his office, a sum not to exceed monthly twenty per cent of his salary."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 3, of the printed bill, strike out lines 11 to 15, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof, the following "In townships of the second class the justices of the peace shall receive a salary of one hundred eighty dollars per annum."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Assembly Bill No. 1216 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1216 re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 533—An act to enable the Electro Metals Company, a trust organization, or its trustees or officers to sue the State of California.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Spence moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following, "and to interpose such defenses, legal and equitable, as may exist."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Spence as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 533, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SPENCE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 323—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 4 and 5, and adding three new sections to be numbered 3, 3*a* and 6*c* to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highways, by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; providing for the issue by incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties and counties of permits for the operation of such automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; empowering incorporated cities and towns, cities and counties, and counties to enact ordinances for the supervision and regulation of automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages, and auto stages, and providing penalties for the violation of such ordinances; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the railroad commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, and for the punishment of violation thereof; and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provision of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the transportation of persons or property on the public highway by motor vehicle.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Smith moved that Assembly Bill No. 323 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 323 re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, to be numbered 1*a*, providing for the excusing of children from school for religious instruction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McPherson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "sixty" strike out the words "to one hundred and eighty".

Motion lost.

RECESS.

At two o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Finney, the Speaker declared the Assembly at recess for the purpose of allowing Hon. Phil D. Swing, Congressman from the Eleventh California District, to address the Assembly.

Congressman Swing was presented to the Assembly by the Speaker.

REASSEMBLED

At three o'clock and five minutes p m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, to be numbered 1*a*, providing for the excusing of children from school for religious instruction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

ASSEMBLYMAN ROSENSHINE IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and thirty-three minutes p m., Hon. Albert A. Rosenshine, member from the Thirty-first District, was called to the chair.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing

penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, to be numbered 1*a*, providing for the excusing of children from school for religious instruction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At three o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 128—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the educational rights of children and providing penalties for the violation of this act," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, to be numbered 1*a*, providing for the excusing of children from school for religious instruction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs Dillinger, Pierce, Hartranft, Sewell and Brock demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of Assembly Bill No. 128.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 128 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dorris, Duval, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jones, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Roberts, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—33.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—41.

MOTION TO RECESS.

At five o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., Mr. Eksward moved the Assembly be declared at recess until eight o'clock p.m. of this day.

The question being on the motion to recess.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Campbell, Jones, West, Nielsen and Johnson, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Eksward to recess until eight o'clock p.m. of this day.

The roll was called, and the motion to recess carried by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Adams, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Crittenden, Deuel, Finney, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Saylor, Wemple, West, and Wright, S. V.—24.

RECESS.

At five o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until 8 o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock p.m. the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Merriam in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 704—An act creating the California military reserve, providing for the appointment of officers therein, and when said reserve may be called into active service—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

HEISINGER, Chairman.
MUELLER.
WILLIAMSON.
SCHMIDT.
BYRNE
McPHERSON.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 753—An act to provide for the approval of plans for the construction or alteration of county jails by the Immigration and Housing Commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 67—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 72—An act declaring the county road in Calaveras County, extending from Angels Camp through Vallecita and Murphy to Calaveras Big Trees in the national forest to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*a*, 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices in cases of mortgaged property of decedents or minors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 863—An act to amend section 1208 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon animals;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1065—An act to amend section 3480½ of the Political Code, relating to and providing for a method of refunding the installments of the principal of any reclamation district bonds now or hereafter issued as and when the said installments, or any thereof, or any part thereof, shall mature;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements

made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also Assembly Bill No 1263—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*b*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16¼, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 2¼, 3, 5, 7, 9, 15, 17, 21¾, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38 and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, and to add seven new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, 22*a*, and 22—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to protective tariff on cement;

Also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to protective tariff on cherries;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Joint Resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution, relating to the right of suffrage—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Constitutional Amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 299—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles county flood control district'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this thirtieth day of March, 1925, at four o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 19—An act making appropriations for the support of the government of the State of California and for several public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, approved and adopted by the people at the general election held November 7, 1922—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this thirtieth day of March, 1925, at four o'clock and ten minutes p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 200—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot—and appointed Senators Tubbs, Sharkey and Canepa as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 778—An act to repeal section 13 of "The State Medical Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity licenses;

Also, Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend sections 2 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to definitions of real estate salesmen and brokers and penalties for violations of this act

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 778 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 290 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 140—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the state forester to protest such area.

Also, Senate Bill No. 427—An act to amend section 597 of the Political Code, relating to the examination of insurance companies.

Also, Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 32—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California, by adding a new section to article XIII thereof, to be designated as section 1*b*, relating to revenue and taxation;

Also: Senate Bill No. 342—An act to amend sections 8 and 25 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the state, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violation thereof," approved May 17, 1923.

Also: Senate Bill No. 605—An act declaring and establishing the roads from San Rafael to Point San Quentin, from Crescent City to the Oregon line, (coast route), Alturas to the Oregon line, near New Pine creek, from Coleville to the Nevada state

line in Mono county, from Bakersfield to Mojave, from Needles to Topoc, from Shavers Wells to Coachella, from Blythe to the Colorado river, from Oxnard to the main coast highway, Bay Shore highway commencing at a point at or near the intersection of Army street and San Bruno avenue, San Francisco, to a point in San Jose to be designated by the California Highway Commission, as State highways adopting all public highways along said route as State highways without compensation being paid therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 140 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation

Senate Bill No. 427 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 32 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Bill No. 342 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 605 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 595—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 595 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 379—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive, and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures, to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states;

Also Senate Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing;

Also: Senate Bill No. 183—An act prohibiting the doing of any public work costing in excess of one thousand dollars by day's labor or force account, except maintenance work and work occasioned by extraordinary emergency, until plans, specifications and estimates of cost therefor have first been prepared and, except in the case of public work which is now authorized by law to be done by convict or prison labor or as maintenance work or work occasioned by extraordinary emergency without advertising for bids, until bids therefor have first been advertised for and opened and rejected, should any bid or bids be received;

Also Senate Bill No 182—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act relating to the doing of public work by day's labor or force account, except emergency and maintenance work and work costing less than ten thousand dollars, requiring the State Highway Engineer, State Engineer, the State Architect, county engineers, county surveyors, city and county engineers, county highway engineers, road commissioners, city engineers, commissioners of public works, superintendents of streets, harbor engineers, flood control engineers, and the engineers of any reclamation, irrigation or other districts, political subdivisions or agencies of the State directing, supervising or superintending such work, or in charge of the engineering

for or in connection therewith, to keep the costs, prepare and file plans, specifications and estimates of cost, and upon completion, prepare and file certificates of cost thereof; and providing for the keeping of such plans, specifications and certificates as public records," approved June 21, 1923, and adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3, providing a penalty for violation of any of the provisions of said act relating to public officers and employees subject to the provisions hereof

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 379 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 369 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 183 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 182 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 438—An act declaring the public highway extending from the city of El Centro to the city of Calexico in Imperial County to be a State highway;

Also, Senate Bill No. 1—An act relating to assessments for city improvements;

Also: Senate Bill No. 113—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment;

Also: Senate Bill No. 161—An act to provide that a certain highway in Santa Cruz county shall become a State highway on approval of such highway by the California Highway Commission;

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 438 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 1 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 113 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 161 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 95—An act to amend section 1034 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to clerks of justice courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths, and third classes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 717—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to acknowledgments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of the Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 511—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice

of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, relating to penalty for the purchase or sale of fraudulent credentials.

Also Assembly Bill No 813—An act to amend section 3062 of the Political Code, relating to city health officials;

Also Assembly Bill No 814—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, relating to county health authorities;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 6*a* of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to dental hygienists;

Also Assembly Bill No 896—An act amending section 9 of the "Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 897—An act amending section 6, paragraph VI, of an act entitled "Pure Food Act";

Also Assembly Bill No 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulation and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1061—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings, when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 510—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a board of medical examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a board of medical examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, said amendments adding subdivisions 1*a*, 5*a*, 5*b* and 5*c*, setting forth additional causes for revocation of licenses or certificates issued hereunder;

Also Assembly Bill No 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violation of said act.

Also Assembly Bill No 383—An act to amend section 822 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with misdemeanors or felonies.

Also Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 821 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with felonies.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 565—An act to amend section 3454 of the Political Code, relating to swamps, and overflowed, salt marsh and tidelands;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1183—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered 19*a* and 19*b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully concurs in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 148—An act to amend section 4249 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the twentieth class,

Also: Senate Bill No 623—An act to amend sections 616 and 617 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to cemetery corporations;

Also Senate Bill No. 625—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1454*a*, and to amend section one thousand four hundred fifty-five of said code, relating to the collection of money by heirs;

Also: Senate Bill No. 630—An act to amend section 634 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the issuance of shares and investment certificates of building and loan associations and relating to the creation of a reserve fund; selection of directors and fees chargeable by such associations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Deuel, Miller, J. A, and Jones, as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 209.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Mr. Hornblower: Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act entitled an act to amend sections 3 and 9 and to add a new section to be numbered 15 to an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," approved by electors November 2, 1920, as amended, relating to rights of aliens with respect to real property.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Crittenden: Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the secretary of war on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the

plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 38, said new section relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

By Mr. Johnson (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend section 19*x* of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Adams: Assembly Bill No. 1273—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Jacobson: Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges and the district attorney's special fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Runner: Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Mitchell: Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of "National Cleaning and Dyeing Works" against the State of California.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Bill No. 1277—An act entitled an act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

By Mr. Pierce: Assembly Bill No. 1278—An act to repeal section 445 of the Political Code, authorizing the controller of State to maintain an Inheritance Tax Department and in connection therewith to appoint an inheritance tax attorney and assistants thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Scofield: Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexations thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

By Mr. Heisinger: Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Johnson (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19—Relative to California Indian Court of Claims Bill, Senate No. 4301.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relative to charter amendments of the city of Santa Cruz.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered.

By Mr. West:

Resolved, That no member shall be allowed to speak more than once, or more than five minutes upon any question, except the author, who shall be allowed five minutes to open and five minutes to close.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Melville moved that Assembly Bill No. 589 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 589 re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 798—An act authorizing and directing the California highway commission to lay out and acquire a right of way, or rights of way for a highway or highways extending from a point at or near the town of Cordelia in Solano County, to a point at or near the north boundary of the city of Vallejo and thence extending said highway or highways from the south boundary of the city of Vallejo to the straits of Carquinez declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McPherson moved that Assembly Bill No. 798 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 798 re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 2½, 3, 5, 7, 15, 17, 21¼, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38 and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended and to add nine new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, 22*a*, and 28½.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cleveland moved that Assembly Bill No. 451 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 451 re-referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Assembly Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 626*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Heisinger moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, eight o'clock and thirty-three minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined, to provide for license to sell, offer for sale, or engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Campbell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 3 of the title, at the end of the line, strike out the words "sell, offer for sale, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sell, offer for sale,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 22 to 24 inclusive, and on page 2 strike out the first 10 lines of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sell, offer for sale, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sell, offer for sale,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, lines 13 and 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sell, offer for sale, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sell, offer for sale, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the words "sell, offer for sale, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the words "selling, offering for sale, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6, lines 34 and 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "selling, offering for sale, or".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Campbell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1221, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CAMPBELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 212 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A. Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Adams gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 212 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 626—An act to amend an act known as "the Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 15*b*, which section relates to the furnishing of bonds by certain officers and employees of building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 626 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 466 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 189 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—Roland, and Wright, T. M.—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr Graves moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 241 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Miss Broughton waived her motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 260 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 260 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed; defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof; authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish stations for the inspection and certification of cotton seed, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California; prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 168 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1609*a*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 630 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—72.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1252—An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlements by executors and administrators.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1252 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—Smith—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to property exempt from execution or attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 524 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—49.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Cloudman, Davis, Deuel, Graves, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—21.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 208—An act to amend section 2280 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 208 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Roland—1.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Carter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 208 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 346—An act to repeal section 856 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 346 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wililamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—Jacobson—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 347—An act to amend section 437 and to repeal section 439 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 347 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and three minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 112 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Eksward, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Spence, Wemple, and Williamson—8

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Roland gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 112 was this day passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

At ten o'clock and ten minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 31, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, TUESDAY, March 31, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding,

Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Duval, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. John A. Livingston of Auburn, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Hon W. J. Hicks and Hon. Joe Maloney, Past Commanders of the American Legion, Sacramento Post No. 61, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Dr. Edward L. Hardy, President State Teachers College, San Diego, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 450—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, maintenance and use of entrances and exits in certain buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated towns, incorporated cities and incorporated cities and counties; to provide for its enforcement and to provide penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108 relating to the causes of divorce;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 768—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor, approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended, and that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1007, relating to determination of identity of persons—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Tubbs, Sharkey, and Canepa, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

DEUEL,
MILLER, J. A.,
JONES,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Spence:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows.

An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Department of Public Accounting.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 681—An act to amend section 410 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of the laws, resolutions and journals of Legislature; of reports of Supreme Court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act." approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 728—An act to provide for the investigation of matters relating to the public welfare in connection with the welfare of women and children in the State of California by a committee of nine women to be appointed by the Governor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 482—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to funds of the said society.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom prisons.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1187—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2554, relating to the duties of certain employees of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners and their dismissal and eligibility.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of reestablishing the said school elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend section 30 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to inspectors and traffic officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title to read as follows: "An act to amend the 'California Vehicle Act', approved May 30, 1923, by amending section thirty and repealing section one hundred fifty-five thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Amend section 1 to read as follows:

SECTION 1. Section thirty of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 30. The chief of the division of motor vehicles is hereby authorized to appoint all necessary state inspectors at large to enforce the provisions of this act. The compensation of such inspectors shall be paid out of the motor vehicle fund. Such inspectors shall be exempt from the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under state authority, and in that behalf, to create a state civil service commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the willful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Boards of supervisors are hereby authorized to appoint all necessary traffic officers to enforce the provisions of this act in their respective counties. The compensation of such traffic officers shall be fixed by the respective boards of supervisors and such compensation shall be and constitute a charge payable out of the respective general county funds.

All inspectors and traffic officers appointed as provided herein are hereby vested with the authority of peace officers. It shall be the duty of all such inspectors and traffic officers to enforce the provisions of this act.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Add a new section to read as follows.

SEC. 2. Section one hundred fifty-five of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, is hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of the storage, control and diversion of water for public use and public protection in the State of California, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first five lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following "An act to add a new section to be numbered nine *a* and to amend section ten of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this state, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to disposition of funds."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 25, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 33, inclusive, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

SECTION 1. A new section to be numbered nine *a* is hereby added to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this state, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, to read as follows:

Sec 9*a*. It shall be the duty of the board of trustees of such levee district to furnish the county auditor, prior to the meeting of the board of supervisors, for the purpose of fixing the annual tax rate, with a full and complete list of all warrants drawn by the board of trustees of such levee district for the fiscal years last past.

SEC 2 Section ten of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 10. If an unexpended balance shall remain in the fund of a levee district from a previous fiscal year, at the time when, by law, it is the duty of the board of supervisors of such county to fix the annual tax rate, then and in that event, the county auditor of such county shall, prior to the meeting of the board of supervisors, for the purpose of fixing the annual tax rate, furnish said board of supervisors with a detailed statement showing the amount of such unexpended balance remaining in the fund of such levee district from a previous fiscal year, or years, and said auditor shall also furnish said board of supervisors with a list of all unpaid warrants for the fiscal year last past shown by the records of said auditor and shown upon the list of warrants furnished by the board of trustees of said levee district as aforesaid, and at the same time, the county auditor shall furnish a copy of such statement to the county treasurer Upon receipt, by the board of supervisors from the county auditor of the statement showing amount of the unexpended balance or balances aforesaid, the said board shall deduct the amount shown by the statement of the county auditor from the estimate of the amount of moneys necessary for said levee district, for the year, as submitted by the board of trustees of such levee district, to the board of supervisors, pursuant to section eight of this act, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year.

The amount of such estimate remaining, after the board of supervisors shall have deducted therefrom the amount of unexpended balances, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year, as shown by the auditor's statement, shall form the basis for the amount of money required to be raised by assessment upon the lands and personal property within such levee district for such year. At the time when the board of supervisors of such county shall fix the annual tax rate, the board shall take as a basis, the estimate and report of said board of trustees of said levee district, and the deduction therefrom of the unexpended balance, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year, as shown in the statement of the county auditor, as hereinbefore specified, for the amount of money necessary to be raised in said district for the purpose thereof for that year, and the valuation of the lands and improvements thereon, and personal property within such district, as furnished them by the county assessor, levy a tax upon all taxable property in such levee district, sufficient to raise an amount of money, which, added to the unexpended balance, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year, as shown by the statement of the county auditor, will total an amount equal to the estimate of the board of trustees of such levee district for the amount of money necessary to be raised in said district for the purposes thereof, for that year. Upon the levy of such tax by the board of supervisors, the county auditor shall transfer such unexpended balance, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year upon his books from the levee district fund of a previous fiscal year or years, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year, to the fund of said levee district for the fiscal year for which said tax was levied by the board of supervisors, as aforesaid, and shall notify the county treasurer of such county of the transfer, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the county treasurer to make a corresponding transfer of such unexpended balance, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year, upon his books, so that the same will remain in balance with those of the auditor, and thereupon such sum shall cease to be a part of the fund of such previous year, or years, and shall become a part of the fund of such levee district for the fiscal year to which the same was transferred, as above specified. If no assessment be levied for that year, and an unexpended balance remain to the credit of said levee district, then at the time of levy of tax by law by the board of supervisors, the county auditor shall transfer any unexpended balance or balances, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year, upon his books from the levee district fund or funds of the previous fiscal year or years, to the fund of said levee district for the succeeding fiscal year, and shall notify the county treasurer of such county of the transfer, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the county treasurer to make a corresponding transfer of such unexpended balance, less an amount sufficient to provide for the payment of all outstanding warrants of the previous fiscal year, upon his books, so that the same will remain in balance with those of the auditor, and thereupon such sum shall cease to be a part of the fund of such previous year, or years, and shall become a part of the funds of such levee district for the fiscal year to which the same was transferred.

The tax so levied by the board of supervisors, as above mentioned, shall be computed and entered upon the assessment roll of the county by the county auditor, and collected at the same time, and in the same manner as state and county taxes, and when collected, shall be paid into the county treasury for the use of said levee district in which said taxes were levied. All taxes so levied, as hereinbefore provided, shall be a lien upon the lands and property in said district, in the manner, and with the same effect, and collected in the same way as are state and county taxes.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees, and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 704—An act creating the California military reserve, providing for the appointment of officers therein, and when said reserve may be called into active service.

Bill read second time, order to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 254—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 255—An act to validate and legalize all bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold by municipal utility districts where authority for such issuance has already been given by vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such dis tricts voting at an election held for that purpose, and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 753—An act to provide for the approval of plans for the construction or alteration of county jails by the Immigration and Housing Commission

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the word "irrigation" and insert in lieu thereof the word "immigration".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr Speaker:

STATE OF INDIANA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
INDIANAPOLIS, March 26, 1925.

Honorable Frank F Merriam,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR MR MERRIAM Your night letter advising the Governor of the concurrent resolution adopted by your General Assembly, expressing sympathy and extending condolence to the people of Indiana and her neighboring states who have so recently suffered from the effects of a great tornado, was duly received and brought to the personal attention of Governor Jackson By his direction I wish to express to you the sincerest appreciation of all the people of Indiana for this message of sympathy from the great State of California The relief work has been admirably carried on by the American Red Cross and the Indiana State Militia. While a great task confronts us in the rehabilitation of these devastated districts, we have been wonderfully encouraged by the generous response from sympathetic neighbors.

Assuring you of the Governor's appreciation of your personal expression of sorrow and sympathy, I am,

Sincerely yours,

P H. WOLFARD, Secretary to the Governor.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY, March 25, 1925.

Honorable Frank F. Merriam,
Speaker, California Legislature,
Sacramento, California

MY DEAR SIR: I acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the twentieth instant, together with copy of a resolution passed by your Assembly, extending the sympathy

of the citizens of California relative to the devastation of property, loss of life and suffering recently visited upon our people, and I hasten to assure you that Kentuckians deeply appreciate this token of interest from citizens of a sister state, and their sympathy in our hour of distress will long be remembered and treasured.

Yours very truly,

WM. J. FIELDS, Governor of Kentucky.

By the Chief Clerk:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named person has filed his credentials and he is duly recognized as a representative of the newspaper set opposite his name.

The Associated Press.....W. A. Wells

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code 58 new sections, to be numbered 2322*x*1, 2322*x*2, 2322*x*3, 2322*x*4, 2322*x*5, 2322*x*6, 2322*x*7, 2322*x*8, 2322*x*9, 2322*x*10, 2322*x*11, 2322*x*12, 2322*x*13, 2322*x*14, 2322*x*15, 2322*x*16, 2322*x*17, 2322*x*18, 2322*x*19, 2322*x*20, 2322*x*21, 2322*x*22, 2322*x*23, 2322*x*24, 2322*x*25, 2322*x*26, 2322*x*27, 2322*x*28, 2322*x*29, 2322*x*30, 2322*x*31, 2322*x*32, 2322*x*33, 2322*x*34, 2322*x*35, 2322*x*36, 2322*x*37, 2322*x*38, 2322*x*39, 2322*x*40, 2322*x*41, 2322*x*42, 2322*x*43, 2322*x*44, 2322*x*45, 2322*x*46, 2322*x*47, 2322*x*48, 2322*x*49, 2322*x*50, 2322*x*51, 2322*x*52, 2322*x*53, 2322*x*54, 2322*x*55, 2322*x*56, 2322*x*57 and 2322*x*58, relating to county horticultural commissioners—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.

By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 601?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 4, of the amended bill, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "chapter of the Political Code".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 18, of the amended bill, strike out the last "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 11 of the amended bill, strike out all of line 4.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 12, line 19, of the amended bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such bookkeeper shall not exceed one thousand eight hundred dollars.

(*d*) The commissioner is also authorized and empowered to appoint not to exceed one stenographer at a monthly salary of one hundred ten dollars per month during the time actually employed but the aggregate amount which may be expended in any year for such stenographer shall not exceed one thousand three hundred twenty dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 15, line 17, of the amended bill, strike out the numeral "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 16, line 7, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "dollars" add the following: "*provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the commissioner, a deputy to be appointed by said commissioner, which position is hereby created, at a salary of four dollars per day while actually engaged in such work, not to exceed, however, in the aggregate the sum of five hundred dollars in any one year."

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 601 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 465—An act to amend section 2640 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of officers over highways—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 465?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 465 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 167—An act to provide for the growing of one variety or species of cotton, to wit, Acala, in certain prescribed and defined districts in the State of California; to prohibit the picking or harvesting of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the possession within such district for the purpose of planting any seeds or plants of any variety of species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts; to prohibit the ginning of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such district; defining such districts; and fixing the penalty for a violation of this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 167?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "that", strike out the remainder of said line 8 and all of lines 9, 10, 11, 12, down to and including the word "value" in line 13, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "that solely by restricting the growing of one variety or species of cotton in certain areas can the fibre be grown of uniform length and quality, and the highest price paid for the cotton thus obtained, and the production of fibre of different lengths or grades be prevented; that fibres of different lengths and grades are commercially inferior and when assembled in one lot or grade are classed and given the value of the lowest grade in the lot or sample,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "include", and insert in lieu thereof the word "designate"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the word "pure".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 50, of the printed bill, immediately after the word "Tulare", strike out the period and insert a semicolon and add the following "district number seven shall consist of the county of Merced; district number eight shall consist of the county of Stanislaus; district number nine shall consist of the county of San Joaquin"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the words, "or the horticultural commissioner of any county;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, in lines 26 and 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words, "or by the horticultural commissioner of any county of the State of California", and immediately after the word "California" in line 26, page 3, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof a period

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 167 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 485—An act to recognize and declare valid the Littlerock Midland Irrigation District, and all proceedings in relation thereto and to the organization thereof.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Graves—1

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

Assembly Bill No. 902—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings in and relative to the organization of Lucerne Irrigation District.

Consideration of Governor's veto

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Cleveland—1.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray,

Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

Assembly Bill No. 104—An act recognizing and declaring valid the Vandalia Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings for the formation of said district.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Campbell, Cleveland, and Mixter—3.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

Assembly Bill No. 149—An act to amend section 1607 of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of prisoners from the county jail by reason of sickness or accident.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Browne, Louttit, Schmidt, Scofield, West, and Williamson—6.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, and Mr. Speaker—37.

Assembly Bill No. 226—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Pierce, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of the insurance commissioner and of the board of equalization with

respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 502 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 502 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 22 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relative to election of the Railroad Commission.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30 read.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Deuel the consideration of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30 was made a special order for Thursday, April 2, 1925, at two o'clock p.m.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 20 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 20.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said state by amending section one of article two of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-sixth regular session, commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 1 of article II of the constitution of the State be amended to read as follows

SECTION 1. Every native citizen of the United States, every person who shall have acquired the rights of citizenship under or by virtue of the treaty of Queretaro, and every naturalized citizen thereof, who shall have become such ninety days prior to any election, of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a resident of the State one year next preceding the election, and of the county in which he or she claims his or her vote ninety days, and in the election precinct thirty days, shall be entitled to vote at all elections which are now or may hereafter be authorized by law; *provided*, any person duly registered as an elector in one precinct and removing therefrom to another precinct in the same county within thirty days of an election, shall for the purpose of such election be deemed to be a resident and qualified elector of the precinct from which he so removed

until after such election; *provided, further*, no alien ineligible to citizenship, no idiot, no insane person, no person convicted of any infamous crime, no person hereafter convicted of the embezzlement or misappropriation of public money, and no person who shall not be able to read the constitution in the English language and write his or her name shall ever exercise the privileges of an elector in this state; *provided*, that the provisions of this amendment relative to an educational qualification shall not apply to any person prevented by a physical disability from complying with its requisitions, nor to any person who had the right to vote on October 10, 1911, nor to any person who was sixty years of age and upward on October 10, 1911; *provided, further*, that the legislature may, by general law, provide for the casting of votes by duly registered voters who, by reason of their occupation, are required to travel and who, by such affidavit as the Legislature may prescribe, show that they will be absent from their respective precincts on the day on which any primary or general election is held, or who, by reason of their being engaged in the civil, congressional, military or naval service of the United States or of the State, may be absent from their respective precincts on the day on which any primary or general election is held, or who because of injury or disability are absent from their precincts or unable to go to the polling places; which votes (*a*) may be cast in the office of the registrar of voters, or of the county clerk of the county or city and county in which such voters respectively reside, and on a day prior to the date of such election, under such provisions as the legislature may see fit to make, or (*b*) may be cast in the city, city and county or town within this State in which such voters may be on the day on which such election is held, under such provisions as the Legislature may see fit to make, and shall be forwarded in such manner as the Legislature may prescribe to the officers respectively of the city, city and county or town having charge of the counting of the ballots cast at such election; or (*c*) in cases where said voters are engaged in such military or naval service, may be cast at any place, under such provisions as the Legislature may see fit to make, and shall be forwarded in such manner as the Legislature may prescribe to the officers respectively of the city, city and county or town having charge of the counting of the ballots at such election; all of which votes shall be kept in such manner and counted by such methods as the Legislature may prescribe; *provided*, that it must be required that all ballots cast in any other place than the precinct of the voter must be received by the county clerk of the county in which the voter is registered, within two weeks of the election, in which such ballots are to be counted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article XX thereof, relative to proportional representation.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Coombs moved that Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24 re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to protective tariff on cherries.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 read.

The question being on the passage of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts,

Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 18.

Relative to protective tariff on cherries.

WHEREAS, Due to the importation from foreign countries of Royal Anne cherries for Maraschino purposes, at a price of five and one-half cents per pound, f.o.b. United States ports, California growers have been forced to sell their product at prices far below cost of production; and

WHEREAS, The cost of production of Royal Anne cherries for Maraschino purposes, as established by accurate records, is nine and sixteen one hundredths cents per pound, which price does not provide a margin of profit to the grower; and

WHEREAS, If the California growers are forced to meet this competition in the future, the cherry industry of California will be sacrificed; and

WHEREAS, A protective tariff of eight cents per pound on Royal Anne cherries would amply protect the growers against foreign competition; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate, jointly, That the congress of the United States be and is hereby memorialized to fix a tariff of eight cents per pound on all Royal Anne cherries imported into the United States

Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 652 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as Johnson grass," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, and repealing that certain act entitled, "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 708 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eks-

ward, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Coombs, Easley, Foster, and Wemple—5.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Cleveland gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 708 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 912—An act to amend section 589 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Insurance Commissioner.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 912 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Woodbridge—46.

NOES—Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Murphy, Runner, Spalding, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ninety".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, after the word "annum" strike out all the remainder of line 34, and all of lines 35, 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40 and insert in lieu thereof a period

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 73, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DILLINGER, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Miss Broughton moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "1924" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1926".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Miss Broughton as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 852, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

BROUGHTON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 426—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages; defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 426 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 816—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 816 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley,

Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 787—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any opium, morphine, cocaine, heroin or other narcotic is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such narcotics; and providing for the abatement of such nuisances.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 787 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Eksward—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1235—An act to amend section 4021*a* of the Political Code, relating to recall of officers of school districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Bernard moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1087—An act to amend section 1548 of the Political Code, relating to the office expenses of the Superintendent of Schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1087 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and thirty-four minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Bernard.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1235 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Ekseward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—48.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Graves, Hartranft, Jost, Little, Mueller, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, and Mr. Speaker—26.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Murphy gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1235 was this day passed

Assembly Bill No. 251—An act to amend section 415 of the Civil Code, relating to purchase and conveyance of real estate.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 251 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rob-

erts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 170—An act to amend section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counterclaims in civil actions and to repeal section 442 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to cross complaints in civil actions.
Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Murray moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "defendant" and insert in lieu thereof the word "plaintiff".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, following the word "thereto", strike out the comma, and insert in lieu thereof a period

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "and", strike out all the remainder of said line 18 and all of line 19 and beginning with a new paragraph on said line 19 add the following "And on the part of the defendant.".

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Murray as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 170, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MURRAY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relative to the construction of bridges and highways, approved May 25, 1923.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 249 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Clondman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy,

Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1189—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in Tulare County, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Tulare County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1189 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V. Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill as amended March 27, 1925, strike out the words bracketed [ ] after the word "tires" all of lines 12, 13, 14 and 15, down to and including the word "hour".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, after line 7, insert the following: "*Provided, however*, that vehicles equipped with cushion wheels, shall be permitted to be operated at speeds not in excess of ten miles per hour greater than those set forth in the foregoing table and not, in any case, in excess of twenty-five miles per hour."

Motion carried

The Speaker appointed Mr Williamson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 817, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 723 is returned herewith without my approval for the reason that it contains errors, and the author has asked to have it returned.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 299 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends the Los Angeles county flood control act. Since its passage it has been discovered that the powers conferred on the flood control district with reference to the sale of water are so broad that they might constitute a menace to the water rights of a large portion of the district and authorize the transferring of flood waters from one watershed to another.

This act would give the authority for the sale of water which has not heretofore been contained in the act.

The author of the bill, Assemblyman Sewell, asks that the bill be returned without approval. Senators Evans and Taylor join in this request.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 3—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 3?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 6 to 31, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"16 County officers must,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 46, of the printed bill, after the second word "jurors" insert the words "and witnesses".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "mile" add the following: "Subsections thirteen, fourteen, and fifteen of this section shall take effect on the first Monday after the first day of January, 1927."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 3 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillmeer, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and three minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

NOYES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 10—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the tenth class.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of J. B. Enright against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto; creating a veterans' welfare finance committee, defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof; providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures; appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 174—An act appropriating money to provide for the grading, paving, curbing, guttering and drainage of those portions of Normal street, Normal-Campus intersection, Campus street, Campus-Meade intersection, and Meade avenue, in San Diego, California, fronting on property of the San Diego State Teachers College—has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 69—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 70—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Griffith Company against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 71—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Whittier against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to appropriate $887.42 to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for setting back the curbs, constructing concrete curbs and gutters, paving and widening the area and providing drainage on those portions of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft way fronting upon property of the University of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Ward's ferry, thence to Groveland, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for a survey—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge, and from the south end of said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half

miles south of the new bridge, to be a State highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act, providing penalties for violation of the same, making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act, and repealing an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to provide for the organization and government of municipal corporations consisting of two or more municipalities, or of two or more municipalities and unincorporated territory;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 8 of article XIII thereof, relating to taxpayers' statements of property—

has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

(Signed out)

GRAVES, Chairman.
DILLINGER.
COOMBS.
SAYLOR.
EASLEY.
MURRAY.
ANDERSON, D. P.
SCUDDER.
CLOUDMAN.
SCOFIELD.
DAVIS.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code, relating to filing permits for the adoption of children—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 333—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to charitable, religious or benevolent societies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees, and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 482—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to funds of the said society,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom prisons;

Also Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No 681—An act to amend section 410 of the Political Code relating to the distribution of the laws, resolutions and journals of Legislature, of reports of Supreme Court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 704—An act creating the California military reserve, providing for the appointment of officers therein, and when said reserve may be called into active service;

Also Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to provide for the investigation of matters relating to the public welfare in connection with the welfare of women and children in the State of California by a committee of nine women to be appointed by the Governor.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1187—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2554, relating to the duties of certain employees of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners and their dismissal and eligibility:

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of re-establishing the said school elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a* 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 392—An act to provide for the establishment, organization and government of municipal port districts, for the acquisition and construction by municipal port districts of harbor works and improvements, and railroad and water transfer and terminal facilities; for the development, operation, maintenance, control, regulation and management of harbors and other waters and for the promotion of commerce, navigation and fishery by such municipal port districts; for the incurring by such districts of bonded indebtedness for the acquisition, construction or completion of such works and improvements and for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on bonds and for carrying on the operations of such districts—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 22 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relative to election of the Railroad Commission—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly Constitutional Amendment ordered on file for adoption.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 320—An act to amend subdivision 7 of section 4041, Political Code, in order to empower boards of supervisors to provide more adequate medical, surgical, X-ray, laboratory, nursing and general hospital service for the needy sick;

Also. Senate Bill No. 221—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands;

Also: Senate Bill No. 360—An act authorizing and directing the State Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way, and to construct and maintain a highway, which is hereby declared to constitute and be a State highway, extending from Needles or from a point to be selected by the State Highway Commission upon the route of the State highway extending from San Bernardino to Needles in the county of San Bernardino to a point to be selected by the State Highway Commission on the boundary line between the State of California and the State of Arizona opposite the town of Topock, Arizona, or at such other point thereon as may be selected by said State Highway Commission;

Also: Senate Bill No. 787—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* respectively, relating to licenses.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 320 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 221 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 360 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 787 read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Merriam:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholder's charter.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and

establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the package and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Duval moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 10, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or shipper" and insert in lieu thereof the words ", shipper, seller, or common carrier."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Duval as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 422, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DUVAL, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 410—An act to authorize and empower legislative bodies of municipal corporations to establish, maintain, use and reimburse revolving funds in connection with or incident to the laying out, construction or improvement of streets or other public work or the acquisition of lands, rights of way or other property necessary therefor.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Weller moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 6 and 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or under a municipal charter or otherwise".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all that portion of line 13 after the comma therein, all of line 14 and all that portion of line 15 thereof down to and including the comma therein.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "brought" insert the words "either under any law of this state or under a municipal charter or ordinance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "under a municipal charter or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, lines 40 and 41, of the printed bill, strike out the following: ", either under the provisions of a municipal charter or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, lines 50 and 51, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "a municipal charter or under".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 8 to 17, inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Weller as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 410, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WELLER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Dorris moved that Assembly Bill No. 1249 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1249 re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, by amending sections numbered 44, 77, 95, 96, 114, 138, 145 and 153, relative to the renewal of registration of motor vehicles and to the operation thereof.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Badham moved that Assembly Bill No. 689 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 689 re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Assembly Bill No. 392—An act to provide for the establishment, organization and government of municipal port districts; for the acquisition and construction by municipal port districts of harbor works and improvements, and for the development, operation, maintenance, control and management of harbors and other navigable waters therein; for the regulation and promotion of commerce, navigation and

fishery by municipal port districts; for the incurring by such districts of bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of such works and improvements, and for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on bonds and for carrying on the operations of such districts; for the dissolution of municipal port districts and prescribing the procedure therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 392 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 590 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Murray gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 590 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 44 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Finney moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "forty-four" strike out the word "forty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "forty-seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "Section" strike out the word "forty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "forty-seven".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Finney as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 296, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FINNEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 47 thereof, relating to the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Finney, moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, before the word "The" insert the following "Sec. 57".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Finney as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 297, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FINNEY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific Ocean, unless such dwellings or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1094 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1167—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to schools.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1167 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to schools.
Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Saylor moved that Assembly Bill No. 1166 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.
Motion carried
Assembly Bill No. 1166 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 1165—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to public schools.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1165 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act to amend section 1750c of the Political Code, relating to schools.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1164 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes,

Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 1551 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1163 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Graves moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 241 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 241 refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Burns, Cleveland, Cloudman, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hornblower, Jost, McDonough, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—33.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Weller, and West—38.

Assembly Bill No. 241 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Adams moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 212 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 212 reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER TWO HUNDRED TWELVE.

Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Badham moved that Senate Bill No. 212 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Oil Industries.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 212 re-referred to Committee on Oil Industries

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Miss Broughton moved that the consideration of her motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 509 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Carter moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 208 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Roland moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 112 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 112 refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—35.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Smith, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—34.

Assembly Bill No. 112 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices in cases of mortgaged property of decedents or minors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 850 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland,

Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—Davis—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to amend section 3480½ of the Political Code, relating to and providing for a method of refunding the installments of the principal of any reclamation district bonds now or hereafter issued as and when the said installments, or any thereof, or any part thereof, shall mature.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1065 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 72—An act declaring the county road in Calaveras County, extending from Angels Camp through Vallecita and Murphy to Calaveras Big Trees in the national forest to be a State highway.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 72 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Roland, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The following report of Select Committee was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

The Select Committee of One appointed to meet Honorable Marc Peter, Swiss ambassador to the United States, begs leave to report that the instructions have been carried out, as follows: Your committee met the ambassador at the train upon his arrival Sunday morning, escorted him to Sutter's Fort, where he was shown and had explained to him the various relics of pioneer days. Mr. Cox, the custodian of the fort, came to California in 1852, overland by ox team, the trip consuming six and a half months from Missouri to California. He was a personal friend of General Sutter, and the ambassador was very much interested in the early history of California, and of Sutter's Fort, particularly on account of General Sutter himself being a Swiss, and of Mr. Cox's personal acquaintance with the general.

The ambassador was informed of the movement instigated by the Native Sons of the Golden West to bring the remains of General Sutter from Lititz, Pennsylvania, to Sutter's Fort for reinterment, and he was very favorably impressed with the idea, and promised his support to the Native Sons in carrying out the project.

The distinguished visitor was shown the Capitol Building and grounds and was tendered a banquet at the Hotel Senator, where he was welcomed by the Governor, Honorable Friend Wm Richardson; the mayor of Sacramento, Honorable Albert Elkus, Cris R. Jones, vice president of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce; Dr Eberly, representing the Helvetian Society of Sacramento, and others.

Mr. Peters was very much pleased with the city of Sacramento, and the attention shown him, and his only regret was that his visit was so short He left at 2 35 p m. Sunday for Washington.

WEST, Select Committee.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 137—An act to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of any person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, purchasing, or receiving for sale ores, concentrates, or amalgams, bearing gold or silver, gold dust, silver or gold bullion, nuggets or specimens; to provide rules and regulations therefor; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 137 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lonttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 470—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children: providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work and to make the affidavit or verified complaint of any person as to the age of any child affected by this act, prima facie evidence of the age of such child.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 470 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland,

Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Melville—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 488—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4041*h*, relating to fires on highways.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 488 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M. and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—Jost and Runner—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 524—An act to amend section 3366 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of boards of supervisors, city councils and town trustees, in their respective counties, cities and towns to impose a license tax.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 524 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—Louttit—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 381—An act to amend section 4274 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the forty-fifth class.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 381 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 624—An act to amend section 641 of the Civil Code, relating to guarantee stock surplus of building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 624 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 619—An act to amend the Building and Loan Commission Act by adding thereto two new sections, relating to building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 619 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson. R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read.

During reading of the title, the following amendment was submitted by Mr. Davis:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first 3 lines of the title of the amended bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to add two new sections, to be numbered fifteen *c* and fifteen *d*, to the "Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to building and loan associations."

Amendment adopted.

Title read as amended, and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Walters gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 619 was this day passed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows

By Mr. Spence: An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Department of Public Accounting.

By Mr. Merriam: An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholder's charter.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 209 the following Senators: Maloney, Murphy, and Jones, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Spence: Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Department of Public Accounting.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Merriam: Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholder's charter.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the

Congress of the United States—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

(Signed out)

EASLEY, Chairman.
CRITTENDEN.
WILLIAMSON.
BERNARD.
JOHNSON
WOODBRIDGE.
SCUDDER
SEWELL.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365c of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365d, 365e, 365f, 365g, 365h, 365i, 365j, 365k, 365l, 365m, 365n, 365o and 365p to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At four o'clock and forty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Wednesday, April 1, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, April 1, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohinmus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Rabbi Michael Aarrson of Cincinnati, Ohio, National Chaplain Disabled American War Veterans of the World War.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Coombs, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Miller, J. A., Mr. Leland W. Cutler of San Francisco, California, member board of trustees of Stanford University, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Levey, Mrs. J. E. Butterfield and Mrs. Ernest Wallace of San Francisco, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Messrs Louis Sockolov and Clarence Morris were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Easley, Mr. F. M. Eakin, faculty representative of the Alhambra Union High School of Martinez, California, and the following students were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Elbert Schweinitzer, Chester Arthur, Elizabeth Wilcox, Gladys Stevens, Irene Johnston, Hilda Carlson, Werle Senger, Frances Milliff, Louis Brackman, Carl Lyford, Fred King, Thomas Fraga, Walter Pistochini, Helen McClellan, Marion Beard, Elsa Louise Arnold, Peggy Reid, Eleanor Reilly, Walter Granlund, William DeLacy, Dixie Bartholomew, Fred Stoll, John Crow, Ruth Hanley, Freeman Greene, George Pascoe, Robert Moriarty, Gertrude Vickers and Ruth McJunkin.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON UNIVERSITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to provide for the disposition of certain material of the former geological survey of California delivered to the president of the University of California pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 27, 1874—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights, levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, southern branch on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act appropriating money for capital improvements and repairs for the College of Agriculture of the University of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Mans.

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to add a new title to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 776—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions on devices for charitable uses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Also: Senate Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific railroad crosses such state line to be a public highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 152—An act to amend sections 2, 5½, and 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the board of regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,'" approved June 12, 1913, as amended, relative to registration of nurses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to supervise regulate and control the business of dealing in poultry; to provide rules and regulations therefor and provide a penalty for violations thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No 325—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of such funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, referring to teachers' retirement salaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of duty of registered pharmacists;

Also Assembly Bill No. 483—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure

Milk Law" of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet, or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a Harbor Commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development, or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 15, 1915, as amended, relating to improvement;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1261—An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts, providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No 782—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Santa Barbara, subject to certain trusts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 450—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, maintenance and use of entrances and exits in certain buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated towns, incorporated cities and incorporated cities and counties; to provide for its enforcement and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "manner" and insert in lieu thereof the word "place".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "manner" and insert in lieu thereof the word "place".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following figure "2", and strike out all of lines 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The entrances and exits from all hospitals in the State of California, which shall be hereafter constructed, shall be so constructed that such entrances and exits shall open outward from the walls thereof. "Hospital" shall be deemed to be a building, or any portion of any building, erected, constructed, used, or intended and designed for the purpose of housing sick, injured, infirm, demented, aged or orphaned persons, and shall include sanitariums, asylums and orphanages of every nature and regardless of whether such buildings are maintained as public or private institutions."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and described".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon following the word "imprisonment", and insert in lieu thereof a period

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and in addition" and strike out all of lines 34 to 39, inclusive

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "proceeding" insert the following: "in the State of California".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint; and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", *provided*, that the provisions of this act shall not be construed as applying to the cutting, clearing or otherwise disposing of trees or vegetation in the customary pursuit of commercial logging, lumbering, quarrying or mining operation, or the clearing or improving of land for agricultural or for building purposes, or for fire protection purposes"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 10—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the colon following the figures "4242" add the following: "In counties of the thirteenth class, the county and township officers shall receive, as full compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their office the following salaries

1. The county clerk, five thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county clerk the following clerks, deputies and employees, who shall be appointed by the county clerk

and shall be paid salaries as follows One chief deputy at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, two court room deputies at a salary of one hundred eighty-five dollars each per month, one office deputy at a salary of one hundred sixty-five dollars per month, one stenographer at a salary of one hundred forty dollars per month, one copyist at a salary of one hundred fifteen dollars per month, *provided, further*, that in any year when a general election is to be held or the compilation of a registration of voters is required by law or supplements to be made thereto, the county clerk shall receive as expenses for compiling such registration of voters and making supplements thereto and work incidental to election, the sum of seven and one-half cents for each name registered or appearing on the great register for each general election, to be paid upon filing and presentation of duly verified claims therefor, by the county clerk with the board of supervisors of said county; *and provided, further*, that in any year when a registration of voters is required by law or supplements to be made thereto, the said county clerk may appoint such number of registration deputies as may be necessary for the registration of voters in their respective precincts, each of said deputies to receive the sum of ten cents per name for each elector registered by him, said registration deputies to be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county, a duly verified claim therefor on the general fund of said county, after proper allowance of said claim by said board of supervisors, the salary of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk is paid; *provided, further*, that the compensation for registration of electors and compilation of the registration of voters and supplements thereto as herein provided for, shall not be paid in monthly installments but shall be paid after proper allowance of verified claims therefor by the board of supervisors of said county.

2. The sheriff six thousand dollars per annum. All mileage for service of papers in civil actions arising either inside or outside of the county, excepting actions in which the county is interested All fees for service of papers in civil actions. All expenses incurred in criminal cases and mileage in criminal cases, for each mile actually and necessarily traveled by automobile, twelve and one-half cents per mile. The sum of not less than thirty-seven and one-half cents per day each shall be allowed by the board of supervisors for feeding each prisoner committed to his custody; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff the following deputies, clerks and employees, who shall be appointed by the sheriff, and shall be paid salaries as follows One under sheriff at a salary of two hundred twenty-five dollars per month; one deputy sheriff at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, one deputy sheriff at a salary of one hundred eighty-five dollars per month, one deputy sheriff to act in criminal cases at a salary of one hundred eighty-five dollars per month one deputy sheriff to act in criminal cases at a salary of one hundred sixty dollars per month, one deputy sheriff to act as day jailer at a salary of one hundred sixty dollars per month; one deputy sheriff to act as night jailer at a salary of one hundred sixty dollars per month; two deputy sheriffs to act as bailiffs at a salary of one hundred sixty dollars each per month; one stenographer to the sheriff at a salary of one hundred forty dollars per month, one office stenographer to the sheriff at a salary of one hundred fifteen dollars per month, *provided*, that the sheriff may employ from one to five persons to act as deputy sheriffs at a salary of not to exceed five dollars per day each, when in the judgment of the sheriff such deputies are necessary, *provided, however*, that the total amount of the compensation for such additional deputies to be paid per diem shall not in any fiscal year exceed the total sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, *provided, further*, that the compensation of said last mentioned deputies shall be paid upon presentation of duly verified claims filed with the board of supervisors of the said county in the same manner that other claims are filed and paid. The salaries of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the sheriff is paid.

3. The recorder, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the recorder the following deputies, clerks and employees, who shall be appointed by the county recorder, and shall be paid salaries as follows One chief deputy at a salary of two hundred dollars per month; one deputy at a salary of one hundred sixty-five dollars per month, two index clerks at a salary of one hundred fifteen dollars each per month; four copyists at a salary of one hundred fifteen dollars each per month; and one copyist, at such time as in the judgment of the county recorder is necessary, at a salary of one hundred fifteen dollars per month. The salaries of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county recorder is paid.

4. The auditor, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the auditor the following deputies, clerks and employees who shall be appointed by the county auditor and

who shall be paid salaries as follows One deputy auditor at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, two clerks at a salary of one hundred fifteen dollars per month each; the salaries of the deputy and employees hereinabove provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the auditor is paid, *provided, further*, that the said auditor is hereby allowed such clerks and employees as he may deem necessary and appoint at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each, *provided, however*, that the total amount of salary and compensation paid to such clerks and employees on a per diem basis shall not exceed the total sum of nine hundred dollars per annum, *provided, further*, that such clerks and employees shall be paid for their services out of the same fund as the auditor is paid upon filing with the board of supervisors of said county their duly verified claims for the sums due them.

5. The treasurer, four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the treasurer, one deputy treasurer who shall be appointed by the treasurer and who shall receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, said salary to be paid in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the treasurer is paid, *provided, however*, that the bond of the treasurer and his deputy shall be executed with a reliable bonding and surety company and that the premiums on said bonds when the same have been duly approved, shall be a charge against the county and payable out of the general fund upon the presentation and filing of duly verified claims therefor with the board of supervisors.

6 The tax collector, four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the tax collector the following clerks, deputies and employees, who shall be appointed by the tax collector, and shall be paid salaries as follows One deputy tax collector at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, one deputy tax collector at a salary of one hundred sixty-five dollars per month, one clerk at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month, one stenographer to the tax collector at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, and such copyists as the tax collector may appoint at a salary of not to exceed three and one-half dollars per day each; *provided, however*, that the total amount of salary and compensation paid to such copyists shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars per annum; one index clerk to be paid at not to exceed one cent for each separate assessment appearing on the rolls each year, such copyists and index clerks to be paid for their services on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of said county their duly verified claims therefor The salaries of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector is paid; *provided, however*, that the compensation of said copyists and said index clerk shall be paid on the presentation and filing of claims with the board of supervisors as hereinbefore provided.

7. The district attorney, six thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the district attorney the following deputies, clerks and employees, who shall be appointed by the district attorney, who shall hold office at the pleasure of the district attorney and shall be paid salaries as follows One deputy district attorney at a salary of three hundred dollars per month, two deputy district attorneys at a salary of two hundred twenty-five dollars per month each; and one stenographer to the district attorney at a salary of one hundred forty-five dollars per month; one stenographer at a salary of one hundred fifteen dollars per month. The salaries of the deputies, clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by the said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the district attorney is paid. The district attorney and his deputies shall be allowed twelve and one-half cents per mile without any constructive mileage for his expenses for traveling, necessarily done by automobile, and his actual traveling expenses when he travels by rail.

8 The superintendent of schools, five thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the superintendent of schools, one deputy superintendent of schools, who shall be appointed by the superintendent of schools, and shall be paid a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month one field deputy superintendent of schools, who shall be appointed by the superintendent of schools to assist the superintendent of schools in the discharge of his duty in visiting and examining schools, as provided by the state law, and it shall be the duty of said field deputy superintendent of schools to make written report of his examination, to be transmitted by the superintendent of schools to each trustee of all districts so examined; said field deputy shall receive a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month, and his actual and necessary traveling expenses while engaged in performing the duties of his office under the direction of the superintendent of schools one deputy superintendent of schools who shall be a registered nurse, to be appointed by the superintendent of schools, and who shall receive a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month The salary of the deputies provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of superintendent of schools is paid.

9. The assessor, six thousand dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the assessor the following clerks, deputies and employees who shall be appointed by the assessor, and shall be paid salaries as follows: Two deputy assessors at a salary of two hundred dollars per month each, one deputy assessor at one hundred sixty-five dollars per month; three field deputy assessors to hold office during not to exceed five months each in any one year, at a salary of one hundred sixty-five dollars per month each; one transfer deputy at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; one stenographer at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and such additional deputy assessors at a salary not to exceed seven and one-half dollars per day each, and such additional clerks at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each as the assessor may appoint. The salaries of the deputy clerks and employees herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid; *provided, however*, that the compensation of said additional deputy assessors at a salary not to exceed seven and one-half dollars per day each and said additional clerks at a salary not to exceed five dollars per day each, shall be paid on the presentation and filing of verified claims with the board of supervisors, as hereinbefore provided. *provided, however*, that in counties of this class the assessor shall receive no compensation or commission for collection of personal property taxes, nor shall such assessor receive any compensation or commission for making out the military roll of persons returned by him as subject to military duty as provided by section one thousand nine hundred one of the Political Code.

10. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law, *provided, however*, that in counties of this class the coroner shall be allowed for general services in holding an inquest, the sum of twenty-five dollars, and there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the county coroner one stenographer to the coroner whose duty it shall be to act as reporter, and take down in shorthand and transcribe into long hand the testimony of the witnesses at all inquests. Said stenographer to the coroner shall be appointed by the coroner and be paid a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, which salary shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county officers are paid. The county coroner is further allowed to rent an office for a sum not to exceed fifteen dollars per month, which rental shall be paid on the presentation and filing of duly verified claims therefor with the board of supervisors of said county. All subpoenas or processes issued by said coroner may be served by any peace officer and fees for such service shall be paid as provided by law.

11. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

12. The surveyor, six thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the surveyor the following deputy and employees, who shall be appointed by the surveyor and hold office at his pleasure. The salary of the deputy herein provided for shall be paid by the said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the surveyor is paid. In addition to the deputy herein provided for the surveyor shall be allowed the following engineers and employees; one engineer at eight and one-half dollars per day, two field engineers at eight and one-half dollars per day each; one draughtsman at seven and one-half dollars per day, four chainmen at five and one-half dollars per day each. *Provided, however*, that the total compensation for said engineers and employees shall not exceed the sum of twelve thousand nine hundred dollars per year, *and provided, further*, that the compensation of said engineers and employees shall be paid by the county on the presentation and filing of claims therefor with the board of supervisors as hereinbefore provided, said payment to be made from the same fund as the salary of the surveyor is paid.

13. For the purpose of regulating the compensation of township justices and constables in counties of the thirteenth class townships shall be classified on the basis of population, said population to be determined by the board of supervisors by multiplying by three the number of registered voters at the last general election next preceding the date of such determination, said census so taken shall be known and shall become the official census of the township in which the same is taken, and the population therein determined shall be and become the official population of such township. Townships having a population of fifteen thousand one or over shall be known as townships of the first class, townships having a population of twelve thousand one to fifteen thousand shall be known as townships of the second class; townships having a population of twelve thousand or less shall be known as townships of the third class, *provided*, that no township shall have a population of less than two thousand, *and provided, further*, that the number of townships in counties of this class shall not exceed five. It shall be the duty of the board of supervisors to fix the boundaries of the townships so that all the territory in counties of the thirteenth class shall be included within a township of the county and shall be comprised within the aforesaid limitations of population. *Provided, further*, that the board of supervisors of counties in this class shall ascertain and determine the population of the townships herein provided for on or before the first day of June, 1926, and thereafter and on or before the first day of July, 1926, shall

fix and establish the boundaries of the townships of the county, said determinations to become effective at noon on the first Monday in January, 1927, except that elections are to be held, as provided by law, in the year 1926, in each township established as herein provided, to fill the offices of justice of the peace and constable for the terms commencing at noon on first Monday in January, 1927, in each of said townships *Provided further*, that the board of supervisors in counties of this class shall on or before the first day of June each four years after the first day of June, 1926, ascertain, determine and declare the population of the several townships of the county for the purpose of fixing the compensation of township officers

14 Justices of the peace shall receive the following salaries to be paid each month as the salaries of county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases Justices of the peace in townships of the first class, two hundred fifty dollars per month; justices of the peace in townships of the second class, two hundred twenty-five dollars per month; justices of the peace in townships of the third class, two hundred dollars per month, *provided*, that there shall be not more than one justice of the peace in each township. Each justice must pay into the county once a month all fines and fees collected by him in criminal and civil cases and the auditor must withhold warrants for salary until a verified statement has been filed by him of all criminal and civil cases tried or filed and fines or fees collected and paid into the county treasury. As a part of his duty as justice of the peace each justice of the peace must maintain an office in the township wherein he is elected. In addition to the monthly salary herein provided for each justice may receive as expenses for maintaining his office such sum as may be necessary not to exceed twenty per cent of the amount allowed him as salary.

15. Constables shall receive the following salaries to be paid each month as salaries of county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, except as hereinafter provided Constables in townships of the first class, two hundred fifty dollars per month, constables in townships of the second class, two hundred twenty-five dollars per month; constables in townships of the third class, two hundred dollars per month, *provided*, that there shall be one constable in each township in counties of this class *provided, further*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed each constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county for traveling expenses outside of his own township, for service of warrants of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law. For serving a coroner's subpoena the same fees and mileage as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for the service of a subpoena issued out of the justice's court For summoning a coroner's jury the same fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed for summoning a jury in a civil action in the justice's court. For transporting prisoners to the county jail the actual expense of such transportation Each constable as a part of his duties must maintain an office in the township wherein he is located and in addition to the monthly salary allowed him herein each constable may receive as expenses for maintaining his office such sum as may be necessary not to exceed twenty per cent of the amount allowed him as salary. In addition to the monthly salary allowed him herein each constable may receive for his own use the fees allowed him by law in civil cases, *provided, further*, that the provisions of subdivisions thirteen, fourteen and fifteen of this act shall not become effective until the termination of the terms of office of the incumbent justices of the peace and constables at noon on the first Monday in January, 1927

16. Each member of the board of supervisors two thousand four hundred dollars per annum for personal services performed by him as supervisor, member of the board of equalization and road commissioner. Each supervisor shall also receive as expenses, as supervisor and road commissioner, not to exceed twenty cents per mile each way traveling to and from his residence while engaged in the performance of the duties of supervision of public roads as commissioner, or other business of the county, said expenses not to exceed fifty dollars in any one month.

17. The bonds of county officers, their assistants, deputies and employees such as required by law to be furnished when executed with a reliable bond and surety company, the cost of said bond when duly approved, shall be a charge against the county payable out of the general fund.

18. The traffic officer, one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the traffic officer the following deputies, which offices are hereby created, who shall be appointed by the traffic officer and be paid salaries as follows: Six deputy traffic officers at a salary of one hundred sixty-five dollars per month each. The salaries of the deputies herein provided for shall be paid by the county monthly at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the traffic officer is paid, *provided*, that all the provisions of this subsection are to apply to the office of the county traffic officer whenever said office of county traffic officer is created by law.

19 Actual, reasonable and necessary expenses shall be allowed all the officers of the county in the discharge of their official duties. Detail expense accounts must be rendered on the first day of each month for the expenses incurred within the previous month For traveling necessarily done by automobile, an officer shall

be allowed mileage at the rate of twelve and one-half cents per mile without any constructive mileage except as herein otherwise provided.

20. *Provided*, that all deputies, assistants and employees herein provided for in addition to the deputies, assistants and employees provided for by any effective law on the fourth day of November, 1924, are hereby declared to be necessary and proper deputies, assistants and employees to be allowed to the principal in each county office herein mentioned during his term of office.

SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code, to be numbered four thousand four hundred forty-two *a*, and to read as follows

4242*a*. The fees of grand jurors and of trial jurors in counties of the thirteenth class, shall be three dollars per day and mileage for each attendance at the rate of seven cents for each mile actually traveled."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "Code" insert the following: "and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered four thousand four hundred forty-two *a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "officers" insert the following: "and grand and trial jurors".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the tenth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", add the following

"Section four thousand two hundred thirty-nine of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

4239. In counties of the tenth class, the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their office, the following salaries, to wit

1. The county clerk, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there is and there is hereby allowed to the county clerk one deputy for each department of the superior court in each of said counties, which offices are hereby created, as provided by section four thousand two hundred ninety of the Political Code of the State of California. Said deputies shall be appointed by said county clerk, shall be court room clerks of said department, and shall each receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, which shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the county clerk is paid. There shall be also and is hereby allowed the said county clerk a chief deputy and two office deputies and one copyist, which offices are hereby created. Said deputies shall be appointed by said county clerk, the chief deputy to receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, and the office deputies each to receive a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month, and the copyist to receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, which salaries shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the county clerk is paid. In each year in which a new and complete registration of voters is required by law, said county clerk shall appoint an additional deputy or deputies, who shall receive the sum of seven and one-half cents per name for taking the affidavits of registration outside of the office of said county clerk, and the claims for their services at said rate shall be presented to and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims are presented and allowed. In each year in which a general election is held the county clerk may appoint assistant clerks, which officers are hereby created, and whose compensation shall not exceed the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars in the aggregate for all assistants so employed. All fees received by this office shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county. All the provisions in this paragraph, are to apply to the present incumbents.

2. The sheriff, three thousand four hundred dollars per annum and such mileage as is now allowed by law and also all fees for service of papers in actions arising outside of this county, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and

hereby is allowed to the sheriff fifteen deputies, whose offices are hereby created, and who shall be appointed by the sheriff, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One chief deputy sheriff at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy sheriff, to act as finger-print expert and photographer, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy sheriff to act as assistant finger-print expert and photographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum one deputy sheriff to act as chief criminal deputy, at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum three deputy sheriffs, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum, one deputy sheriff to act as jailer at a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, one deputy sheriff to act as assistant jailer at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, two deputy sheriffs to act as turnkeys in the jail at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; one deputy sheriff to act as office deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, three deputy sheriffs to act as court bailiffs in the several departments of the superior court at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum.

The salaries of all of said deputies shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the sheriff is paid

All fees and commissions, except as hereinbefore in this paragraph mentioned, shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county

All paragraphs relating to salaries of deputies shall apply to the incumbents.

3 The recorder, three thousand four hundred dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed the recorder four deputies who shall be appointed by the recorder, and shall be paid the following salaries, to wit One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one deputy (who shall have charge of the Torrens work) at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum The salaries of said deputies shall be paid by the county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salaries of the county officers are paid The recorder may also appoint such number of copyists as may be required, who shall be paid by the county at the rate of five cents per folio The compensation of such copyists shall be paid monthly upon claims duly presented to and allowed by the board of supervisors as other claims are presented and allowed All fees and commissions received by this office shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county. Except as to the salary of the recorder, the changes effected by this subdivision shall apply to incumbents.

4. The auditor, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum In counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the auditor the following deputies, whose offices are hereby created and who shall be appointed by the auditor and receive the following salaries One chief deputy, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, two deputies, one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; one deputy, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and such other assistants as the auditor may require, *provided*, that the compensation of such other assistants shall not in the aggregate exceed the sum of four thousand four hundred dollars in any one year, *and provided, further*, that the auditor shall file with the county clerk a verified statement, showing in detail the amounts and the persons to whom said compensation is paid. The salaries of said deputies and assistants herein provided for shall be paid by the said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the auditor is paid. The provisions of this paragraph relating to deputies and assistants shall apply to the incumbents

5. The treasurer, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum In counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the treasurer two deputies, which offices are hereby created, who shall be appointed by the treasurer and receive the following salaries One chief deputy, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and also such assistants as the treasurer may require, *provided*, that the compensation of such assistants shall not in the aggregate exceed the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars in any one year *and provided, further*, that the treasurer shall file with the county auditor a verified statement, showing in detail the amounts and the persons to whom said compensation is paid. The salaries of said deputies and assistants herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the treasurer is paid. All fees pertaining to this office and coming under the supervision of the official capacity to be credited to the county The provisions of this paragraph relating to deputies and assistants shall apply to the incumbents

6 The tax collector three thousand six hundred dollars per annum In counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the tax collector the following deputies, whose offices are hereby created and who shall be appointed by the tax collector: One chief deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per

annum, and such assistants as the tax collector may require; *provided*, that the compensation of such assistants shall not in the aggregate exceed the sum of eleven thousand dollars in any one year *and provided, further*, that the tax collector shall file with the county auditor a verified statement, showing in detail the amounts and the persons to whom said compensation is paid The salaries of said deputies and assistants herein provided for shall be paid by the said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the tax collector is paid The provisions of this paragraph relating to deputies and assistants shall apply to the incumbents

7. The assessor, *four thousand two hundred dollars per annum* In *counties* of this class there shall be allowed to the assessor the following deputies, whose offices are hereby created, and who shall be appointed by the assessor One deputy who shall be chief deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one valuation deputy at a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, one office deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one office deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and such field deputies as the assessor may require, and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars per annum, and *provided*, that the assessor shall file with the county auditor a verified statement showing in detail the amounts and the persons to whom such compensation is paid The assessor shall also be allowed his necessary traveling expenses, not exceeding in any one year the sum of three hundred dollars The salaries of such deputies shall be paid by said *county in monthly installments at the same time and in* the same manner and out of the same fund as county officers are paid. The provisions of this paragraph relating to deputies shall apply to the incumbents All fees and commissions, including commissions on poll taxes, collected by this office shall be turned over to the county and become the property of the county

8 The district attorney, four thousand two hundred dollars per annum In counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the district attorney, one chief deputy and two deputies to be appointed by the district attorney and who shall be regularly admitted to practice before the courts of the State of California. The said chief deputy shall receive a salary of three thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy to receive a salary of two thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one deputy to receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, which said salaries shall be paid by the county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the said district attorney is paid There shall be and there is hereby allowed to the district attorney one stenographer to be appointed by the district attorney at a salary of eighteen hundred dollars per annum, which said salaries shall be paid in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the district attorney The provisions of this paragraph relating to deputies and the stenographer shall apply to the incumbents

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law

10 The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law

11 The superintendent of schools, three thousand four hundred dollars per annum and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of the county. In counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools the following deputies One office deputy, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one office deputy at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, which offices are hereby created, and who shall be appointed by the said superintendent of schools. The salaries of said deputies herein provided for shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid All fees pertaining to this office to be credited to the county The provisions of this paragraph relating to the deputies shall apply to the incumbent.

12. The surveyor, ten dollars per day when actually employed by the county

13. Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month in the same manner and out of the same fund as county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them as such officers (1) In townships having a population of twenty thousand or over, one hundred seventy-five dollars per month (2) in townships having a population of fifteen thousand or over to twenty thousand, one hundred fifty dollars per month, (3) in townships having a population of twelve thousand or over to fifteen thousand, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, (4) in townships having a population of nine thousand or over to twelve thousand, one hundred dollars per month; (5) in townships having a population of six thousand or over to nine thousand, seventy-five dollars per month (6) in townships having a population of three thousand or over to six thousand, fifty dollars per month; (7) in townships having a population less than three thousand, twenty-five dollars per month

14 Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month in the same manner and out of the same fund as county officers are paid,

which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases (1) In townships having a population of twenty thousand or over, one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, (2) in townships having a population of fifteen thousand or over to twenty thousand, one hundred and fifty dollars per month; (3) in townships having a population of twelve thousand or over to fifteen thousand, one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month; (4) in townships having a population of nine thousand or over to twelve thousand, one hundred dollars per month; (5) in townships having a population of six thousand or over to nine thousand, seventy-five dollars per month; (6) in townships having a population of three thousand or over to six thousand, fifty dollars per month (7) in townships having a population less than three thousand, twenty-five dollars per month, *provided, further*, that each constable shall receive his actual and necessary expenses incurred in conveying prisoners to the court or to the county jail. In addition to the compensation received in criminal cases, each constable shall receive and retain for his own use, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services performed by him in civil actions

15. Each supervisor, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, payable in monthly installments, and the necessary actual expenses incurred by him while engaged in county business outside of his district, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of three hundred dollars per annum. In addition to the expenses last above allowed, he shall receive ten cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in county business within the county, not to exceed in the aggregate fifty dollars in any one month.

16 A live stock inspector, three hundred dollars per annum, which shall be in full payment for all services rendered by said inspector

17. For the purposes of subdivisions thirteen and fourteen of this section, the population of the several judicial townships shall be determined by the United States census taken in 1920; *provided*, that the board of supervisors of said county may each four years thereafter cause a census of any or all townships in the county to be taken for the purpose of determining the population of said township or townships upon which to base the salaries of justices of the peace and constables.

18. In counties of this class grand and trial jurors in superior courts shall receive for each day's attendance, per day, the sum of three dollars. In justices' courts in civil cases jurors shall receive for each day's attendance, per day, the sum of two dollars. In justices' and recorders' courts in criminal cases jurors shall receive for each day's attendance, per day, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents. And all jurors shall receive for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from their residences to the place of service, in going only, the sum of fifteen cents per mile, such mileage to be allowed but once during any session of the court where such jurors serve, *provided, however*, that the fees of all trial jurors in civil cases shall be paid by the litigants as other costs are paid, and jurors in criminal cases in recorders' courts shall be paid by the municipality in which such court is or may be established

19. If any paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this section. The Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed each section and each paragraph, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases is declared unconstitutional.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments, and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes."

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of J B. Enright against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto; creating a veterans' welfare finance committee; defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans Welfare Board and

other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof; providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures; appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the words "thirty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the following "twenty".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No 174—An act appropriating money to provide for the grading, paving, curbing, guttering and drainage of those portions of Normal street, Normal-Campus intersection, Campus street, Campus-Meade intersection, and Meade avenue, in San Diego, California, fronting on property of the San Diego State Teachers College.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 10 after the word "education" strike out the period and insert a comma and insert the following words "with the approval of the state board of control."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 69—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 70—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Griffith Company against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading:

Assembly Bill No. 71—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Whittier against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 113—An act to appropriate $887 42 to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for setting back the curbs, constructing concrete curbs and gutters, paving and

widening the area and providing drainage on those portions of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft way fronting upon property of the University of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period following the figure "1921" and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following "by adding four new sections, to be numbered nine, ten, eleven and twelve respectively, relating to the acceptance of gifts, devises and bequests for the endowment and support of municipal hospitals, for the management and control of municipal hospitals, for the leasing and sale of municipal hospitals to non-profit hospital associations, and repealing section eight hundred sixty-two *a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", add the following: Four new sections, to be numbered sections nine, ten, eleven and 12 respectively, are hereby added to an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921, to read as follows

SEC. 9. Whenever there shall be presented to the board of trustees of any incorporated city of the fifth or sixth class in which a municipal hospital has been established, either as in this act provided or otherwise, a proposal or offer to create and establish, or creating and establishing, by gift, devise or bequest or otherwise, an endowment or endowment fund for the maintenance and support of said hospital, including the grounds upon which such hospital is located and which are used in connection therewith, said board of trustees may, and, upon a petition signed by fifteen per cent of the registered, qualified electors of the city, must, submit to the registered, qualified electors of the city, in the manner provided for in section one of this act, the question whether or not said proposal or offer shall be accepted. If a majority of the votes cast upon such question at such election are in favor of accepting said proposal or offer, said proposal or offer shall be deemed accepted and said endowment or endowment fund shall be deemed created according to the terms and conditions of such proposal or offer, and said municipal hospital, together with the grounds upon which the same is located and which may be used in connection therewith, shall thenceforth be managed and conducted in accordance with the terms and conditions of said proposal or offer. Said proposal or offer may include terms and conditions providing for the manner of appointment and removal of members of the board of hospital trustees, their terms of office, hospital standards, hospital rules and regulations, as well as for other matters connected with the management, control and conduct of said hospital.

SEC. 10. The board of trustees of any incorporated city of the fifth or sixth class in which a municipal hospital has been established, under the provisions of this act or otherwise, upon receipt from any hospital association, which is not organized for profit, of a proposal to lease or to purchase said hospital, including all buildings, equipment and lands used in connection therewith, to be operated by said association for hospital purposes, may, and upon a petition signed by fifteen per cent of the registered, qualified electors of said city, must, submit to the registered, qualified electors of said city, in the manner provided for in section one of this act, the question whether or not said proposal shall be accepted. If a majority of the votes cast upon such question at said election are in favor of accepting said proposal, said proposal shall be deemed accepted. The board of trustees of said city shall thereupon forthwith proceed to lease or deed said municipal hospital, and all buildings, equipment and lands used in connection therewith, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said proposal. In the event of such a sale or lease, the board of trustees of said city may, if ever necessary in the opinion of said board, proceed to establish a municipal hospital under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 11. The provisions of this act, in so far as applicable, shall apply to all municipal hospitals, including the buildings and grounds used in connection therewith, heretofore or hereafter established by gift, devise or bequest, or otherwise,

in cities of the fifth and sixth classes, but subject to the then existing terms and conditions of such gift, devise or bequest

SEC. 12. Section eight hundred sixty-two *a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended is hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to provide for the organization and government of municipal corporations consisting of two or more municipalities, or of two or more municipalities and unincorporated territory.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering, providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers, granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board, providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading

Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act, providing penalties for violation of the same, making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act, and repealing an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the seventh and eighth lines of the title of the amended bill, strike out the words "making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act" and insert in lieu thereof the following "creating the "feed inspection fund"".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, lines 5 and 6, of the amended bill, strike out the words "applied in carrying out the provisions of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5 of the amended bill, beginning in line 13, after the words "sec. 13" strike out all words and sentences to and including the word "act" in line 19, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "All moneys collected under the provisions of this act shall be credited to the "feed inspection fund", which fund is hereby created, and shall be held subject to the uses of the department of agriculture for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 20, of the amended bill, strike out the numeral "15" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 28, of the amended bill, strike out the numeral "16" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "15".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers." approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California, and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o*, and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Said commission is". Strike out all of lines 18, 19 and 20 as far as the word "necessary" and insert in lieu thereof the following "Said commission is hereby granted the power to acquire rights of way,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, after the words "abandon any" strike out the words "highway, or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 45 of the printed bill, after the word "is" add the following: "hereby directed to maintain all traversable roads which now are or that may be hereafter included in the state highway system, and said commission is"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the words "regardless of contributory negligence."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, commencing with line 44, strike out all of lines 44, 45, 46, 47 and 48 as far as "state highway."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "g" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "f".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "h" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "g".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "i" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "h".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 7, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the letter "j" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "i".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code, relating to filing permits for the adoption of children

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, before the word "by" strike out the word "either"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out all after the word "same" and all of lines 17 to 21 inclusive and insert in lieu thereof a period, and in line 22 capitalize the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 3 inclusive

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, insert before the word "From" the figure "5."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, before the word "From" insert the figure "6."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill after the period following the word "child" insert the following "Such relinquishment, when reciting that the person making it is entitled to the sole custody of the minor, shall, when duly acknowledged before such officer or secretary, be prima facie evidence of the right of the person making it to the sole custody of the child and such person's sole right to relinquish."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "within" strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "this".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 333—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to charitable, religious or benevolent societies.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up, read and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 28, 1925

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California

I transmit herewith copies of the joint reports of the State Treasurer and State Controller of their proceedings under the various acts designated below, for the year beginning January 1, 1924, and ending December 31, 1924

Sacramento State Building Fund and Sacramento State Building Sinking Fund, under the Sacramento Building Act, 1915, section 6, chapter 235, Statutes of 1913,

San Francisco State Building Fund and San Francisco State Building Sinking Fund, section 7, chapter 541, Statutes of 1913;

State Highway Sinking Fund and Highway Fund, section 7, chapter 383, Statutes of 1909,

Second State Highway Fund and Second State Highway Sinking Fund, under the State Highway Act of 1913, section 7, chapter 404, Statutes of 1913,

Third Highway Fund and Third Highway Sinking Fund,

San Francisco Seawall Sinking Fund, section 5, chapter 211, Statutes of 1903,

Second San Francisco Seawall Sinking Fund and San Francisco Seawall Fund, under San Francisco Harbor Improvement Act of 1909, section 6, chapter 320, Statutes of 1909,

Third San Francisco Seawall Fund and Third San Francisco Seawall Sinking Fund, under San Francisco Harbor Improvement Act of 1913, section 6, chapter 602, Statutes of 1913,

India Basin and India Basin Sinking Fund, Act of 1909, section 6, chapter 407, Statutes of 1909,

University of California Building Interest and Sinking Fund, Act of 1914, section 7, Statutes of 1914.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Govern

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
TREASURER'S OFFICE, SACRAMENTO

REPORTS OF SACRAMENTO STATE BUILDING FUND AND SACRAMENTO STATE BUILDING SINKING FUND, UNDER THE SACRAMENTO STATE BUILDING ACT, 1915.

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR: In compliance wth the provisions of section 6, chapter 235, Statutes of 1913, we herewith beg to submit reports of the proceedings under the above indicated act, and chapter, relative to the above mentioned funds, for the year beginning January 1, and ending December 31, 1924

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer.
By JNO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer.
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF THE SACRAMENTO STATE BUILDING FUND
1924
RECEIPTS.

Date	Item	Amount	Total
Jan. 1	To balance	$1,937,491 64	
Jan 30	To Department of Public Works	55 92	
Mar 1	To Department of Public Works	69 44	
May 1	To Department of Public Works	99 88	
July 3	To Department of Public Works	148 14	
Aug 18	To Department of Public Works	8 56	
Aug 29	To Department of Public Works	2 80	
Oct 11	To Department of Public Works	91 76	
Nov 20	To Department of Public Works	2 10	
Dec 20	To Department of Public Works	10 78	
	Total		$1,937,981 02

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan 31	By payments	$135,685 35	
Feb	By payments	61,409 62	
Mar	By payments	101,223 95	
April	By payments	84,652 18	
May	By payments	138,901 29	
June	By payments	117,262 24	
July	By payments	103,948 06	
Aug.	By payments	100,342 71	
Sept.	By payments	129,520 99	
Oct	By payments	89,698 21	
Nov.	By payments	94,120 58	
Dec.	By payments	231,647 29	
	Total		1,338,412 47
January, 1925, to balance			$549,568 55

REPORT OF SACRAMENTO STATE BUILDING AND SINKING FUND
1924

RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
Jan 1	To balance	$197 62	
Jan 2	To State Treasurer	6,007 50	
June 13	To transfer, General Fund	60,000 00	
July 1	To transfer, General Fund	50,000 00	
July 2	To State Treasurer	6,136 25	
Dec 12	To transfer from General Fund	60,000 00	
	Total		$182,341 37

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan 31	By payments	$5,917 19	
June 28	By payments	60,000 00	
July 5	By payments	56,176 72	
Dec 19	By payments	60,000 00	
	Total		182,093 91
Jan 1, 1925, to balance			$247 46

REPORT OF SAN FRANCISCO STATE BUILDING FUND AND SAN FRANCISCO STATE BUILDING SINKING FUND

Honorable Friend Wm. Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR In conformity with the provisions of section 7, chapter 541, Statutes of 1913, attached herewith we beg to submit reports of the proceedings under said chapter of San Francisco State Building Fund, and San Francisco State Building Sinking Fund, for the year beginning January 1, 1924, and ending December 31, 1924

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By JNO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF SAN FRANCISCO STATE BUILDING FUND
1924

RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
Jan 1	To balance	$5,659 78	
Oct 1	To Department of Public Works	25 00	
			$5,684 78

DISBURSEMENTS

June 12	By payments	$1,895 27	
Sept 30	By payments	3,764 51	
Nov 13	By payments	25 00	
			$5,684 78
1925			
Jan 1	No balance		

REPORT OF SAN FRANCISCO STATE SINKING FUND
1924

RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
Jan 1	No balance		
June 13	To transfer from General Fund	$36,800 00	
Dec 13	To transfer from General Fund	16,400 00	
			$53,200 00

DISBURSEMENTS

June 28	By payments	$36,800 00	
Dec 19	By payments	16,400 00	
			$53,200 00
1925			
Jan 1	No balance		

REPORT OF STATE HIGHWAY SINKING FUND, AND HIGHWAY FUND

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR In accordance with the provisions of section 7, chapter 383, Statutes of 1909, we respectfully submit attached hereto a report of the proceedings of the fund above indicated, for the year beginning January 1, 1924, and ending December 31, 1924

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By JNO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer
RAY L RILEY State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated at Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF HIGHWAY FUND
1924
RECEIPTS

Date	Item	Amount	Total
Nothing			

REPORT OF STATE HIGHWAY SINKING FUND
1924
RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
June 13	To transfer from General Fund	$704,000 00	
Dec 12	To transfer from General Fund	296,000 00	
			$1,000,000 00
	DISBURSEMENTS		
June 21	By payment	$704,000 00	
Dec 19	By payment	296,000 00	
			$1,000,000 00
1925			
Jan 1	No balance		

REPORT OF SECOND STATE HIGHWAY FUND AND SECOND STATE HIGHWAY SINKING FUND UNDER THE STATE HIGHWAY ACT OF 1923

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR In accordance with the provisions of section 7, chapter 404, Statutes of 1913, we herewith beg to submit the attached reports of the proceedings under chapter above mentioned, pertaining to above mentioned funds, covering the period from January 1 to December 31, 1924, inclusive

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By JNO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF SECOND STATE HIGHWAY FUND
1924
RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
Jan 1	To balance	$1,979,525 79	
Feb 1	California Highway	526 80	
Mar 1	California Highway	4,643 77	
April	California Highway	44,587 62	
May 2	California Highway	9,755 88	
June 30	California Highway	43,556 53	
July 31	California Highway	250 04	
Aug 29	California Highway	213 59	
Oct 28	California Highway	981 27	
Oct 28	To Department of Agriculture	118,517 17	
Nov 17	To United States Department of Agriculture	80,057 27	
Nov 26	To United States Department of Agriculture	96,764 51	
Nov 18	To California Highway	90,485 40	
Dec 29	To Department of Agriculture	363,315 40	
Dec 31	To California Highway	27,981 72	
	Total		$2,861,162 76

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan	By payments	$78,249 51	
Feb	By payments	60,621 60	
Mar	By payments	215,822 17	
April	By payments	213,221 59	
May	By payments	168,949 12	
June	By payments	329,946 15	
July	By payments	207,230 20	
Aug	By payments	156,332 49	
Sept	By payments	213,703 00	
Oct	By payments	150,383 39	
Nov	By payments	106,036 62	
Dec	By payments	244,856 10	
	Total		2,145,351 94
1925			
Jan 1	To balance		$715,810 82

REPORT OF SECOND STATE HIGHWAY SINKING FUND

1924

RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
June 13	To transfer from General Fund	$704,062 50	
Dec 12	To transfer from General Fund	320,625 00	
			$1,024,687 50

DISBURSEMENTS

June 28	By payments	$400,000 00	
	By payments	304,062 50	
Dec 19	By payments	320,625 00	
			$1,024,687 50
1925			
Jan 1	No balance		

REPORT OF THIRD HIGHWAY FUND AND THIRD HIGHWAY SINKING FUND

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR Attached hereto we beg to submit a report of the proceedings of the above indicated funds for the period beginning January 1 to December 31, 1924, inclusive

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By JNO G McGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF THIRD HIGHWAY FUND

1924

RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
Jan 1	To balance	$2,896,911 15	
Jan 2	To United States Department of Agriculture	304,511 09	
Feb 1	To Highway Commission	97,099 82	
Feb 24	To United States Department of Agriculture	214,864 45	
Mar 1	To Highway Commission	207,433 71	
Mar 27	To Department of Agriculture	229,140 97	
Apr 1	To Highway Commission	9,864 59	
Apr 18	To Department of Agriculture	134,354 35	
May 2	To California Highway	143,759 00	
May 31	To Department of Agriculture	367,296 38	
June 2	To Department of Agriculture	271,792 56	
June 2	To California Highway	275,328 50	
July 2	To California Highway	262,570 67	
July 2	To Department of Agriculture	213,567 56	
July 2	To State Treasurer, sale of bonds	3,181,500 00	
Aug 2	To Department of Agriculture	540,320 00	
Aug 2	To California Highway	231,858 96	
Sept	To California Highway	15,000 00	
Sept	To Department of Agriculture	425,245 34	
Oct	To Department of Agriculture	259,127 51	
Oct	To California Highway	257,653 62	
Nov	To California Highway	260,896 38	
Dec	To California Highway	379,786 36	

DISBURSEMENTS

January	$900,482 72	
February	605,755 02	
March	792,759 77	
April	549,012 31	
May	540,218 76	
June	733,158 76	
July	741,422 02	
August	633,178 71	
September	804,525 14	
October	617,257 73	
November	1,085,308 23	
December	754,534 90	
		8,757,633 55
January 1, 1925 To balance		$2,422,549 42

REPORT OF THIRD STATE HIGHWAY INTEREST AND SINKING FUND
1924

RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
June 13	To transfer from General Fund	$910,487 50	
July 11	To State Treasurer	2,625 00	
Dec 12	Transfer from General Fund	975,362 50	
			$1,888,475 00

DISBURSEMENTS

June 28	By payment	$910,487 50	
Dec 19	By payment	977,987 50	
			$1,888,475 00
1925			
Jan 1	No balance		

REPORT OF SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL SINKING FUND

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR Pursuant to the provisions of section 5, chapter 211, Statutes of 1903, we beg to hand you herewith report of the proceedings under said chapter, of the San Francisco Seawall Sinking Fund for the calendar year ending December 31, 1924

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By JNO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL SINKING FUND
1924

RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
Jan 1	Balance	$398 74	$398 74

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan 17	By transfer to San Francisco Harbor Improvement	$398 74	$398 74
1925			
Jan 1	No balance		

REPORT OF SECOND SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL SINKING FUND AND SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL FUND UNDER SAN FRANCISCO HARBOR IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 1909

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR In accordance with the provisions of section 6, chapter 320, Statutes of 1909, we beg to submit the attached reports of the proceedings under the above indicated chapter for the calendar year, January 1 to December 31, 1924

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By JNO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF SECOND SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL FUND
1924
RECEIPTS

Date 1924		Item	Amount	Total
Jan	1	To balance	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
		DISBURSEMENTS		
July	8	By payment	$1,000 00	$1,000 00
1925				
Jan	1	No balance		

REPORT OF SECOND SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL SINKING FUND
1924
RECEIPTS

Date 1924		Item	Amount	Total
Feb	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	$30,000 00	
Mar	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
Apr	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
May	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
June	2	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
June	13	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
Aug	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
Sept	2	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
Oct	9	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
Nov	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	30,000 00	
Dec	12	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	60,000 00	
				$360,000 00
		DISBURSEMENTS		
June	28	By payment	$180,000 00	
Dec	19	By payment	180,000 00	
				$360,000 00
1925				
Jan	1	No balance		

REPORT OF THIRD SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL FUND AND THIRD SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL SINKING FUND, UNDER THE SAN FRANCISCO HARBOR IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 1913

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR In accordance with the provisions of section 6, chapter 602, Statutes of 1913, we beg to submit herewith, reports of the proceedings under said chapter of the Third San Francisco Seawall Fund and Sinking Fund for the calendar year, January 1 to December 31, 1924

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By JNO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF THIRD SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL FUND
RECEIPTS

Date 1924		Item	Amount	Total
Jan	1	To balance	$463,635 15	
Nov	15	To State Treasurer—sale of bonds	2,000,000 00	
				$2,463,635 15
		DISBURSEMENTS		
Jan		By payments	$2,726 31	
Feb		By payments	206,914 73	
Mar		By payments	39,376 19	
April		By payments	18,482 27	
May		By payments	3,678 69	
June		By payments	63,272 43	
July		By payments	25,167 83	
Aug		By payments	18,063 06	
Sept		By payments	11,530 74	
Oct		By payments	18,850 59	
Nov		By payments	13,704 88	
Dec		By payments	10,124 31	
				421,892 03
1925				
Jan	1	To balance		$2,041,743 12

REPORT OF THIRD SAN FRANCISCO SEAWALL SINKING FUND
1924
RECEIPTS

Date 1924		Item	Amount	Total
Jan	1	No balance		
Feb	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	$10,000 00	
Mar	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
Apr	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
May	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
June	2	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
June	13	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
Aug	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
Sept	2	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
Oct	9	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
Nov	10	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	10,000 00	
Nov	15	State Treasurer, interest and premiums	28,444 44	
Dec	1	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	15,777 78	
Dec	12	To transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	15,777 78	
				$160,000 00

DISBURSEMENTS

Dec.	19	By payment		$160,000 00
1925				
Jan	1	No balance		

REPORT OF INDIA BASIN AND INDIA BASIN SINKING FUND, ACT OF 1909

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR As provided under section 6, chapter 407, Statutes of 1909, we respectfully beg to submit reports of the above indicated funds for the calendar year ending December 31, 1924

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By JNO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF INDIA BASIN FUND
1923
RECEIPTS

Date 1924		Item	Total
Jan	1	To balance	$451 28

No transactions during 1924

REPORT OF INDIA BASIN SINKING FUND
1924
RECEIPTS

Date 1924		Item	Amount	Total
Jan		No balance		
Feb	1	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	$2,843 35	
Mar	1	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 33	
April	1	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 33	
May	1	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 33	
June	2	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 33	
June	13	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 33	
Aug	1	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 35	
Sept	2	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 33	
Oct	9	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 33	
Nov	1	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	2,843 33	
Dec	12	Transfer from San Francisco Harbor Improvement	5,686 66	
				$34,120 00

DISBURSEMENTS

June	28	By payments	$17,060 00	
Dec	19	By payments	17,060 00	
				$34,120 00
1925				
Jan	1	No balance		

REPORT OF UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BUILDING INTEREST AND SINKING FUND, ACT OF 1914

Honorable Friend Wm Richardson,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, California

DEAR SIR. Appended herewith we submit a report of the proceedings under section 7 of the above indicated act, for the year beginning January 1, and ending December 31, 1924

CHARLES G JOHNSON, State Treasurer
By INO H MCGEHEE, Deputy State Treasurer.
RAY L RILEY, State Controller
By C E COOPER, Deputy State Controller

Dated, Sacramento, California, January 31, 1925

REPORT OF UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BUILDING INTEREST AND SINKING FUND
1924

RECEIPTS

Date 1924	Item	Amount	Total
Jan	No balance		
June 13	To transfer from General Fund	$36,900 00	
Dec 12	To transfer from General Fund	76,900 00	
			$113,800 00

DISBURSEMENTS

June 28	By payments	$36,900 00	
Dec 19	By payments	76,900 00	
			$113,800 00
1925			
Jan 1	No balance		

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

This is to inform your honorable bodies that I have signed Assembly Bill No 19 and Assembly Bill No 1175.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

This is to inform your honorable bodies that I have today signed Assembly Bill No 1001

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No 127 is returned herewith without my approval This bill contains a technical error which might vitiate the law and even destroy the beneficial purposes of the present act

The author has requested that the bill be returned without approval so that a substitute bill may be introduced

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 204—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3244*a*, relating to the hours of labor of employees and guards at the State prisons.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Browne, Oliva, and Reindollar—3.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey,

Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Rumner, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 550—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the matters to be stated in contracts and receipts issued by such employment agencies, providing for standard and uniform forms of contracts and receipts to be prepared by the Commissioner of Labor and providing that an employer must so state on the reverse side of an employment contract or receipt if the applicant was not employed or if he was discharged in less than seven days, as the case may be.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate on March 18, 1925, insert after the word "thereof" the words "and a fee therefor"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Williamson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 550, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Oliva moved that rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 393—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale and use of poisons in the State of California and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved March 6, 1907, as amended, relating to poisons.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 393 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs,

Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rutner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 17 read.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Heisinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "districts" strike out all matter to the period in line 24

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "be" insert the following "*Provided, however*, that an isolated county or counties of insufficient population or territory to constitute a district may be added to an adjoining district;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, after the "period", insert the following: "*Provided, further*, in the formation of such senatorial and assembly districts, not more than one district shall be taken from any county by any reapportionment act."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Heisinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HEISINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for adoption.

RECESS.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m. the Speaker declared the Assembly at recess for the purpose of being addressed by Hon. Walter F Lineberger, Congressman from the Ninth California District, Long Beach.

Congressman Lineberger was presented to the Assembly by the Speaker.

REASSEMBLED.

At eleven o'clock and fifteen minutes a.m. the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16—Relative to protective tariff on cement.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Cleveland, Dayton, Easley, Melville, and Spalding—6.
NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dodge, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

Assembly Bill No 158—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. W. Levers against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 158 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1180—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1180 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 808—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. K Landram, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 808 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder,

Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1229 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 863—An act to amend section 1208 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon animals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 863 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1023 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—40.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to supervise, regulate and control the transportation and sale of poultry; to provide rules and regulations therefor and provide a penalty for violations thereof.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 169 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60
NOES—Brock, Little, and West—3.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof." approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of labor of male and female drug clerks.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Browne moved that Assembly Bill No 387 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. West, Lyons, Williamson, Hornblower and Rosenshine, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Browne to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 387 to Committee on Labor and Capital.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer carried by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotor, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Rosenshine, Runner, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—36
NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Campbell, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murray, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—34.

Assembly Bill No. 387 ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Assembly Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of such funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, referring to teachers' retirement salaries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 325 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Muller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 483—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 483 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Rosenshine gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 483 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad crosses such state line to be a public highway and making an appropriation for the improvement thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 100 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts,

Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, the following amendment was submitted by Mr. Browne:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "public" and insert in lieu thereof the word "state"

Amendment adopted.

Title as amended read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 653 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Burns, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Miller, J. A., Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Smith, and Williamson—14.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Reindollar gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 653 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to provide for the investigation of matters relating to the public welfare in connection with the welfare of women and children in the State of California by a committee of nine women to be appointed by the Governor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Coombs moved that the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 728 be made a special order for two o'clock p.m. of this day.

Motion lost.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and three minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mrs. Woodbridge:

ACCOUNT LEGISLATORS' BALL.

COLLECTIONS.

Assembly	$228 00
Senate	114 00
Total	$342 00

EXPENSES

Music	$113 00
Punch, Sacramento Hotel	100 00
Decorations, Cox & Co.	25 00
Ribbon badges, Walter N. Brunt Co., San Francisco	31 84
Confetti and favors, Charles Wilkinson	47 65
Total	$317 49

RECAPITULATION.

Total collections	$342 00
Total expenses	317 49
Balance on hand	$24 51

WOODBRIDGE,
Chairman Finance Committee, Assembly.
TUBBS,
Chairman Finance Committee, Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—Proposed amendment to article IX of the constitution, relative to the Director of Education—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON REVISION AND PRINTING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revision and Printing, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

ADAMS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved

May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending section numbered 102 thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend section 36 of the Motor Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, relating to registrations,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 80—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 502, relating to carrying animals on automobiles,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 337—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or to enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923, and add six new sections thereto to be numbered 164, 165, 166, 167, 168 and 169—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 27—A resolution to propose to the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1*a* of article XIII thereof, relating to the exemption from taxation of colleges and secondary schools accredited to the University of California,

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said

State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 15 of article XIII thereof, relating to the taxation of publicly owned utilities,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption.

ON BANKING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Senate Bill No 93—An act defining credit unions, providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SPALDING, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following,

Assembly Bill No. 470—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of director of said department; providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof, providing for the furnishing of information in certain cases by said director to the Commissioner of Corporations and the Surveyor General; providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the department of petroleum and gas, creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913

Also Assembly Bill No 170—An act to amend sections 438 and 422 and to repeal section 442 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings;

Also Assembly Bill No 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44 47 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale;

Also Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend the title of and revise an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, and to include therein provisions for work in, under and upon and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, together with any of the same which may form the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county whether they be wholly or partly within or without the boundaries of such municipality and in, under and upon any publicly owned property and rights of way whether within or without a municipality, and in and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article 1 of the constitution of the State of California, for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; for the formation, management and dissolution of districts

to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder, and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and for county and in all of such work.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617½, relating to the selling or leasing of real property upon which no public school is being maintained;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also; Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined, to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also; Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 53 and 57 thereof, relating respectively to the construction of works and the compensation of officers;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 290—An act declaring a certain highway between Mission San Jose and Dublin by way of Sunol in the county of Alameda to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend sections 1775 and 1778 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of teachers certificates;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, including any property over which possession and right of use have been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 1001—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the State Highway Commission for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County—and reports that the same

has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this first day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V thereof, relative to the compensation of State officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. McDonough:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts, relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Miss Miller:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 507—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District Act,' creating a consolidated irrigation, protection and reclamation district, subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District,' for the purpose of taking over the water rights and water system of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and of the stockholders thereof; the levees, properties and functions of the Palo Verde Joint Levee District of Riverside and Imperial Counties, California, the properties and functions of the Palo Verde Drainage District, and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable low lands of Palo Verde Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, destruction of mosquito pests, and protecting all the lands within the district, and the water system, from flood waters of the Colorado River and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, protection and reclamation systems through a single district organization; providing also for the assumption, funding and payment of the bond and other obligations of said Palo Verde Mutual Water Company and said levee and drainage districts, and for the issuance of bonds for all of the aforesaid purposes; and providing for the payment, funding and refunding of all such indebtedness; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized, and for the organization, management and control of the district through a board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments to finance the acquisition of the properties, to carry on the construction work, maintenance and operation of the same, and for the payment of bonds and the expense of maintaining the district created hereby;

providing also a means for dissolving said district," approved June 21, 1923, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section fifteen a, whereby the "Palo Verde Irrigation District" authorized to be created by the act above mentioned, shall be empowered to authorize and issue bonds of the district for redemption of bonds of the Palo Verde Joint Levee District of Riverside and Imperial Counties, California, and of the Palo Verde Drainage District and of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, to exchange bonds of the district for such bonds or to make use of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the district for the redemption of all such bonds, and to assess all of the lands and improvements within the Palo Verde Irrigation District uniformly for the payment of principal and interest of all such redemption or refunding bonds

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 507 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 10½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the practice of optometry;

Also: Senate Bill No. 678—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;

Also: Senate Bill No. 272—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 401, relating to the return of files of cases relating to real property and which have been transferred for trial, to the court in which the action was begun;

Also: Senate Bill No. 796—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses for such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 201 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 678 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 272 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 796 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee of Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage to Assembly Bill No. 267—An act to amend section 1425 of the Penal Code, relating to jurisdiction of justices' courts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 321—An act amending sections 378 and 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, 379*b*, 379*c* and 391, all relating to the joinder of parties to actions;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 947—An act to amend section 2639 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors over roads and highways of the county.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 51—An act to amend section 631*a* of the Political Code, relating to the publication of notice of withdrawal of insurance companies from this State;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing combination insurance policies;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend sections 16 and 18½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 7, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of re-insurance companies to re-insure the business of county fire insurance companies;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 277—An act to repeal section 3310 of the Political Code, relating to auctioneers.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 728—An act to provide for the investigation of matters relating to the public welfare in connection with the welfare of women and children in the State of California by a committee of nine women, to be appointed by the Governor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 728 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Duval, Foster, Hartranft, Lyons, McPherson, Mixter, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—22.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—49.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Murray moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 590 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner,

Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.
NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED NINETY.

Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Melville moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 29 to 38, inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Melville as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 590, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MELVILLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Murphy moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1235 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Pierce, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.
NOES—Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cattenden, Croter, Dorris, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Spalding, West, and Williamson—23.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE

Assembly Bill No. 1235—An act to amend section 4021*a* of the Political Code, relating to recall of officers of school districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1235 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Schmidt, Spalding, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—23.
NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Lyons,

McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Pierce, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—48

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Cleveland waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 708 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 708 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Rosenshine waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 483 was passed this day

Assembly Bill No. 483 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Miss Broughton waived her notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 509 was passed

Assembly Bill No. 509 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Carter waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 208 was passed

Assembly Bill No. 208 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Walters moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No 619 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 723—An act to amend section 4041*f* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Olivia, Pierce, Remdollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

Assembly Bill No 299—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District' to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of

said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 55—An act to amend section 2969 of the Civil Code, relating to levy of writs of attachments and executions

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 55 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Senate Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 66 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 209—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 209 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 471—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 471 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—Browne—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

I voted against Senate Bill No 471 because it is not broad enough to cover the moving picture operators and regular plays It is directed at the vaudeville and dancing teachers and the amendment changing the age from 12 to 8 years is

not favored by me For these reasons I could not vote for the bill even though I believe in the principle the bill tries to carry out

MAURICE B. BROWNE.

Senate Bill No. 549—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, by providing for penalties for violations of the said act.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 549 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 548—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the license fees to be paid by licensed employment agencies and surety bonds required of them.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 548 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Derris, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 219—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¼ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 219 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 538—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for livestock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle; to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas; to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals; to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act; to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 538 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 627—An act to amend section 642 of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to the withdrawing of shares of stock and investment certificates issued by building and loan associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 627 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Little—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*a* and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State; providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Murphy moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 3, 1925, in line 9 of the title, after the comma following the word "therefor" insert the following "approved March 18, 1889, as amended,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 3, 1925, in line 9 after the comma, but before the quotation marks, following the word "therefor" insert the following "approved March 18, 1889, as amended,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 3, 1925, commencing with the word "quarantine" in line 4, strike out all down to and including the word "thereof" in line 19, and, in lieu thereof, insert the following "ascertain, fix and proclaim the boundaries of a quarantine district or area wherein such disease exists or has existed and to establish, proclaim and maintain a quarantine of such district or area and of all animals therein, and to forbid, prevent or restrict the movement of all animals from or into such district or area or from place to place therein, during the existence of such quarantine He is hereby further authorized and empowered, whenever in his judgment such action shall be necessary to make such quarantine effective, to regulate, restrict or restrain the movements of persons, vehicles, farm equipment, farm and dairy products and other materials from or into such quarantine district or area, or from place to place therein, during the existence of such quarantine, *provided, however*, that, under such precautions and safeguards as he shall deem proper, he may authorize the continuance of traffic over and along any roads or highways traversing such quarantine district or area and may impose as a condition thereto that no person or vehicle permitted to travel on any such road or highway shall depart from such road or highway while within such quarantined district or area. He is also hereby further authorized and empowered to order all animals within such quarantined district or area to be detained for purposes of

examination or inspection at any place or places specified by him in such order, and to require the destruction of all animals which may be found therein affected with any such disease, and of all animals found therein which have been so exposed thereto as to be dangerous to themselves or other animals, and to require a proper disposal to be made of the hides and carcasses of all animals so destroyed. He is also hereby further authorized and empowered to prescribe, promulgate and enforce all necessary rules and regulations for cleaning and disinfecting any premises where such disease exists or has existed, and such other regulations as he may deem necessary to eradicate such disease and to prevent the dissemination thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 3, 1925, commencing with the word "failing" in line 35, strike out all down to and including the word "act" in line 38, and, in lieu thereof, insert the following: "who shall remove or cause to be removed any animal from within the boundaries of any quarantined district, area or premises established under the authority of this act, except upon the conditions herein prescribed, or who shall, without authority, bring or cause to be brought any animal into any such quarantined district, area or premises, or who shall move or cause to be moved any animal from place to place within any such quarantined district, area or premises, except by the direction or permission of the director of agriculture or his authorized representative in charge, or who shall resist the destruction of any animal suffering from or exposed to any of the diseases specified in section four *a* hereof, or who shall hide or secrete any such animal to prevent the destruction thereof, or who shall fail or refuse to dispose of the hide or carcass of any animal destroyed pursuant to the provisions of said section, when directed or required so to do by the director of agriculture or his authorized representative in charge, or who shall fail or refuse to clean or disinfect any premises whereon any such disease exists or has existed, when directed so to do as aforesaid, or who violates any quarantine order regulating, restricting or restraining the movements of persons, vehicles, farm equipment, farm and dairy products into or from any such quarantined district, area or premises, or from place to place within the same, or who shall violate the conditions of any permit authorizing the grantee or grantees thereof to travel upon any road or highway within any such quarantined district, area or premises, or who shall violate any of the remaining provisions of this act.".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Murphy as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 312, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MURPHY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 3465 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed salt marsh and tidelands.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 779 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 354—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots ten, eleven and twelve in block four of Diestelhorst's addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block five and lots six and seven in block six of said Diestelhorst's addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 354 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 753—An act to provide for the approval of plans for the construction or alteration of county jails by the Immigration and Housing Commission.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 753 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Cleveland, Fry, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Noyes, Scudder, and Spalding—10.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 482—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to funds of the said society.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 482 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar,

Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Roland gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 482 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 963—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Dorris moved that Assembly Bill No. 963 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 963 re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Assembly Bill No. 964—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 7 thereof, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Dorris moved that Assembly Bill No. 964 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 964 re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of the Committee on Free Conference was received, read and ordered printed in the Journal:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Maloney, Murphy, and Jones, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments, and that the bill be further amended as follows.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title after the word "act", strike out the words "to provide" and insert in lieu thereof the following "to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered one thousand one hundred ninety-seven *c*, relating to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the amended bill, after the period following the figure "1", insert the following "A new section to be numbered one thousand one hundred ninety-seven *c* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows: 1197*c*. 1."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 20, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 26, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 4, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec"

LITTLE,
DUVAL,
SCUDDER,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was received, read and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mrs. Woodbridge:

WHEREAS, The time for completion of the work of this body is very short, and

WHEREAS, The measures now under consideration are important and must receive the careful and undisturbed attention of this body, therefore be it

Resolved, That visitors and lobbyists be provided with seats in the rear of the room, and that members be permitted to remain undisturbed at their desks during the hours when this House is in session, except upon the request of members.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of the Insurance Commissioner and of the Board of Equalization with respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

McPHERSON, *Chairman*.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article XX thereof, relative to proportional representation;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 33—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted as amended

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries—and herewith returns the same for the purpose of having the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Assembly Bill No. 779 ordered returned to the Senate.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented: By Mr. Wright, S V.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 9—An act to amend section 2192 of the Political Code, relating to commitment of incompetents other than insane persons to State hospitals;

Also: Senate Bill No 15—An act to provide for the survey and construction of a State highway from Governor's Camp, in the California Redwood Park, to the coast road at the point where said coast road crosses the divide between Waddell Creek and Scott Creek, and making an appropriation therefor.

Also: Senate Bill No. 50—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer.

Also: Senate Bill No. 176—An act appropriating $50 000 for the construction and maintenance of fire lanes and trails on the mountains composing the watersheds of Los Angeles County.

Also: Senate Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Also Senate Bill No 386—An act to amend sections 6, 11, and 16 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited; to pay the cost and expense thereof," approved May 18, 1919, as amended and to add to said act a section relating to re-assessments, to be numbered 24*b*;

Also Senate Bill No. 802—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 640*a*, for the prevention of the fraudulent operation of slot machines or coin receptacles, or making or furnishing devices to defraud owners of the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof;

Also. Senate Bill No 790—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1381, relating to notices of application for adminis-

tration to be given to consular representatives of foreign countries where the application for administration is made upon the estates of their deceased nationals.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 9 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 15 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 50 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No 176 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No. 474 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No. 386 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 802 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 790 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 754—An act to amend sections 17, 23, 30, and 32 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, relating to dwellings and areas of courts and window area and height of rooms;

Also Senate Bill No. 39—An act to amend section 457 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the watchmen in the office of the State Treasurer;

Also Senate Bill No. 699—An act concerning the water front of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to expend the sum of $25,000 for advertising the port of San Francisco in foreign publications and in newspapers published in the United States for the purpose of promoting traffic through said port, and authorizing the withdrawal of said moneys from the San Francisco Harbor Improvement Fund;

Also Senate Bill No. 696—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the State Harbor Commissioner to pay fines levied by the Interstate Commerce Commission in connection with the operation of the Belt Railroad out of the San Francisco harbor improvement fund in an amount not exceeding $900;

Also Senate Bill No. 215—An act making an appropriation for the restoration, care and upkeep of the Mission San Francisco del Solano;

Also Senate Bill No. 128—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of Mad River from erosion by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof;

Also Senate Bill No 308—An act making an appropriation for the Calaveras River Flood Control project of the City of Stockton, California;

Also Senate Bill No 13—An act making an appropriation for the encouragement of county agricultural fairs and providing for the distribution of the moneys hereby appropriated;

Also: Senate Bill No. 446—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Lake and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway and authorizing the board of supervisors of Lake County to convey said road to the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 754 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 39 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Senate Bill No 699 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 696 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 215 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Senate Bill No. 128 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 308 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Senate Bill No. 13 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 446 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 443—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the County of Mendocino and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Mendocino County to convey said road to the State of California;

Also Senate Bill No. 130—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Del Norte, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Del Norte County to convey said road to the State of California,

Also Senate Bill No. 439—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Blythe in the county of Riverside to a point on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Arizona to be selected by the State Highway Commission, and also a connecting highway from a point on the present Mecca to Blythe State highway to a point on the present San Bernardino to Yuma State highway;

Also Senate Bill No 336—An act providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the economic, sanitary and educational conditions, needs and general welfare of the Indians of California, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 to cover the cost of such investigation

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 443 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 130 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 439 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 336 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to the creation of a committee for the study of the blind, for the purpose of investigating institutions for the care of the blind in California, to recommend measures for the education and rehabilitation of the blind, and making an appropriation therefor.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18 read, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to

propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 14 of article XIII, relating to exemptions of property on account of military service.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to election precincts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 683—An act to amend section 1357 of the Political Code, relating to procuring ballots by absent voters;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 562—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1131—An act to establish Gold Discovery Day;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 184—An act to validate the organization and incorporation of municipal corporations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 21—An act declaring the public highway extending from Irwin street within the corporate limits of the city of San Rafael, in Marin County, California, to Point San Quentin in Marin County, California, to be a State highway.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act, to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing for the revocation or suspension, in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, with reference to the powers and duties of the commissioner of the said bureau and his deputies, so as to enlarge his power with reference to issuing subpoenas by making it a misdemeanor offense to wilfully ignore same, to add to the enumerated places of labor to which it shall be a misdemeanor offense to refuse him admission, or to furnish him statistics or information regarding, to provide for the collection of costs from defendants in official actions brought by the commissioner for wages and penalties due claimants, to give the said commissioner the right to file in his own name preferred labor claims and "stop orders" on behalf of workers, and the right to apply directly to the courts for warrants for violations of any of the labor laws delegated to him for enforcement, and to prosecute criminal actions so instituted, with or without the consent and assistance of the district attorney of the county in which such actions are brought, and providing for the transfer by the commissioner of trust money uncalled for within one year by the claimants on whose behalf it was collected to the State Treasurer to be held by him in a "labor bureau fund" and to be paid out by him to the rightful claimants, or their successors and assigns, if they appear.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of judgments against counties, cities, cities and counties and towns," approved March 23, 1901.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and five minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Thursday, April 2, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, April 2, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rabbi Harold F. Reinhart of Sacramento, California.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Browne, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Mueller was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Oliva and Miller, Messrs. John A. Picone and C. Ciancimino of San Francisco, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Miss Margaret Patterson, teacher of the Civics No 2 Class, Sutter Junior High School, and the following students: Sanford Kauffman, George Idemoto, Lois Leak, Vivian Talbot, Edna Legg, Berta Hale, Neva Porter, Blanch Paston, Lois Hughes, Ada Gardner, Irene Courtright, Margaret Mehling, Cesara Grippi, Rosalie Murray, Leona Wood, Marie Poncioni, Elsie Lawson, Charlotte Pires, Roserene Richardson, Ethel Kunz, Blanch Meredith, Nan Price, Clara Louise Statzell, and Blanche Kelly were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Schmidt, Messrs. P. J. Maloney, Walter Brown, William Madison, and Dr. Westrup of San Francisco, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 30, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 342—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds, to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 13*a*—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1273—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 15 of article XIII thereof, relating to the taxation of publicly owned utilities;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1*a* of article XIII thereof relating to the exemption from taxation of colleges and secondary schools accredited to the University of California;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V thereof, relative to the compensation of State officers;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 69—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 70—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Griffith Company against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 71—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Whittier against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to appropriate $887.42 to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for setting back the curbs, constructing concrete curbs and gutters, paving and widening the area and providing drainage on those portions of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft way fronting upon property of the University of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of J. B. Enright against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9*a*, and to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to disposition of funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 580—An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps must be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land in subdivisions except by reference to said recorded maps, and to repeal an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 640—An act to amend section 20 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the labeling of market milk;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, by amending section 30 and repealing section 155 thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 3480 of the Political Code, relating to the issuance of bonds of reclamation districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1156—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1424, to chapter I of title XI of part II of the Penal Code, relating to the rights of complaining witnesses in criminal proceedings;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California

Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the reclamation board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States; And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to provide for the disposition of certain material of the former geological survey of California delivered to the president of the University of California pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 27, 1897.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to add a new title to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend Senate Bill No. 579 and Assembly Bill No. 1029, as follows:

In section 831, subsection 1, strike out from lines 10, 11 and 12 the words "or of an estate or interest therein, or for the determination in any form, of such right or interest." Strike out from line 13 the words "to real property" and insert in lieu thereof the words "thereto", so that the first paragraph of said subsection shall read: "For the recovery of real property and for injuries thereto".

In section 831*b*, in line 15, page 2, of the bill, strike out the words "statement of claim" and insert in lieu thereof the word "complaint". In section 831*d*, subsection 1, in line 32, strike out the words "statement of claim" and insert in lieu thereof the word "complaint".

Commencing with line 41, strike all the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

CHAPTER II

Civil Proceedings in Municipal Courts.

831*c*. Civil actions in the municipal courts shall be commenced and prosecuted in the manner provided by law for the commencement and prosecution of civil actions in the superior courts of this State, except

(1) The summons shall direct the defendant to appear and answer within five days after summons is served if served within the city within which the action is brought, within twenty days if served elsewhere

831*f* The rules of pleading and practice applicable to the prosecution of civil actions and enforcement of judgments in the superior court of this State shall apply to and govern the prosecution and maintenance of civil actions and enforcement of judgments in the municipal courts of this State except as follows

(1) In cases tried by the court without a jury the court shall not be required to make any written findings of fact and conclusions of law where the matter involved is three hundred dollars ($300) or less, exclusive of interest and costs, and in all other cases written findings of fact and conclusions of law shall be deemed to be waived unless they shall be expressly requested by one of the parties at the time of the trial.

(2) Where the demand, exclusive of interest, or the value of the property in controversy does not exceed three hundred dollars, the defendant at his option, in lieu of demurrer and other answer, may file a general written denial verified by his own oath and a brief statement similarly verified, of any new matter constituting a defense or counterclaim.

(3) At any time after issue of fact is joined, the court upon its own motion may, and upon the written demand of any party shall, cite all parties to appear before the court at a time and place certain for summary proceedings

Such citation may be served upon the party personally or upon his attorney of record. It must be served not less than five days before the return day.

Each party must appear personally, or by person or persons having knowledge of the facts and authorized in writing by such party so to appear, and with or without counsel as he may desire. If a party is an assignee of a cause of action, counterclaim or cross-complaint, in addition to any other person he shall procure the presence of the first assignor thereof or its agent making the assignment, if he be available. For any person whose presence is herein required, subpoenae shall be issued by the clerk at the request of any party. If clear proof be made that no person having knowledge of the facts constituting the cause of action, defense, counterclaim or cross-complaint is available, the party may by his counsel, make the statement herein provided, in which case any other party at his option may make his statement by counsel only.

At such time, or other time or times to which the proceeding may be continued, the judge shall require the parties, or the person or persons appearing respectively in their behalf, to state under oath the facts upon which the respective claims and defenses of the parties are based. If a party is authorized by the provisions hereof to appear by counsel only, his counsel shall state the facts upon which his claim or defense is based. The court shall regulate the order of making the statements as justice requires.

Such statements, together with all that occurs at such examination, shall be taken down by a court reporter and the notes of the court reporter or transcript of such notes, certified by the court reporter and the court and filed in the office of the clerk.

If from such statements it shall appear, without substantial conflict as to facts, that any party is entitled to judgment against any other party, the court shall cause such judgment to be entered forthwith.

If, although judgment can not be so entered, it shall appear that there is no substantial conflict as to some of the facts and that upon them findings may be made, the court shall make and file such findings. If such judgment be not so entered, the court shall forthwith set the cause for trial.

Findings upon summary proceedings shall be deemed excepted to. They shall be determinative of the facts therein found, unless the court for good cause, upon notice, set them aside.

If any party fail to appear for summary proceedings as herein provided, or fail to make statement of facts as herein required, the same judgment shall be entered against him as would be entered if he should fail to appear at trial of the action.

831*g*. The sections of this code numbered four hundred seventy-eight to five hundred four (both inclusive), five hundred nine to five hundred twenty-one (both inclusive), five hundred thirty-seven to five hundred sixty-one (both inclusive), and five hundred seventy-two to five hundred seventy-four (both inclusive), are hereby made applicable to proceedings in municipal courts: *provided*, that where the demand does not exceed fifty dollars the bond specified in section five hundred thirty-nine shall be in the penal sum of fifty dollars and where the demand exceeds fifty dollars such bond shall be in such penal sum as the clerk of the court or a judge may require not exceeding one thousand dollars.

831*h*. The clerk of the municipal court shall with respect to proceedings therein exercise all powers conferred by law upon the clerk of the superior court with respect to proceedings in the superior court.

831*i*. Any constable in the county, the marshal of any municipal court and the sheriff shall with respect to proceedings in municipal courts exercise all powers and perform all duties imposed by law upon the sheriff with respect to proceedings in the superior court.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet, or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a Harbor Commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development, or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 15, 1915, as amended, relating to improvement.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1261—An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts; providing for the acquirement, construction,

maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a legislative manual and State blue book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1262—An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor: to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon: to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending section numbered 102 thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "division" and before the period insert the following "and the division in such case shall approve said device for use with such candlepower globes and subject to such special adjustments as have been certified by the bureau of standards as enabling such device to comply with the provisions of this act".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend section 36 of the Motor Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, relating to registrations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "motor" and insert in lieu thereof the word "California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "actual residence" and insert in lieu thereof the following "the county in which the applicant resides".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "husbandry" add the words "or road repair."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 80—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 502, relating to carrying animals on automobiles.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 6, 7, and 8, and insert in lieu thereof the following "be protected by a frame work or other device sufficient to keep any such animal from falling off from such motor vehicle, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 337—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supply or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or to enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved

May 30, 1923, and add six new sections thereto to be numbered 164, 165, 166, 167, 168 and 169.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend" add the following: "section twelve of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 28 of the title of the printed bill strike out the following: "and add six new sections thereto", and strike out all of lines 29, 30 and 31 of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: "Section twelve of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supply or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or to enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the division of motor vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 12. (*a*) "Pneumatic tires" All tires inflated or capable of inflation with compressed air.

(*b*) "Cushion tires" All tires of the solid type whose static deflation under a load is equal to or exceeds fifty per cent of the static deflation of a pneumatic tire of the same nominal size under the same load, when such pneumatic tire is inflated and loaded as follows: a pneumatic tire of the three and one-half inch size, inflated with air to the extent of fifty pounds per square inch, under a load of six hundred pounds; a pneumatic tire of the four inch size, inflated with air to the extent of fifty-five pounds per square inch, under a load of one thousand pounds; a pneumatic tire of the four and one-half inch size, inflated with air to the extent of seventy pounds per square inch, under a load of one thousand two hundred fifty pounds; a pneumatic tire of the five inch size, inflated with air to the extent of eighty pounds per square inch, under a load of one thousand four hundred fifty pounds"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of the Insurance Commissioner and of the Board of Equalization with respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 776—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions on devices for charitable uses.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 3 and 4, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Restriction on devise for charitable uses. Exceptions.".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 782—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Santa Barbara, subject to certain trusts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 93—An act defining credit unions, providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 8, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended in Senate March 5, 1925, strike out the words "building and loan commissioner" and insert in lieu thereof the words "commissioner of corporations".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 871—An act to authorize the city of Riverside to sell certain lands dedicated for park purposes and to devote the proceeds thereof to the improvement of parks now existing in said city—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 871?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "formerly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "city" insert a period, and strike out all of the remainder of said line 15, and all of lines 16 and 17.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "of", strike out the remainder of said line, and all of lines 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27, and insert in lieu thereof the following "of the lands of the Southern California Colony Association as recorded in book seven of maps, page three, records of San Bernardino county, California, lying within block nine of Fairmont Heights tract number four, as shown on map filed in book of maps number one, page forty-six et seq., records of Riverside county, California"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, immediately after the word "hill," insert the word "formerly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, immediately following the word "city", strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following "and all proceeds from such sale shall be placed in a special fund by the city treasurer and expended only for said purposes"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 20 of the printed bill, immediately following the comma following the figures 20, strike out all the remainder of said line 20, and all of lines 21 to 26, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof "of the Southern California Colony Association lands as shown on map of record in the county recorder's office of San Bernardino county, California, which are included in block nine of Fairmont Heights tract, map number four, of record in book one of maps, page five thereof, records of San Bernardino county, California."

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 871 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None

Assembly Bill No. 871 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to new trials—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 195?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "shall, in all" and insert in lieu thereof the words "may in".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 195 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None

Assembly Bill No. 195 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all

proceedings relative thereto—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 341?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Following line 14 of the printed bill, insert the following:
"SEC. 2. This act shall not operate to validate or confirm the bonds of any drainage improvement district or any proceedings in relation thereto where the legality of such bonds or proceedings is questioned or contested in any litigation pending and undetermined at the time of the passage of this act."

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 341 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 341 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 542?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following "or

"(j) Entering any inclosure belonging to, or occupied by another, for the purpose of hunting, shooting, killing, or destroying any kind of game within such inclosure, without having first obtained permission from the owner of such inclosure;".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 542 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47
NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 542 ordered to enrollment.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. McDonough moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

SENATE MESSAGES—(RESUMED).

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 715—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock,

machinery or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, or transporting logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products from such logs and providing for means by which the owner of such logs or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor; to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065*a*, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 715?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the amended printed bill, insert after the word "and" the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 9, of the amended printed bill, insert after each of the three words "and" the following. "/or".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 715 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—44.
NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 715 ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 812—An act to amend sections 6, 7, 9, and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 812?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "punishable as (*follows*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 4, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word imprisonment strike out "or) ".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 812 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.
NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 812 ordered to enrollment.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No. 107—An act granting to the city of South San Francisco the salt marsh, tide and submerged lands of the State of California, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of South San Francisco and regulating the management, use and control thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 186—An act to validate proceedings for the annexation of territory to, incorporation in, and inclusion thereof, within municipal corporations;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 172*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the management, control, and transfer of real property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 940—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5, and 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The standard apple act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to apple packing and grading;

Also Assembly Bill No 1170—An act to amend section 29 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts; and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1206—An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to enter into a contract for the improvement and extension of the system for the supplying of water and electricity to the State Prison at Folsom without cost to the State;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this second day of April, 1925, at nine o'clock and ten minutes a m

ROBERTS, Chairman.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received, read and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
SPRINGFIELD, March 26, 1925.

Honorable Frank F Merriam,
Office of the Speaker of the Assembly.
Sacramento, California.

MY DEAR MR. SPEAKER I am in receipt of your courteous letter of March 20, enclosing engrossed and attested copy of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 18. This action of the California Legislature is greatly appreciated by our people, and in their behalf I wish to express to you and to your colleagues our sincere and grateful thanks.

Yours very truly,

LEN SMALL.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of the storage, control and diversion of water for public use and public protection in the State of California, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 543 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 543 re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Assembly Bill No 834—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617½, relating to the selling or leasing of real property upon which no public school is being maintained.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 834 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—50.

NOES—Broughton, Dorris, Johnson, and Runner—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 13—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 2 of article IX thereof, relating to the Director of Education.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 13 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the constitutional amendment the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed constitutional amendment, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 4 of the title of the printed constitutional amendment, after the word "two" add the following: "and seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 5 of the title of the printed constitutional amendment, strike out the period following the word "education" and add the following: "and the state board of education".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed constitutional amendment, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed constitutional amendment, after the word "two", add the following, "and seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed constitutional amendment, strike out all of said line after the period following the figure "2", and strike out all of lines 10 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "A director of education shall be appointed by the state board of education, created by the provisions of section seven of this article, for a term of four years from and after such appointment. The director of education shall have educational qualifications equal to that required for the granting of a degree from the school of education of the University of California, and shall have had at least five years' actual experience in teaching and supervision

of schools. His salary shall be fixed by the state board of education and shall not exceed that received by the governor of the State of California, and such salary shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which he shall be appointed. The director of education shall execute, under the direction of the board, all educational policies decided upon by said board, and perform all other duties prescribed by the laws of this state pertaining to school matters

He shall nominate for election by the state board of education such deputies and assistants as are needful for carrying out the duties of his office. The board of education shall fix the salaries of such deputies and assistants.

The provisions of this section shall become effective on the first Tuesday after the first day of January, 1927.

SEC. 7. A department of the state government, to be known as the state board of education, is hereby created. Such board of education shall consist of nine members to be appointed from the state at large, by the governor by and with the advice and consent of the senate The members of such board shall be appointed for a term of nine years; *provided, however*, that the first board appointed under this section shall so classify themselves by lot that one member shall retire at the end of one year, two members at the end of three years; two members at the end of five years; two members at the end of seven years; and one member at the end of nine years; thereafter, appointments to any vacancy shall be for the full term of nine years.

The state board of education shall have power to appoint a director of education and to fix his salary and to appoint the deputies and assistants of such director of education, and to fix the salaries of such deputies and assistants. Said board shall provide, compile, or cause to be compiled, and adopt a uniform series of textbooks for use in the day and evening elementary schools throughout the state. The state board may cause such textbooks when adopted to be printed and published by the superintendent of state printing, at the state printing office; and wherever and however such textbooks may be printed and published, they shall be furnished and distributed by the state free of cost or any charge whatever, to all children attending a day and evening elementary school of the state, under such conditions as the legislature shall prescribe. The textbooks so adopted shall continue in use not less than four years without any change or alteration whatsoever which will require or necessitate the furnishing of new books to such pupils, and said state board shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed by law.

The legislature shall provide for a board of education in each county in the state. The county superintendents of the county boards of education shall have control of the examination of teachers and the granting of teachers' certificates within their respective jurisdictions."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 1 of the title of the printed constitutional amendment, strike out the figures "13" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "31".

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 13 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to sell, offer for sale, or engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1221 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 470—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of director of said department, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof; providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the Department of Petroleum and Gas; creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act; and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 470 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 852 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt,

Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 807—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 807 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 170—An act to amend sections 438 and 422 and to repeal section 442 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 170 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend sections 1775 and 1778 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of teachers certificates.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 674 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekseward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Graves moved that Assembly Bill No. 1243 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Wright, T. M., Spalding, Anderson, D. P., Deuel and Mrs. Dorris the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 1243 to Committee on Education by Mr. Graves.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer carried by the following vote:

AYES—Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Foster, Hawes, Johnson, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—32.

Assembly Bill No. 1243 ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 3480 of the Political Code, relating to the issuance of bonds of reclamation districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1064 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy; Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 640—An act to amend sections 8 and 20 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk in bottles and the labeling thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 640 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding,

Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—53
NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 950 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 290—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Niles and Santa Rita by way of Sunol and Pleasanton in the county of Alameda, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 290 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "The" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Except as otherwise provided by law, the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "lease" insert the following: "for a period of not to exceed five years".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright, S. V., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 403, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

WRIGHT, S. V., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of reestablishing the said school elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1246 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of the Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to provide a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Maloney, Murphy, and Jones, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments, and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title after the word "act", strike out the words "to provide" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered one thousand one hundred ninety-seven c, relating to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the amended bill, after the period following the figure "1" insert the following: "A new section to be numbered one thousand one hundred ninety-seven c is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows: 1197c. 1."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 20, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 26, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 4, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec."

LITTLE,
DUVAL,
SCUDDER,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference

The question being on the adoption of the amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—60

NOES—None

Assembly Bill No. 209 ordered to reprint and enrollment.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Miss Miller An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries

By Mr McDonough An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts and relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace.

By Mr. Wright, S. V. An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Reindollar waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 653 was passed.

Assembly Bill No 653 ordered transmitted to the Senate

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Walters waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 619 was passed this day.

Senate Bill No. 619 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Roland moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 482 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 443 is returned herewith without my approval

This bill increases salaries in Sutter County. It is opposed by both the supervisors and the grand jury. The author has requested disapproval.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No 643 is returned herewith without my approval. The increase provided in this bill is favored by the grand jury but opposed by the supervisors. I feel that the supervisors are best qualified to know the financial needs of the county and hence am withholding my approval of this bill.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL.

Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend section 30 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to inspectors and traffic officers.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 756 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 756 re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees, and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No 44 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 44 re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2526*a*, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 922 be ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 922 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock and three minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Schmidt, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1183*a*, 1183*b*, and 1183*c* and to amend sections 1184, 1184*a*, and 1184*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to securing the payment of claims of materialmen, laborers, contractors and subcontractors upon contracts awarded by boards, commissions or officers of the State or any political subdivision thereof and by private individuals;

Also Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Reno Transcontinental Highway Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 506—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land

for the San Francisco State Teachers College—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 91—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof of the State armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 845—An act to amend section 2079 of the Political Code, relating to allowances to organizations of the California National Guard—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 844—An act to amend section 2086 of the Political Code, relating to salaries in the office of the Adjutant General's office—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 162—An act appropriating money for expenditure as directed by the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California in aiding the department of interior of the United States in stream gaging work in the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 615—An act appropriating money for the restoration and rebuilding of the Greek chapel at Fort Ross, Sonoma County, California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to the Committee on Roads and Highways.

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used

as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1202—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa Counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 150—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof,

Also Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet, or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a Harbor Commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development, or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 15, 1915, as amended, relating to improvement;

Also Assembly Bill No 837—An act to provide for the disposition of certain material of the former Geological Survey of California delivered to the president of the University of California pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 27, 1874,

Also Assembly Bill No 1261—An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts, providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No 1262—An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts;

Also Assembly Bill No 1237—An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 598—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled 'California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act,

Also Assembly Bill No 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act, providing penalties for violation of the same, creating the feed inspection fund, and repealing an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health

to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 216—An act amending section 4240 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and compensation of officers in counties of the eleventh class—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this second day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and compensation of officers in counties of the forty-first class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 713—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts;
And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this second day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 455—An act authorizing and empowering the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California to conduct investigations of streams, stream systems, lakes or other bodies of water, to investigate either or both surface and underground water conditions, to collect records of diversion and use of water, to supervise distribution of water in accordance with agreements therefor, to do all or any of such work either independently or in cooperation with a State or federal agency, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the redemption of property which has been heretofore sold to irrigation districts for delinquent assessments," approved March 10, 1891, relating to delinquent assessments and rates thereon;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1269—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Noyes announced that the Assembly had been invited for a drive to the University Farm at Davis, California, for a casual inspection of that institution, and then to Woodland where entertainment will be provided for, on Sunday, April 5, 1925, at one p.m.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Miss Miller, Eleanor: Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

By Mr. McDonough: Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts and relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wright, S. V.: Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on March 30, passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 779?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "must" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 779 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 779 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 381—An act regulating the securing by priests, ministers, or other persons, of wine for use for sacramental purposes by their congregations, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 381?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 13, 1925 strike out all of lines 26 to 34, both inclusive, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

SEC. 5. The superior court in and for the county, or city and county, in which such district attorney resides shall have the right to review the action of such district attorney in granting or refusing to issue the permit designated herein. Upon the hearing of such application for review the court shall have the right to examine and consider all the evidence presented before the district attorney in such matter. Any person, interested or affected by the action of such district attorney in granting or refusing such permit, is hereby authorized to make application for such review, such application to be made within ten days from the date of such decision, by serving upon such district attorney a notice of such application for review and a demand in writing for a certified transcript of all the papers on file in his office affecting or relating to such decision and all the evidence taken on the hearing and paying for each folio of the transcript of oral testimony the fees specified for transcription in section two hundred seventy-four of the Code of Civil Procedure, and for copies of other papers ten cents per folio. Thereupon, the district attorney shall, within thirty days, make and certify such transcript and the petitioner shall, within five days after receiving the same, file the same and the notice of application for such review with the clerk of such court

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 381 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Levey, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 381 ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns, for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon, for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts, established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work," approved March 21, 1907, as amended, so as to include therein provisions for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and other public property within incorporated cities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, and also upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Walters moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On pages 2 and 3 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 25, 1925, strike out lines 31 to 52, inclusive, on page 2, and lines 1 to 48, inclusive, on page 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. Power is hereby vested in the board of supervisors of every county in this state, by and under the procedure prescribed in this act, to order the construction or reconstruction in the whole or any part, either in length or width, of any one or more or all of the roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys,

courts, places, easements, rights-of-way and other public property not within the territory of any incorporated city or town, and to order the construction or reconstruction in the whole or any part, either in length or width, of any one or more or all of the streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights-of-way and other public property inside of any incorporated city or town, whenever in the judgment of said board such work or improvement within an incorporated city or town is necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work or improvement outside thereof, and to order the construction or reconstruction in the whole or any part, either in length or width, of any one or more or all of the streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys courts, places, easements, rights-of-way and other public property forming exterior boundaries of any incorporated city or town where such incorporated city or town joins unincorporated territory of the county, whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such incorporated city or town, of any or all of the following work or improvements: grading or regrading, paving or repaving, planking or replanking, macadamizing or remacadamizing, graveling or regraveling, oiling or reoiling; sidewalks, crosswalks, steps, parks and parkways, culverts, bridges, curbs, gutters, tunnels, subways and viaducts, sanitary sewers or instrumentalities of sanitation, together with the necessary outlets, cesspools, manholes, catch basins, flush tanks, septic tanks, disposal plants, connecting sewers, ditches, drains, tunnels, conduits, channels and other appurtenances, drains, tunnels, sewers, conduits, and channels for drainage purposes, with necessary outlets, cesspools, manholes, catch basins, flush tanks, septic tanks, disposal plants, connecting sewers, ditches, drains, conduits, channels and appurtenances; any other work, improvement or structure deemed by said board necessary or proper either for the improvement or for the safe or convenient use of any of said roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights-of-way and other public property, or incidental to any other work being done, and all other work auxiliary to any of the above or which may be required to carry out the same. Said board of supervisors shall have power to do the aforesaid things singly or in any combination of the same, and may include in one proceeding and contract any number of roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights-of-way or public properties, or portions thereof, and the various items of the said work and construction need not be coterminous, and to issue bonds representing the cost and expenses of any said work or construction as in this act hereafter provided, and to constitute a fund for the payment of such bonds as in this act hereafter provided; and to levy special assessment taxes upon a district as in this act hereafter provided; and to establish said district and determine its boundaries as in this act hereafter provided, and to include within such district all or any portion of the territory of any incorporated city or town, provided that the consent of the legislative body of any such city or town shall first be obtained for such inclusion, and, as incidental to the exercise of the powers aforesaid, to establish the grade to which any work or improvement authorized in this act shall be constructed, and in such establishment to adopt any existing or official grade or to change the same and establish a different grade from that previously existing or officially established, and to separate the grade of any road, street, avenue, boulevard or alley from the grade of any other road, streets, avenue, boulevard or alley or from the grade of any railroad or electric railway; and to transfer moneys from county funds to such special funds as are provided for in this act; and to purchase material and furnish the same to be used in the doing of any of the work above named; and to make direct contribution of money in part payment of the expenses of any one or more or all of the improvements above named; all as provided in this act.

In the event that said board of supervisors shall include in the proceeding any work or improvement upon any one or more streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights-of-way or other public property, lying inside of any incorporated city or town, or forming the exterior boundary of an incorporated city or town and lying within the limits of such incorporated city or town, the consent of the legislative body of such city or town shall first be obtained for the use for such purpose of the streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, rights-of-way and other property, or such portion thereof, as are to be improved as above provided."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Walters as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 380, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WALTERS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "deputy" and insert in lieu thereof the word "copyist".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 73, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of the amendment, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed amendment, strike out all from line 9 to line 21, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof a new section 23*a* to read as follows:

SEC. 23*a*. The legislature may provide for additional help; but in no case shall the total expense for officers, employees and attaches of the assembly exceed the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars per day for the assembly, nor the sum of three hundred dollars per day for the senate at any biennial session, nor the sum of three hundred dollars per day for the assembly and two hundred dollars per day for the senate at any special or extraordinary session. The law providing for the officers, employees and attaches and their compensation, shall remain in force subject to change, amendment or repeal by the legislature; *provided*, that after the regular session in 1927 no increase shall be made in the compensation of any officer, employee, or attache, after he shall have been elected or appointed. The legislature shall provide for the selection of all officers, employees and attaches of both houses, and each house may fix the compensation of its officers, employees and attaches and, so far as advisable, shall require such selection to be under the provisions of the law governing civil service.

Amendment adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 30—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 22 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relative to election of the Railroad Commission.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30 read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 30 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Browne, Cleveland, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Foster, Heisinger, Johnson, Little, Melville, Murphy, Murray, Runner, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, and Wright, T. M.—21.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Ramdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 268—An act to amend section 1446 of the Penal Code, relating to judgment, fine and imprisonment.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Browne, Burns, Cleveland, Dorris, Hornblower, McDonough, Mitchell, Oliva, Schmidt, and West—11

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

Assembly Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Browne, McDonough, and Schmidt—4.

NOES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 313—An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, as modified by the

report of California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and providing the extent to which the State of California will contribute to the expense of executing the plan approved in said report, conditioned upon the United States assuming a corresponding obligation and further providing the purposes to which said expenditures made hereunder shall be applied.

Bill read third time. .

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Carter moved that Senate Bill No. 313 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 313 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 314—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District based upon assessments levied by the reclamation board upon lands in said district," approved May 27, 1919, by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 59, said new section relating to and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Carter moved that Senate Bill No. 314 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 314 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by amending sections 7, 12, 13, 15 and 32 thereof and by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 37, said new section relating to the disposition and application to be made of certain moneys heretofore appropriated for controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, if said moneys shall be reimbursed or released to the State of California by the Federal Government.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Carter moved that Senate Bill No. 315 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 315 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 305—An act authorizing the transfer of all funds collected by any of the County Treasurers of the State of California on assessments of the Sacramento Drainage District, by said County Treasurers to the Reclamation Board to vest in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the benefit of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for general administration purposes.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Carter moved that Senate Bill No. 305 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 305 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 687 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to issuance of executions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 92 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 408—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 10, 16 and 30 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended, relative to maps, to the contribution by the municipality to the expense of the improvement, the overruling of protests, condemnation proceedings, the date of valuation and the payment of compensation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 408 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielson, Noyes,

Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 409—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, so as to permit the improvement of rights of way and property of which a municipality has possession.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 409 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 410—An act to authorize and empower legislative bodies of municipal corporations to establish, maintain, use and reimburse revolving funds in connection with or incident to the laying out, construction or improvement of streets or other public work or the acquisition of lands, rights of way or other property necessary therefor.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 410 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 407—An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act authorizing counties to improve or assist in the improvement of streets lying in municipalities," approved April

30, 1923, amending the provisions thereof relative to the aid to be given by counties in the improvement of city streets and relative to the funds from which such aid may be given.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 407 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 135—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to hours of labor of female employees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Scudder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "canning", insert the following: ", packing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, after the word "can", insert the following: ", pack".

MOTION TO SET SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Coombs moved that the consideration of Senate Bill No. 135 be made a special order for Friday, April 3, 1925, at two o'clock p.m.

The question being on the motion for special order.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Coombs, Bernard, Anderson, D. P., Scudder and Mitchell, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to have Senate Bill No. 135 made a special order for Friday, April 3, 1925.

The roll was called, and the motion to set special order carried by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Little, McDowell, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—31.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO USE ASSEMBLY CHAMBER.

Mr. McPherson asked for and was granted permission to use Assembly Chamber for a public hearing on Senate Bills Nos. 313, 314, 315 and 305 by the Assembly Ways and Means Committee for the evening of Monday, April 6, 1925.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PRISONS AND REFORMATORIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Prisons and Reformatories, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1228—An act appropriating money for the purchase, installation and maintenance of machinery and equipment for the manufacture of fabrics, twines and cordage from jute, sisal, flax, hemp and any other raw materials except cotton at the State prisons at Folsom and San Quentin, and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, and providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DODGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 637*g*, relating to poultry, game, and animals used for food purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Agriculture.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 102—An act to appropriate $50,000 to the State Department of Agriculture for the eradication of Alhagi camelorum (otherwise known as camel's thorn) in the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 794—An act to amend section 403 of the Civil Code, relating to corpora-

tions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 231—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to enable any water company organized under the laws of this State to cancel certain shares of stock hereinafter described, and in lieu thereof to issue a new certificate therefor to the owner of the land to which said shares of stock are attached or appurtenant," *approved June 14, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully* reports the same back and recommends that it do pass.

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 4258 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the twenty-ninth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 1185—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2210*h*, relating to pensions.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this second day of April, 1925, at two o'clock and fifteen minutes p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Joint Resolution No 15—Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported joint resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 538—An act to be known as the "Bovine Tuberculosis Law" of California; to regulate the sale and restrict the use of tuberculin; to provide for the approval of veterinarians; to regulate the sale of milk and products of milk for live stock feeding; to regulate the importation, transportation and exhibition of cattle, to provide for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis by areas, to provide for the identification, branding and disposal of tuberculous animals; to provide regulations for the slaughter of tuberculous animals, to prescribe the duties of the Director of Agriculture in relation to this act including the making of rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Senate Bill No 753—An act to provide for the approval of plans for the construction or alteration of county jails by the Immigration and Housing Commission;

Also. Senate Bill No. 219—An act to add a new section to be known as section 22¾ to an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 209—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 925*a*, relating to justices' courts;

Also: Senate Bill No. 471—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section 5 thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 25 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to special notices in estate proceedings. At the end of the first line of this section the punctuation has been altered from that in the section amended with apparently no reason and probably in a way that might affect the meaning. In line 26 there is another error in punctuation which might make a change in the meaning of the statute.

So many errors have been discovered in the enrolled bills sent to me that I think it is a matter which should engage the attention of your honorable body. Several bills have been returned without my approval at the request of the authors on account of errors in drawing the bills. A bill as finally enrolled should be perfect in every particular so that it may properly become a part of the statutes. I do not intend this as a criticism of any particular department but it seems to me there is need for more care and attention in preparing bills for the printer. Errors of this kind should be corrected before the bills are finally enrolled.

There is still time to adopt a correct bill if it is desired.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 856 is returned herewith without my approval, for the reason that there is an error in the wording of the bill. The error may not be vital, but I am returning the bill in order to show the necessity of more careful consideration of bills, especially when they have been engrossed and are up for final adoption.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

GENTLEMEN: This is to advise your honorable bodies that I have signed Assembly Bill No 216, Assembly Bill No. 390, and Assembly Bill No. 421

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and fifty-eight minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Friday, April 3, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 3, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Olva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Robert B. McAulay of the Fremont Presbyterian Church of Sacramento, California.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Coombs, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr. Mueller was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Mrs. Youngberg, Miss Wall, Miss E. Hill and Mr. R. E. Gibson, teachers of Pittsburg High and Grammar Schools, and the following pupils, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Pupils of Grammar Class—Olive MacDonald, Rosie Mary Billeci, Neno Davi, Antonina Schillace, Angelina Cardinale, John Bruno, Tonno Orlando, Helen Iacona, Harry Peters, Vincent Davi, Catherine Gatto, Ruth Loosmore, Sarafina Costanza, Gladys Smith, Paul Guiliano, Lois Wheeler, William Easton, Harold Brown, Dorothy Haag, Rose Davi, Helen Ferris, Chap Yount, Alphonse Bonnaur, Horace Bruno, Fred Pera, Edward Kelly, Patrina Contanzaro, Primo Banchio, Rose Siino, Tony Panfili, Ratzi Billeci, Leo Hosner, Royce Israel, Alvin Hart, Frieda Vidisky, Rose Billeci, Josephine Junta, Theresa Aiello, Vernon

Lamounttee, Alberta MacQuiddy, Marion Wheeler, Ratzi Cardinale, Horace Ferranti, Joe Davi, Enes Pratini, Bennie Aiello, William Cunningham, Nicholas Vagliente, Angelo Ferranti, Evelyn Haag, Vincent Pizziment, Doroty Emery, John Cunningham, Rose Ferranti, Rose Russo, Mary Irving, Josephine Gaspardone, Donald Verneer, Beulah Engle, Flora Madsen, Fanny Terranova, Blanche Ericsson, Alice Haag, Vincent Guiliano, Frank Campbell, Peter Cardinale, Rose Enea, Lucy Barraco, Helen Siino, Neno Lucido, Alphonse Capp, Lorraine Noziglia, Joe Siino, Peter Del Monte, Steve Beratta, Duane Pough, John Russo, Harold Stucky, Mary Aiello, Edith Siino, Clarice Jackson, Martin Christian, Claude Artero, George Davis, Kathryn Haag, Virginia Grillo, Katie Lombardo, Mary Evola, Salvatore Costanza, Edda Cardinale and Mary Bruno.

Pupils of High School—Susan Morgan, Rose Russo, Mildred Benn, Azalia Canavera, Dorothy Hein, June Whitlieb, Frank Aiello, Stanley Mori, Rose Davi, Stella Enea, Mary Lucido, Alberta Parker, Clarence Rebstock, Harry Rebstock, Ruth Straub, Bunner McFarland, Kathryn Azeveda, Marion Pera, Mildred Peirano, Clare Welchel, Earmen Pritchard, Herbert Loosemore, Harold DeHaven, Vernon Christian, Grace Muir, and Harry Hunn.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. C. E. Hand of Placerville, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No 10—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4042*a*, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers and grand and trial jurors in counties of the thirteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto; creating a veterans' welfare finance committee, defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the veterans' welfare board and other state offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof; providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures; appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926;

Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921, by adding four new sections, to be numbered 9, 10, 11 and 12 respectively, relating to the acceptance of gifts, devises and bequests for the endowment and support of municipal hospitals, for the management and control of municipal hospitals, for the leasing and sale of municipal hospitals to nonprofit hospital associations, and repealing section 862*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2 and 7 of article IX thereof, relating to the Director of Education and the State Board of Education—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend sections 8, 11, and 12 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; and creating a board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the method and procedure for exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923.

Bill read third time

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McDowell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "procedure", strike out the word "for" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "No", omit the dash.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 8, of the printed bill, after the "Yes", omit the dash.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 42, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "located", insert the following "At such election there shall be submitted to the electors or voters in each of such units or districts the question whether or not a water conservation district shall be organized under the provision of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "board", strike out the word "cretify" and insert in lieu thereof the word "certify".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "stored" strike out the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "circulation" insert the word "published".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "polls" insert the word "were".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 8, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "members" strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 8, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "into" insert the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 10, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the word "meting" and insert in lieu thereof the word "meeting".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 11, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "oath" and the period following, insert the following: "The board of directors of a water conservation district shall establish a convenient number of election precincts in each subdivision of a water conservation district and define the boundaries thereof, and at least one such precinct must be established for each subdivision of said water conservation district, and said board whenever it is deemed advisable for the best interests of said district and the convenience of the voters may at any time, but not less than sixty days before an election to be held in the district, change the boundaries of any such election precincts, which changes when made must be entered upon the minutes of the board

Except as herein otherwise provided, the manner of conducting and holding elections of a water conservation district, including the first election of directors, the qualifications of voters and the necessary number of votes to carry any proposition submitted at any election, shall be governed, as to each subdivision of said water conservation district, by the same laws, rules and regulations and amendments and modifications thereto of the particular district or districts, or unit or units, composing such subdivision."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 12, line 37, of the printed bill, after the word "storage" insert the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN

On page 13, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "of" insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 13, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "and" strike out the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 14, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "four hundred and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 14, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "order," strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 15, line 36, of the printed bill, after the word "district" strike out the word "are" and insert in lieu thereof the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 16, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "in" strike out the word "said".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McDowell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 52, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McDOWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the title of the printed bill as amended, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 5, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "and twelve".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 9, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "associations" strike out the remainder of the title.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1, line 9, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "associations" and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 47, 48, 49 and 50

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 784, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "device" and insert in lieu thereof the word "devise".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Williamson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 982, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

ASSEMBLYMAN GRAVES IN THE CHAIR.

At nine o'clock and twenty minutes a.m., Hon. Sidney T. Graves, member from the Sixty-third District, was called to the chair.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1273—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1183*a*, 1183*b*, and 1183*c* and to amend sections 1184, 1184*a*, and 1184*c*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to securing the payment of claims of materialmen, laborers, contractors and subcontractors upon contracts awarded by boards, commissions or officers of the State or any political subdivision thereof and by private individuals.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill after the word "act" in line 1 of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered one thousand one hundred eighty-four *d*, relating to the furnishing of bonds by persons against whom claims are filed, and prescribing the duties of public officers in respect thereto."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of the words and sentences of the entire printed bill after the figure "1" in line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A new section is hereby added to the Code of Civil Procedure to be known as section one thousand one hundred eighty-four *d*, to read as follows

1184*d*. If the contractor, subcontractor or other person against whom any claim is filed as provided in section one thousand one hundred eighty-four of this code shall dispute the correctness or validity of any claim so filed it shall be lawful for the controller, auditor or other public disbursing officer whose duty it is to make payments under the provisions of such contract or the commissioner, managers, trustees, officers, board of supervisors, board of trustees, common council or other body by whom the contract for the improvement was awarded, in its or his discretion to permit the contractor to whom said contract was awarded to deliver to such board, commission or officer a bond executed by some corporation authorized to issue surety bonds in the State of California, in a penal sum equal to one and one-fourth times the amount of said claim, which said bond shall guarantee the payment of any sum which said claimant may recover on said claim together with his costs of suit in said action, if he shall recover therein, and upon the filing of said bond by and with the consent of such board, commission or officer, then such board, commission or officer shall not withhold any moneys from said contractor on account of said claim. The sureties upon said bond shall be jointly and severally liable to said claimant with the sureties upon the bond given in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled 'An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, trams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto,' approved May 10, 1919.

At any time after the filing of such claim and prior to the trial of any issue of fact before the court in a suit upon said claim, the contractor, subcontractor, or other person against whom said claim is filed may tender to said claimant such sum as the person against whom said claim is filed admits to be due upon said claim, and if said claimant recovers nothing in said action, or if said claimant does not recover more than the amount so offered to be paid by the person against whom said claim is filed, then the person against whom said claim is filed shall recover from said claimant the reasonable value of the premium on said last mentioned bond, and said premium shall be taxed against said claimant as part of the costs in said action."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 8, 9, 10 and 11 of the title of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: "on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond", and insert in lieu thereof the following "against the surety or sureties on the contractor's bond independent of a right of action against the board, commission, officer, or other body by whom the contract was awarded".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, lines 18, 19, 20 and 21, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following "within ten days from the time of receipt of copy of any verified claim filed in accordance with the provisions of section two hereof,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 39, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "the same" and insert in lieu thereof the words "such verified claim".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, lines 35 to 40, both inclusive, strike out the following: ", specified and required in section one hereof, may be brought by any claimant, or his assign, who has filed his verified claim in accordance with the provisions of this section at any time after the expiration of ten days from the receipt of copy of the said verified claim by the said surety or sureties up until the expiration of ninety days" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "required under section one hereof, may be brought by any claimant, or his assign, at any time after the claimant has ceased to perform labor or furnish material or both and until the expiration of six months".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, at the end of line 41 of the amended printed bill, insert a new sentence to read as follows: "The filing of a verified claim shall not be a condition precedent to the maintenance of such action against the surety or sureties on the bond and an action on such bond may be maintained separately from and without the filing of an action against the board, commission, officer or other body by whom such contract was awarded."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 46, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "who file same under this section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "which arise out of the contract upon which said surety or sureties have furnished bond under section one hereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5 of the amended printed bill, strike out all of the said page and insert in lieu thereof the following: "If the contractor, subcontractor or other person against whom any claim is filed as provided in this act shall dispute the correctness or validity of any claim so filed it shall be lawful for the controller, auditor or other public disbursing officer whose duty it is to make payments under the provisions of such contract or the commissioner, managers, trustees, officers, board of supervisors, board of trustees, common council or other body by whom the contract for the improvement was awarded in its or his discretion, to permit the contractor to whom said contract was awarded to deliver to such board, commission or officer a bond executed by some corporation authorized to issue surety bonds in the State of California, in a penal sum equal to one and one-fourth times the amount of said claim, which said bond shall guarantee the payment of any sum which said claimant may recover on said claim together with his costs of suit in said action, if he shall recover therein, and upon the filing of said bond by and with the consent of such board, commission or officer, then such board, commission or officer shall not withhold any moneys from said contractor on account of said claim. The sureties upon said bond shall be jointly and severally liable to said claimant with the sureties upon the bond given in accordance with section one of this act.

At any time after the filing of such claim and prior to the trial of any issue of fact before the court in a suit upon said claim, the contractor, subcontractor, or other person against whom said claim is filed may tender to said claimant such sum as the person against whom said claim is filed admits to be due upon said claim, and if said claimant recovers nothing in said action, or if said claimant does not recover more than the amount so offered to be paid by the person against whom said claim is filed, then the person against whom said claim is filed shall recover from said claimant the reasonable value of the premium on said last mentioned bond, and said premium shall be taxed against said claimant as part of the costs in said action."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "transfer" add the following: ", pledge, lien upon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "merchant, or manufacturer" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "baker, cafe or restaurant owner, garage owner, machinist, or retail or wholesale merchant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "assignment" add the following: ", pledge, lien".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "assignment" add the following: ", pledge, lien".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "assignor" add the following: ", pledgeor, lienor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "assignee" add the following: ", pledgee, lien claimant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out the word "merchant" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "baker, cafe or restaurant owner, garage owner, machinist, or retail or wholesale merchant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, lines 33 and 34, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "transfer" add the following: "encumbrance,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "otherwise" add the following: "nor to any mortgage or chattel mortgage".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, lines 40 and 41, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "trans- of Civil Procedure" and insert in lieu thereof the following "transfer, assignment or mortgage of any property exempt from execution ".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Reno transcontinental highway exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Reno" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Nevada". Also, in the same line, strike out the word "highway" and insert in lieu thereof the word "highways".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Reno" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Nevada". Also, in the same line, strike out the word "highway" and insert in lieu thereof the word "highways".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Reno" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Nevada". Also, in the same line, strike out the word "highway" and insert in lieu thereof the word "highways".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Amendment to the title. In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "Reno" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Nevada."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "transcontinental", strike out the word "highway" and insert in lieu thereof the word "highways."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 506—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco State Teachers College.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 91—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof of the State Armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, after the word "roof" add the words "and the building".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 845—An act to amend section 2079 of the Political Code, relating to allowances to organizations of the California national guard.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 2086 of the Political Code, relating to salaries in the office of the Adjutant General's office.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figures "2086" and strike out all of lines 4 to 18, inclusive, on page 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"The salary of the brigadier general of the adjutant general's department (the adjutant general) shall be five thousand dollars ($5,000) per annum and his salary shall be paid in the same manner and at the same time as salaries of other state officers. He shall appoint and fix the salaries, subject to the approval of the board of control, of all such clerical, expert and technical assistants as may be necessary for the proper conduct of his office."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 162—An act appropriating money for expenditure as directed by the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California in aiding the Department of Interior of the United States in stream gaging work in the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 615—An act appropriating money for the restoration and rebuilding of the Greek chapel at Fort Ross, Sonoma County, California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the second line of the title, after the word "of" strike out the following, "the Greek Chapel at".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "annually" and insert in lieu thereof the word "biennially".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "expended" insert the following "under the direction of the state board of forestry".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "control" and insert in lieu thereof the word "forestry".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "control" and insert in lieu thereof the word "forestry".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and assistant secretary of the State Board of Health.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 455—An act authorizing and empowering the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California to conduct investigations of streams, stream systems, lakes or other bodies of water, to investigate either or both surface and underground water conditions to collect records of diversion and use of water, to supervise distribution of water in accordance with agreements therefor, to do all or any of such work either independently or in cooperation with a State or federal agency, and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, beginning after the word "act" strike out the remainder of the first line and all of the second line, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to amend section four and to add two new sections, to be numbered five and ten, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of districts organized or existing under the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the third line of the title of the printed bill, beginning with the words "to conduct" strike out the remainder of the third line of the title and all of lines 4 to 10, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Irrigation District Act," approved June 1, 1921, relating to the consolidation of irrigation districts and the selling of bonds thereby."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 23, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Section four of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of districts organized or existing under the California Irrigation District Act," approved June 1, 1921, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4. Upon the completion of such examination but not more than ninety days after the receipt by him of a copy of the resolution from the board last adopting the same, the state engineer shall submit to the board of directors of each of said districts his report thereon.

In case said state engineer shall consider the elimination of a portion of the lands included in any of the original districts advisable, he shall recommend the same in his said report, stating his reasons therefor. He shall also set out the boundaries of the consolidated district recommended and the divisions into which it is to be divided, the same being five in number.

If any of said lands so eliminated have never received water from the original district in which it was included, the owners thereof shall be entitled to the return of all assessments theretofore paid upon same. If any of said lands have theretofore received water, the said state engineer shall recommend in his said report the portion, if any, of said assessments to the return of which the respective owners are equitably entitled.

SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to said act, to be numbered section five, and to read as follows:

Sec. 5. Within ten days after receiving said report, if the state engineer deems such consolidation desirable, the board of directors of each of said districts must make an order calling a special election at which shall be submitted to the electors of such district possessing the qualifications prescribed by the California irrigation district act the question whether or not said consolidation shall be effected, which said election shall be conducted and the returns canvassed so far as practicable in accordance with the requirements for the general irrigation district election provided for in said act. Notice of such election shall be given for the time and in the manner provided for notice of special elections for the issuance of bonds in said California irrigation district act. The ballots shall contain the words "Consolidation —Yes" and "Consolidation—No", or words equivalent thereto, and if a majority of the votes cast in each district are "Consolidation—Yes", then such districts shall be consolidated.

At such election there shall also be elected the directors and other officers of the consolidated district who shall be nominated and voted for as provided for in the general election of an irrigation district.

SEC. 3. A new section is hereby added to said act, to be numbered section ten, and to read as follows:

Sec. 10. Any bonds of any irrigation district, or districts, participating in such consolidation pursuant to the provisions of this act, which have been authorized by the electors of such district, or districts, prior to such consolidation, but which have not been issued, may, by order of the board of directors of the consolidated district, be sold or disposed of in the manner provided in sections thirty-two and thirty-two *a*, respectively, of the California irrigation district act, and the proceeds thereof applied to the purpose for which such bonds were authorized."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the redemption of property which has been heretofore sold to irrigation districts for delinquent assessments," approved March 10, 1891, relating to delinquent assessments and rates thereon.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "amend" and insert in lieu thereof the word "repeal."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "amended to read as follows:" and insert in lieu thereof the word "repealed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, beginning with line 5, strike out all the balance of the bill.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1269—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 102—An act to appropriate $50,000 to the State Department of Agriculture for the eradication of Alhagi camelorum (otherwise known as camel's thorn) in the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "($50,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "California" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, however*, that said money herein appropriated shall not be available until a sum of money shall be contributed to the state department of agriculture by any city or cities, city and county or cities and counties, or county or counties, interested in the eradication of Alhagi camelorum (camel's thorn); *and provided, further, however*, that said state department of agriculture shall not expend a larger amount in such work of eradication than that contributed by any such city or cities, city and county or cities and counties, or county or counties."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 231—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to enable any water company organized under the laws of this State to cancel certain shares of stock hereinafter described, and in lieu thereof to issue a new certificate therefor to the owner of the land to which said shares of stock are attached or appurtenant," approved June 14, 1923.

Bill read second time, ordered to third reading.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At nine o'clock and thirty-one minutes a.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 342—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of

sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 13*a*.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all that portion of the printed bill beginning with the word "the" on page 4, line 49, to and including the word "sewer" on page 5, line 12, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "Whenever in the opinion of the sanitary board the public interest or convenience may require, it is hereby authorized and empowered, except in incorporated cities or towns, to order the construction of sewers and appurtenances in the whole or any portion or portions of any one or more of the streets, highways or public places of any such sanitary districts, or in property or in rights of way owned by such sanitary district, and to provide that the cost thereof shall be assessed upon the lots and lands fronting thereon, or upon a district to be assessed therefor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, lines 22 and 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "including the improvement bond act of 1915" and in lieu thereof insert the following: "and the provisions of that certain act entitled, "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby, and for the payment of the bonds so issued".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the parentheses.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the parentheses.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 26, of the printed bill, change the word "act" to "acts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 27, of the printed bill, change the word "act" to "acts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 34, of the printed bill, after the words "sanitary district" insert a comma and the following: "the words "tax collector" shall be understood to mean the county tax collector".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 44, of the printed bill following the comma after the words "city clerks" insert the following: "tax collectors".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 794—An act to amend section 403 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Bill read second time, ordered to third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1100 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 817 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—*Roland*—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44 and 45 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 296 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 53 and 57 thereof, relating respectively to the construction of works and the compensation of officers.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 297 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton,

Dillinger, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Minter, Murphy, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend the title of and revise an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, and to include therein provisions for work in, under and upon and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, together with any of the same which may form the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county whether they lie wholly or partly within or without the boundaries of such municipality and in, under and upon any publicly owned property and rights of way whether within or without a municipality, and in and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section fourteen of article one of the constitution of the State of California; for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder, and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and for county aid in all of such work.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 373 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1156—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1424, relating to the rights of complaining witnesses in criminal proceedings.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Anderson, R. J., moved that Assembly Bill No. 1156 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1156 re-referred to Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure.

Assembly Bill No. 374—An act to amend sections 19, 79 and 79*a*, of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, and to add new sections to said act, which said new sections shall be designated sections 79*b*, 79*c*, 79*d*, 79*e*, 79*f*, 79*g*, 79*h*, 79*i*, 79*j*, 79*k*, and 79*l*, relating to bonds of contractors and definition of terms used in said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 374 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1121 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith,

Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved:
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 681—An act to amend section 410 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of the laws, resolutions and journals of Legislature; of reports of Supreme Court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 681 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 684—An act to amend section 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 684 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1237 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of J. B. Enright against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 224 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—54.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 69—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 69 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 70—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Griffith Company against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 70 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 71—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Whittier against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 71 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry,

Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to appropriate $887.42 to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for setting back the curbs, constructing concrete curbs and gutters, paving and widening the area and providing drainage on those portions of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft way fronting upon property of the University of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 113 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act, providing penalties for violation of the same, making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act, and repealing an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 699 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 590 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Fry, and McDonough—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to provide for the disposition of certain material of the former geological survey of California delivered to the president of the University of California pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 27, 1874.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 837 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1262 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 502—An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of

the Insurance Commissioner and of the Board of Equalization with respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 502 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—Johnson—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Eksward:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL,
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, March 18, 1925.

Honorable Frank L. Eksward,
Assembly Chamber, Building.

DEAR MR. EKSWARD: At your request I have examined Assembly Bill No. 502, as amended in the Assembly on March 14, 1925, with a view to ascertaining whether or not it is an appropriation bill, prohibited passage in advance of the final enactment of the budget bill under the provisions of section 34 of article IV of the constitution. As a result of such examination, I conclude that this bill does not make an appropriation and is not within the prohibited class above mentioned. The act adopted at the session of 1911 for the purpose of carrying into effect the amendment adding section 14 to article XIII of the constitution, commonly referred to as Amendment No. 1, contained a provision whereby the Board of Equalization and the Board of Control, acting jointly, are authorized to credit upon the taxes of the succeeding year sums erroneously or illegally collected from the taxpayer; *provided*, and upon condition, that application for such relief be made within one year following the date of payment of such tax In 1917, this provision was codified as subdivision 3 of section 3669 of the Political Code. The effect of the bill, if enacted, will be to extend to a date not later than the fourth Monday preceding the first Monday of July, 1925, the time within which the life insurance companies affected by its provisions may file with the Board of Equalization their claims for credits upon future taxes; and in view of the very large sums which have accumulated pending a final determination by the Supreme Court of the questions involved, the existing law is further modified by applying such credits over the specified period of years instead of confining them to one year.

This is indeed no more than a payment in advance of taxes hereafter to become due.

Very truly yours,

U. S. WEBB, Attorney General.
By R. T. MCKISICK, Deputy.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to define collection agencies; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 631 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis,

Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mrs. Saylor moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the amended bill, beginning with the word "or" in line 13, strike out all down to and including the word "may" in line 15.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 21, of the amended bill, beginning with the word "The", strike out all down to and including the period following the word "attorney" in line 22.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 9 to 19, inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mrs. Saylor as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1201, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SAYLOR, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

On motion of Mrs. Saylor, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1201 was made a special order for Monday, April 6, 1925, at two o'clock p.m.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 1201 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The question being on the motion to re-refer.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Morrison, Burns, Hawes and Miller, J. A., the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 1201 to Committee on Judiciary by Mr. Hornblower.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer carried by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones,

Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—38.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—34.

Assembly Bill No. 1201 ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Adams:

WHEREAS, Death, at 12:20 a.m. this date, April 3, 1925, came upon Honorable Joseph Adams Filcher, last surviving member of the Constitutional Convention of 1879, former member of California Legislature, one of the foremost friends of California agriculture, fruit growing and mining, and for over half a century a leading spirit in all movements looking to the advancement and welfare of the State of California. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Assembly, upon adjournment today, do so out of respect to the memory of Mr. Filcher.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Reindollar:

WHEREAS, There is now before the Legislature in the State of California Senate Bill No. 605, entitled "An act declaring and establishing the roads from San Rafael to Point San Quentin, from Crescent City to the Oregon line (coast route), Alturas to the Oregon line, near New Pine Creek, from Colevile to the Nevada state line in Mono County, from Shavers Wells to Coachella, from Blythe to the Colorado River, from Oxnard to the main coast highway and from San Diego to Tia Juana," as State highways, adopting all public highways along said routes as State highways without compensation being paid therefor, and

WHEREAS, The California Highway Commission as we understand it is created for the purpose of extending the roads through the scenic and commercially important parts of California, and

WHEREAS, We believe that the road now in existence, starting at a point where the State highway turns east in San Anselmo, in Marin County, toward San Rafael, thence running in a westerly direction through the town of Fairfax and over White's Hill, and through the picturesque and historical San Geronimo Valley, down the Lagunitas Creek to Tocoloma, over the Tocoloma Hill to Olema, thence north to Point Reyes bridge and from there along the west side of Tomales Bay through Inverness and thence to the Point Reyes Light House, should be included in these additions. Aside from the wonderful scenic beauty of this route, this road traverses a country of untold commercial resources and in addition to its strategic value to the Army and Navy, it will also serve the Coast Guard and Lighthouse Service, and in view of all of these reasons, it is hereby

Resolved, That the Marin County Good Roads Association, in meeting assembled at Lagunitas, California, Saturday evening, March 21, 1925, hereby heartily endorses this project, and respectfully requests the Honorable Governor of the State of California, Friend Wm. Richardson, and the California State Highway Commission in their wisdom, to have this most beautiful road included in the additions they have recommended, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the board of supervisors of Marin County, the chamber of commerce of San Rafael and other organizations throughout the county, with a request that they endorse this measure and send copies of this resolution to the Governor of the State of California, the California Highway Commission and the Assemblymen and Senator from this district.

MARIN COUNTY GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION.
By REV. LEO TAEYAERTS,
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CHAS KENYON,
NELLIE MACKAY CASSIDY,
P. H. GHANS,
SAM MAZZA,
Executive Committee

Resolution adopted and approved by the Marin County Good Roads Association at Lagunitas, Saturday evening, March 21, 1925.

RALPH ROY, President.

CHARLES CLEVELAND, Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to boards of supervisors, their jurisdiction, and limitation of powers, and vesting them with the power of providing for assistance of county officers, and the fixing of their salaries and the payment thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, and to add a new section to said act to be numbered section 10*a*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to provide for the alteration of county boundary lines and for the adjustment of county debts and liabilities when such boundaries are changed, prescribing the method of holding elections and prescribing the duties of officers with respect thereto and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend section 1971*3* of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 282—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 487—An act to amend section 2167*b* of the Political Code, relating to psychopathic parole;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges and the district attorney's special fund;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 505—An act making an appropriation for money to be at the disposal of the district attorneys in the several counties of the State to be used for the purpose of bringing into the State for trial, at the expense of the State, persons who are charged with forgery or passing "bad" checks and further authorizing the district attorneys to expend of these funds, sufficient moneys to bring into the State witnesses for the purpose of prosecuting persons charged with drawing or uttering "bad" checks or forging checks—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274c, empowering boards of supervisors of any county to provide a fund from the filing fees in civil litigation for the payment of a fixed salary of official reporters of the superior court and authorizing county treasurers to pay the salaries of official reporters from such fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18b thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 747—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Fruit Growers of California, Incorporated, against the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 802—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Dan Murphy and R. J. Dillon, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 803—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Bankers Life Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 804—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. Teichert and Company, against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 805—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of L. F. Sinsheimer, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Los Angeles Railway Company, a corporation, against the State of California; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 799—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Thomas Byrne, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 800—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Clark and Henery construction company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 801—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. C Harter, against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WEMPLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 798—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire a right of way or rights of way and construct a highway or highways extending from a point at or near and west of Cordelia, Solano County, to and in a general southwesterly direction through the American Canyon and thence extending said highway or highways by the most direct and practicable route in a southerly direction to a connection with the north end of the Carquinez bridge now being constructed by the American Toll Bridge Company over and across the straits of Carquinez and declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Ward's Ferry, thence to Groveland, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for a survey;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 894—An act to regulate the planting of trees along the public highways of California and a plan for the planting, care, maintenance and replacement of trees along all public roads—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 151—An act declaring the county road commencing at Willows and extending through Fruto, Elk Creek, and Alder Springs, all in Glenn County, and thence through Covelo, Dos Rios, Laytonville, Branscomb to Westport, all located in Mendocino County, to be a State highway,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island

levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge, and from the south end of said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half miles south of the new bridge, to be a State highway;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 446—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Lake and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway and authorizing the board of supervisors of Lake County to convey said road to the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 443—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Mendocino and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Mendocino County to convey said road to the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 342—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of teachers in elementry schools,
Also Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 135—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 343—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 295—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1519*e*, 1620*a*, and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school district;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers retired in accordance with the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended; defining the operation of said act; providing for the return, to persons subject to the burdens of said act and not returned, of all moneys contributed by them to the public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of this act; defining the powers and prescribing the duties of public officers and others in connection with this act, and making an appropriation to carry the provisions of this act into effect;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School or California Farm Institute—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of duty of registered pharmacists—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that the same do pass.

(Signed out)

BROWNE, Chairman.
GRAVES.
ANDERSON, R. J.
PIERCE.
FOSTER
WELLER.
DUVAL.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 791—An act to prohibit and punish the fraudulent obtaining of transportation and advances from employers or prospective employers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that the same do pass.

(Signed out)

BROWNE, Chairman.
GRAVES.
ANDERSON, R. J
PIERCE.
FOSTER.
WELLER.
DUVAL.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for domestic, manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain, and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, a municipal corporation in the county of Santa Cruz, State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to city justice courts,

Also Senate Bill No 741—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the classification of municipal corporations," approved March 2, 1883, as amended, relating to municipal corporations:

Also Senate Bill No. 796—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 1, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered fourteen, relating to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 659—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1731*a*, relating to the formation of a consolidated school district and for the government of the elementary and secondary schools therein by a Board of Education:

Also: Senate Bill No. 795—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1584*a*, relating to the establishment of retirement systems for teachers in cities and cities and counties organized under freeholders charters:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 310—An act to amend section 2170 of the Political Code, relating to medical examiners of the insane and prescribing the form of their certificate of examination:

Also Senate Bill No 434—An act regulating private trade schools, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, and a bond, providing for proper equipment and for refunds of tuition where courses are not taken, prohibiting misleading advertisements and false representations and promises, providing for registers, receipts, diplomas and prescribed courses of instruction, providing for supervision of such schools by the commissioner of labor and granting to the said commissioner the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purposes and intent of this act, and providing penalties for violations of this act:

Also Senate Bill No 240—An act to amend sections 1665 and 1666 of the Political Code, relating to courses of study in the elementary schools:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to support of wards of the juvenile court—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act relating to the doing of public work by day's labor or force account, except emergency and maintenance work and work costing less than $10,000; requiring the State Highway Engineer, State Engineer, the State Architect, county engineers, county surveyors, city and county engineers, county highway engineers, road commissioners, city engineers, commissioners of public works, superintendents of streets, harbor engineers, flood control engineers, and the engineers of any reclamation, irrigation or other districts, political subdivisions or agencies of the state directing, supervising or superintending such work, or in charge of the engineering for or in connection therewith, to keep the costs, prepare and file plans, specifications and estimates of cost, and, upon completion, prepare and file certificates of cost thereof; and providing for the keeping of such plans, specifications and certificates as public records," approved June 21, 1923; and adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3, providing a penalty for violation of any of the provisions of said act, relating to public officers and employees subject to the provisions hereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 183—An act prohibiting the doing of any public work costing in excess of $5000 by day's labor or force account, except public work which is now authorized by law to be done by convict or prison labor or by patients, students or other inmates of any State institution or as maintenance work, miscellaneous repairs, alterations in and additions to existing buildings or work occasioned by emergency without advertising for bids, until bids therefor have first been invited, opened and rejected, should any bid or bids be received;

Also: Senate Bill No. 448—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 783—An act to amend section 19c of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and

all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No 80—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 502, relating to carrying animals on automobiles;

Also Assembly Bill No 174—An act appropriating money to provide for the grading, paving, curbing, guttering and drainage of those portions of Normal street, Normal-Campus intersection, Campus street, Campus-Meade intersection, and Meade avenue, in San Diego, California, fronting on property of the San Diego State Teachers College,

Also Assembly Bill No 450—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, maintenance and use of entrances and exits in certain buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated towns, incorporated cities and incorporated cities and counties; to provide for its enforcement and to provide penalties for the violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending section numbered 102 thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to add a new title to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1001—An act to amend section 36 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, relating to registrations;

Also Assembly Bill No 162—An act appropriating money for expenditure as directed by the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California in aiding the department of interior of the United States in stream gaging work in the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital,

Also Assembly Bill No 845—An act to amend section 279 of the Political Code, relating to allowances to organization of the California national guard,

Also Assembly Bill No 1269—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1273—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 175—An act to amend section 4257 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 229—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class:
And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this third day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock and forty minutes p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 27, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1124—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass

(Signed out)

HEISINGER, Chairman.
SCHMIDT.
WILLIAMSON.
MUELLER.
SPENCE.
McPHERSON.
BYRNE.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 7 to 15, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 7 to 15 and insert in lieu thereof the words "divided into town or other lots and also an area of land not so subdivided, the said board of supervisors shall include only such portion of said unsubdivided acreage as the owners thereof shall have petitioned to have included within the limits of said proposed corporation. The boundaries so established by the board of,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 33, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 145—An act to amend section 1431 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to change of place of trial in justice's courts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Jones moved that Senate Bill No. 145 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 145 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149g, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

Bill read third time

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dayton moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "under civil service provisions".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dayton as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 654, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DAYTON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article XX thereof, relative to proportional representation.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed amendment, strike out all from lines 9 to 22, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 13. A plurality of the votes given at any election shall constitute a choice unless otherwise provided for in this constitution; *provided*, that in cities, counties, cities and counties, organized under charters, such charters may prescribe, and in municipalities and counties organized under general laws, such laws may prescribe, any manner, method, and system of minority representation, proportional representation, or any other manner, method, and system of election, and of voting, counting and valuing of vote, relating to elective officers.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

The title to said amendment is hereby amended by striking out the words "proportional representation", the last two words in the title, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "elections in cities, counties and cities and counties."

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE.

Senate Bill No. 135—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company; compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment; and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved

March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to hours of labor of female employees.

Bill read third time.

Mr. Scudder asked for and was granted permission to withdraw the amendments submitted by him on Thursday, April 2, 1925.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Scudder moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out from line 33 to line 36, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "curing, canning, packing or drying of any variety of perishable fruit or vegetables during such periods as may be necessary to harvest, cure, can, pack or dry the same in order to save the same from spoiling; *and provided further*, that the provisions of this section in relation to the hours of employment shall not apply to the curing, canning or drying of fish during such periods as may be necessary to cure, can and dry said fish in order to save the same from spoiling.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Senate Bill No 135 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 135 re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Schmidt moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Roland waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 482 was passed.

Assembly Bill No 482 ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 443—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and compensation of officers in counties of the forty-first class.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56

Assembly Bill No. 643—An act to amend section 4261 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-second class.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Mitchell—1.
NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

Assembly Bill No. 25—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to special notices of proceedings in estates.

Consideration of Governor's veto pending.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—West—1.
NOES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.

Assembly Bill No. 856—An act to amend section 1*b* of an act entitled "An act for the prevention of the adulteration or mislabeling of agricultural seed, providing for the indicating of the purity and viability thereof, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Consideration of Governor's veto pending.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Cleveland—1.
NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Speaker announced that a roll call would be taken to ascertain the feasibility of holding a session tomorrow, Saturday, April 4, 1925.

The roll was called, and the following members present answered whether or not they would be present as follows:

AYES—Adams, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—32.
NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, and Williamson—37.

ASSEMBLYMAN WALTERS IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty minutes p.m., Hon. Byron J. Walters, member from the Seventy-ninth District, was called to the chair.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto; creating a Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee; defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof; providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures; appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1011 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and fifty-eight minutes p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 152—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the board of regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof.'" approved June 12, 1913, as amended, relative to registration of nurses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 152 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 450—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, maintenance and use of entrances and exits in certain buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated towns, incorporated cities and incorporated cities and counties; to provide for its enforcement and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 450 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 403 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Melville moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 42, of the amended bill, after the word "stock", strike out the words "state highway".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Melville as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 589, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MELVILLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend section 36 of the Motor Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, relating to registrations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1091 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 67—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 67 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—54.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Carter, and Mr Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 362—An act to amend section 384 of the Penal Code, relating to fires.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 362 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 149—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2320, declaring the cultivated black currant (*Ribes nigrum*), a public nuisance, and providing for its eradication; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 149 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55
NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., and Graves—3

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 64—An act to amend section 19*x*50 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody, and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salaries thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 64 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt,

Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 121—An act validating the formation, organization and proceedings of the Potter Valley Irrigation District under the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 121 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Dayton gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 121 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 732—An act to amend section 3681*a* of the Political Code, relating to the correction of any error in the assessment of land or any subsequent step in the collection of the taxes thereon.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 732 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 539—An act requiring boards of supervisors to provide for the payment, to the owner of cattle slaughtered pursuant to law, of a sum representing the difference or part of the difference between the appraised value and salvage value of such slaughtered cattle, in cooperation with the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture; to provide for the appraisement of such slaughtered cattle in cooperation with the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture; to authorize

boards of supervisors to levy a special tax on all taxable property to carry out the provisions of this act; to authorize boards of supervisors to establish a fund or funds for the purposes of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 539 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Graves, and Little—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 186—An act to amend section 4268 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of the thirty-ninth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 186 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 333—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to charitable, religious or benevolent societies

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Walters moved that Senate Bill No. 333 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 333 re-referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 111 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner,

Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Carter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 111 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 782—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Santa Barbara, subject to certain trusts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 782 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger Jacobson, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—44
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 653 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 620—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 17 of the "Building and Loan Commission Act," approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to the salaries and expenses of the Building and Loan Commission and the building and loan inspection fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 620 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner,

Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the tenth class.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 869 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—44.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p*, inclusive, of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and providing for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 471 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—46.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 174—An act appropriating money to provide for the grading, paving, curbing, guttering and drainage of those portions of Normal street, Normal-Campus intersection, Campus street, Campus-Meade intersection, and Meade avenue, in San Diego, California, fronting on property of the San Diego State Teachers College.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 174 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy,

Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to add a new title to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1029 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

GENTLEMEN: This is to advise your honorable bodies that I have signed Assembly Bills Numbers 175, 182, 369 and 877

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 229 is returned herewith without my approval for the reason that it contains serious errors in composition. The author has requested that it be returned.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 866 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 2322*e* of the Political Code by adding the names of certain weeds to the present list. The present law appears to me to amply cover the problem as it provides that "any other species of plant which, after practical survey and investigation, is found by the Director of Agriculture to be noxious and a menace to agriculture, shall by said director, through proclamation, be declared a noxious weed, and such species shall thereafter be considered a noxious weed."

I further object to this bill on the ground that the publication and posting required in the present law is omitted by this bill. The present law provides that notices regarding noxious weeds "shall be published once a week for two successive weeks in a newspaper or farm journal of general circulation published and circulated in the county or counties where any of said plant is known to exist. A copy of such proclamation shall also be posted in a public place in or near the area affected thereby." It seems important that the public should be fully advised of any action of the Director of Agriculture, and that the present requirement of publication and posting are necessary and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CLAIMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

(Signed out)

WEMPLE, Chairman.
JOHNSON.
WEST.
SPALDING.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1277—An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WALTERS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1122—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relative to partial redemptions from sale to State for delinquent taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

GRAVES, Chairman.
SCOFIELD.
DAYTON.
EASLEY.
BURNS.
EKSWARD.
SAYLOR
DILLINGER.
MURRAY.
CLOUDMAN

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CIVIL SERVICE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors—has had the same

under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

JONES, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Walters:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Duval:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 1923 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the twenty-third class.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO April 3, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 410—An act to authorize and empower legislative bodies of municipal corporations to establish, maintain, use and reimburse revolving funds in connection with or incident to the laying out, construction or improvement of streets or other public work or the acquisition of lands, rights of way or other property necessary therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 619—An act to add two new sections, to be numbered 15*c* and 15*d*, to the "Building and Loan Commission Act", approved April 5, 1911, as amended, relating to building and loan associations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to amend section 453*l* of the Civil Code, relating to filing of annual statements with Insurance Commissioner by assessment corporations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 629 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also, Senate Bill No. 361—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25 and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919;

Also, Senate Bill No. 156—An act to regulate the use of purse seines, purse nets, drag nets, lampara nets or round haul nets in fish and game districts nineteen, twenty "A" and twenty-one), and providing a penalty for the violation thereof;

Also, Senate Bill No. 41—An act appropriating money for tinting, papering and other necessary improvements and repairs of the Governor's mansion and outbuildings thereof at Sacramento and for new carpets, furnishings, and equipment to be used therein;

Also, Senate Bill No. 6—An act to appropriate $5,000 to be used by the California Highway Commission for the purpose of making a survey for a road from the city of Hollister to Soledad;

Also, Senate Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c* and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 650 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 361 read first time, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 156 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 41 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 6 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 311 read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 784—An act to allow unincorporated cities, towns and districts to equip and maintain a fire department;

Also Senate Bill No. 684—An act to amend sections 1, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts;

Also Senate Bill No. 455—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No. 18—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations;

Also Senate Bill No. 415—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 506*b*, relative to embezzlement by insurance agents and brokers;

Also Senate Bill No. 639—An act to amend section 628*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Senate Bill No. 364—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI, inclusive, of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships, and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states;

Also Senate Bill No. 365—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 784 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 684 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 455 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 18 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 415 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 639 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 364 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 365 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 337—An act making an appropriation for emergency relief of Indians in California;

Also Senate Bill No. 370—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, and the appointment of commissioners thereto;

Also Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class;

Also Senate Bill No. 599—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon

the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending sections numbered 58, 59, 61, 63, 64 and 73 thereof, relating to operators and chauffeurs licenses

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 337 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 370 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 216 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 599 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

ADJOURNMENT

At five o'clock and twenty minutes p m., on motion of Mr. McDowell, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a. m., Monday, April 6, 1925, out of respect to the memory of the late Hon. Joseph Adams Filcher.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, April 6, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m, pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotor, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Hartranft, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion of Mr. Roland, Mr. Byrne was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Eksward, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO THE FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Saylor, Mrs Frank Coombs, wife of Assemblyman Frank Coombs, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Brock, Mr. J. J. Prendergast of Redlands, California, a former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j*, of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 1 and section 2 of an act entitled "An act requiring the payment into the State Treasury of all moneys belonging to the State, received by the various State institutions, commissions, and officers and directing the disposition of the same," approved March 17, 1899, as amended, relating to the payment of State money into the treasury and abolishing certain special funds;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend sections 2293 and 2298 of the Political Code, and to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the library fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended, and that it be re-referred to Committee on County Government.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 497—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same

back without recommendation, and that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act relating to immigrants and immigration, creating a Commission of Immigration and Housing, providing for the employment by said commission of a secretary, agents and other employees, authorizing the said commission to fix their compensation, prescribing the duties of said commission, providing for the investigation by said commission of all things affecting immigrants, and for the care, protection and welfare of immigrants, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions thereof," approved June 12, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 18, relating to the disposition of records;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 599—An act to amend sections 9 and 11 and to repeal sections 12 and 16 of the "State Market Commission Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, to be numbered 1925, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act appropriating money to be used for the installation of a new system for the keeping of records in the Bureau of Vital Statistics—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to authorize the city of Vallejo, Solano County, California, to enter into partition agreement between the city of Vallejo and claimants of tide-land locations granted to the city of Vallejo by the State of California under State patents issued to such claimants which had the effect of conveying legal title subject to public easement and right of navigation and fisheries, and to authorize the city of Vallejo to allot to such claimants not in excess of one-half of said property and release the public right of navigation and fisheries as to such portions as may not be longer required for such purpose—has had the

same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 561—An act to amend section 3466 of the Political Code by providing that assessments in reclamation districts shall be collected in not more than one separate installment for warrants issued for more than three years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to create a drainage district to be called Knight's Landing Ridge Drainage District, to promote drainage therein by the making of a cut through Knight's Landing ridge, and the construction of a canal leading therefrom, to provide for the election and appointment of officers of said drainage district; defining the powers, duties and compensation of such officers, and providing for levying and collecting assessments upon the lands within said drainage district; the issuance of bonds by said drainage district and testing the validity of the levy of such assessments and the issuance of such bonds," approved April 30, 1913, relating to the collection of installments—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 308—An act making an appropriation for the Calaveras river flood control project of the city of Stockton, California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 386—An act to amend sections 6, 11 and 16 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," approved May 18, 1919, as amended and to add to said act a section relating to reassessments, to be numbered 24b—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act known as the "Water Commission Act" and entitled "An act to regulate the use of water which is subject to such control by the State of California, and in that behalf creating a State Water Commission; specifying and providing for the appointment of the members of said commission; fixing the terms of office and compensation of the members of said commission; fixing the powers, duties and authority of said commission and its members, providing for the filling of vacancies in the membership of said commission; providing for the removal from office of the appointed members of said commission; providing for the cooperation of courts with said commission; providing that certain courts shall take judicial notice of certain acts of the State Water Commission; specifying the duties of all persons summoned as witnesses before said commission or any of its members; appropriating money for carrying out the provisions of this act; providing for the payment of the indebtedness and expenses of said commission, its members and employees; declaring what water is unappropriated; providing for the utilization of water and the works necessary to such utilization to the

full capacity of streams or of such portion or portions of such capacity as the public good may require; declaring what water may be appropriated; declaring that the nonapplication for ten consecutive years of any portion of the waters of any stream to lands riparian to such stream shall be conclusive presumption that the use of such nonapplied water is not needed on said riparian lands for a useful or beneficial purpose; declaring that such nonapplied water shall be deemed to be in the use of the State and subject to appropriation; declaring the duties of those who desire to appropriate water; declaring the periods for which water may be be appropriated and the conditions under which water may be appropriated; providing for the payment of fees and charges by the applicants for permission to appropriate water and by the appropriators of water; providing for the ascertainment and adjudication of water rights; providing for the bringing of actions by certain persons, or, upon the direction of the State Water Commission, by the Attorney General, for the quieting of title to water rights; specifying certain duties of the claimants, possessors or users of water or water rights; declaring water rights forfeited under certain conditions, regulating the appropriation of water; excepting cities, cities and counties, municipal water districts, irrigation districts and lighting districts from certain provisions of this act, defining certain words and terms used in this act; repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act; declaring how this act shall be known; making legislative declaration concerning those parts of this act which may not be declared unconstitutional," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 7, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 39 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10*a*, relating to water investigations, records of diversion and use, and distribution of water—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 682—An act to regulate the sanitation and maintenance of auto camps, to provide for the licensing, inspection and supervision of the same, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 337—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semitrailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules, or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 121—An act to amend section 4273 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the forty-fourth class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Also Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of statutes,

Also Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 19*a*15 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 385—An act to amend section 4262 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales,

Also Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges;

Also Assembly Bill No 469—An act to amend section 1238 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exercise of the right of eminent domain,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 563—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act creating a reclamation district to be called and known as 'Reclamation District No. 1500', providing for the management and control thereof and dissolving all levee districts, swamp land districts, and reclamation districts, lying wholly within the boundaries of said reclamation district No 1500, providing for the liquidation and winding up of said dissolved districts, and excluding from any levee district, swamp land district and reclamation district any land lying within the boundaries of said Reclamation District No. 1500," approved April 30, 1913, as amended, relating to the election, appointment, powers, and duties of the trustees of said district, and relating to the management and control thereof,

Also 'Assembly Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 593—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 646—An act to amend section 689*b*, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to selling personal property under execution;

Also Assembly Bill No. 730—An act to amend sections 852*a* and 881 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections for and adoption of the commission form of government, and relating to the compensation of officers of municipalities,

Also Assembly Bill No. 742—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation for labor or service in private employment, establishing regular pay days, providing penalties for the violation of its provisions, authorizing the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce this act, defining the duties of district attorneys relative to its enforcement, providing for the collection of certain penalties by civil action at the direction of said commissioner and for the disposition of penalties so collected; repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the time of payment of wages,' approved May 1, 1911, as amended April 28, 1915, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to regulate the payment of wages or compensation of employees in private employments, to provide for regular pay days in such employments; providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and authorizing the commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics to enforce the provisions of this act,' approved June 8, 1915," approved May 6, 1919, by amending section 4 thereof, providing for the posting of notices with reference to the time of payment of wages, the place where wages shall be paid, manner of payment, payment in case of strikes and penalties for violations thereof, so as to provide additional penalties for failures to pay monthly or semimonthly as in section 2 of the said act provided and providing for the collection of the civil penalties provided by civil action by the said commissioner,

Also Assembly Bill No 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito;

Also Assembly Bill No. 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such claim is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the

claim filed by him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 969—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 970—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Hawes:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL.

Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to boards of supervisors, their jurisdiction, and limitation of powers, and vesting them with the power of providing for assistance of county officers, and the fixing of their salaries and the payment thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

The title to Assembly Bill No. 244 is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Strike out all of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to amend the Political Code by adding a new section thereto to be known and numbered section four thousand and forty-one *a* (4041*a*) relating to the powers of boards of supervisors in appointing assistance to the various county officers and fixing their salaries and the payment thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

After the period following the figure 1 in line 1 of the printed bill, strike out the balance of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

The Political Code of the State of California is hereby amended by adding a new section thereto to be known and numbered section four thousand and forty-one *a* (4041*a*) to read as follows:

4041*a*. The boards of supervisors in their respective counties shall have jurisdiction and power under such limitations and restrictions as are prescribed by law:

1. To provide for such assistance to the various county officers of the several counties as public convenience may require, and may provide for their salaries and the payment thereof.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dis-

solution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, and to add a new section to said act to be numbered section 10*a*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 7, 8 and 9 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "a new section to said act to be numbered ten *a*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "two new sections to said act to be numbered ten *a* and ten *b*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory and to service outside of district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Strike out lines 27 to 36, inclusive, page 2 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC. 6. The title to all property which may have been acquired for a county fire protection district, created under the provisions of this act, shall be vested in the county wherein such county fire protection district is located. Whenever all of the territory in such county fire protection district shall be annexed to, or otherwise included within, any municipal corporation, then such county fire protection district shall be deemed dissolved and such property shall thereupon become the property of such municipal corporation. All money in the county treasury to the credit of any fund of such county fire protection district shall, upon the annexation or inclusion of such territory, as above noted, be forthwith transferred to the treasury of said municipal corporation and be used for the purposes for which the same was available prior to such transfer and none other. Whenever all of the territory of a county fire protection district shall be included within two or more municipalities or whenever the major portion of the territory of a county fire protection district shall be incorporated in or annexed to any municipality or municipalities, then such county fire protection district shall be deemed dissolved and the board of supervisors shall apportion the property of said district and the unexpended district funds between said municipalities or between any such municipalities and the county, where part of the territory of such district is outside of any municipality, in proportion to the respective assessed valuations of the property within said municipalities or in proportion to the assessed valuation of the property within and without a municipality or municipalities.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

Following line 19, page 3 of the printed bill, insert the following:

SEC. 4. A new section is hereby added to said act to be numbered ten *b*, to read as follows:

10*b*. Whenever a fire occurs within the limits of any county fire protection district and is of such proportions that it cannot be adequately extinguished or handled by the fire department of such district, or whenever a fire occurs in any unincorporated territory of a county not included within a county fire protection district, the apparatus, equipment and fire fighting force of any county fire protection district within said county may be used for the purpose of extinguishing such fire in such other county fire protection district, or in such unincorporated portion of the county: *provided*, that in either case there shall be paid from the general fund of the county into the fund of the district furnishing such services the reasonable value of the use and the repairs and depreciation upon said apparatus and equipment, and to pay such other expenses as are reasonably incurred in furnishing such fire fighting services.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, after the words "do enact as follows:" insert the following

SECTION 1. In counties of the third class the county and township officers shall receive as full compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their office, the following salaries

1. The county clerk, five thousand dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the county clerk one chief deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one deputy to act as judgment clerk, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy to act as assistant judgment clerk, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand two hundred and twenty dollars per annum; one deputy to act as assistant clerk of the board of supervisors, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars per annum; one deputy to act as chief registration clerk whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand two hundred and twenty dollars per annum; five deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand two hundred and twenty dollars per annum each; twenty-one deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each; one deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand six hundred and twenty dollars per annum, three deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum each. All the foregoing deputies herein provided for, shall be appointed by the county clerk of said county, and their salaries shall be paid by the county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as is the salary of the county clerk

Such additional deputies are also allowed the said county clerk in each year in which a general election is to be held throughout the state, as he may appoint and whose compensation shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, also such additional deputies in each year in which a presidential primary election is held, as he may appoint and whose compensation shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars; also such additional deputies in the event of a special election being held within the county as he may appoint and whose compensation shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars; *provided, further*, that in each year in which a new and complete registration of voters is required by law, the county clerk in counties of this class may appoint for each voting precinct in the county, one additional deputy who shall be a qualified elector of the precinct for which appointed and who shall be paid eight cents per name for each elector legally registered by him or her in the same manner as other county claims are paid

2. The sheriff, four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff, one undersheriff, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, four deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each; one chief jailer whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; two deputies who shall act as detectives whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each, twenty-three deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each, two engineers for the jail whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand two hundred eighty dollars per annum each, two deputies who shall act as process servers in addition to their other duties whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum each; one matron for the jail whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, one assistant matron for a period of not to exceed two weeks in any one year and to serve only during the vacation of the matron, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of sixty-two and one-half dollars for such two weeks; *provided, further*, that all the foregoing deputies and assistants of such sheriff herein provided for shall be appointed by the sheriff and their salaries shall be paid by the said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the sheriff, the sheriff shall also receive the amount of money necessarily expended by him in serving all process and notices and all expenses necessarily incurred by him in the pursuit

of criminals and the same shall be a charge against the county and allowed as such by the board of supervisors and paid as other county charges are paid

3. The recorder, five thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the recorder the following deputies and copyists who shall be appointed by the recorder of such county and who shall be paid salaries and compensations as follows One chief deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, twenty-two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each; two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each; *provided, further*, that the salaries of the deputies herein provided for shall be paid by the said county in equal monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the recorder; *provided, further*, that in counties of this class, the recorder shall be entitled to the actual cost incurred by him for the recording of all papers, documents and records in his office not to exceed seven and three-fourths cents per folio for long hand recording and not to exceed six cents per folio for typewritten recording for each paper or document so recorded, *and provided, further*, that said recorder shall file monthly with the county auditor a sworn statement showing in detail the persons and the amounts paid to each for such recording.

4. The auditor, five thousand dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the auditor, one chief deputy, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars per annum one deputy to act as accountant whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy to act as redemption clerk whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy to act as warrant clerk whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, four deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each; one deputy to act as stenographer whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand six hundred twenty dollars per annum; and such additional assistants during the period in each year from July first to December thirty-first as the auditor may appoint and whose compensation shall not in the aggregate exceed the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *and provided, further*, that the auditor shall file with the county clerk, a sworn statement showing in detail the amounts paid and the persons to whom such compensation is paid for such extra assistants as aforesaid, *provided, further*, that the deputies and assistants herein provided shall be appointed by the auditor of said county and their salaries paid by the said county in equal monthly installments, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as is the salary of the auditor

5. The treasurer, five thousand dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the treasurer, one chief deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars per annum, one deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, three deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each; all of which sums shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner, and out of the same fund as is the salary of the treasurer; *provided*, that all of said deputies herein provided for shall be appointed by the treasurer of said county; *and provided, further*, that all commissions and fees required or permitted by any law of this state or of the United States, to be collected by the treasurer either as an officer or ex officio officer, his deputies or assistants, for the performance of any official duty, shall be collected for the benefit of the county and shall be paid into the salary fund of the county monthly

6. The tax collector, five thousand dollars per annum; ***provided*, that in counties** of this class there shall be and there hereby **is allowed to the tax collector, one chief** deputy, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as chief clerk whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall act as cashier whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; twelve deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each; *provided, further*, that there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the tax collector three extra deputies for a period not to exceed eight months in any one year at a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month each, six extra deputies for a period not to exceed five months in any one year at a salary of one hundred and thirty-five dollars per month each; six extra deputies for a period not to exceed four months in any one year at a salary of one hundred and thirty-five dollars per month each; *provided, further*, that in counties of this class the tax collector shall appoint six persons to be known as indexers and whose duties it shall be under the supervision and direction of the tax collector to compile, make out and complete an index of the assessment-roll of the county, and of the sanitary assessment-rolls for each sanitary district in counties of this class yearly, as soon as the said rolls are completed by the assessor of the county, and each assessor of said sanitary districts and for each year thereafter. The said indexes to be a

public record for use of the tax collector and the general public and to be kept in the office of the tax collector during the collection of taxes and to be turned over to the auditor at the same time as the assessment-rolls are turned over in the final settlement of the tax collector with the county auditor. Such indexers shall be paid a salary of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month each, payable at the same time and in the same manner as other county officers are paid, but such indexers shall not be employed to exceed four months in any one year; *provided, further*, that the chief deputy and all other deputies and assistants herein provided for shall be appointed by the tax collector of said county, and the salaries of said chief deputy and all other deputies and assistants herein provided for, shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the tax collector.

7. The license collector shall receive fifteen per cent of all licenses collected by him.

8 The assessor, seven thousand dollars per annum and necessary traveling expenses in the performance of the duties of his office: *provided*, that in counties of this class, there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the assessor, the following assistants and deputies who shall be appointed by the assessor and paid salaries as follows, one assistant assessor whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one chief deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars per annum; two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum each; two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each; nine deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred sixty dollars per annum each; nineteen deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each; two deputies for a period not to exceed six months in any one year whose salaries are hereby fixed at the rate of one hundred sixty-six and two-thirds dollars per month each, eighteen deputies for a period not to exceed five months in any one year whose salaries are fixed at the sum of one hundred thirty-five dollars per month each, and such additional deputies as the assessor may appoint and whose compensation shall not in the aggregate exceed the sum of four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that the assessor shall file with the county auditor a verified statement showing in detail the amount paid and the persons to whom such compensation is paid for such extra assistants as aforesaid; *provided, further*, that the number of deputies, not to exceed four, which are assigned by the assessor to do field work outside of incorporated cities or towns within counties of this class shall be allowed their actual and necessary traveling expenses while engaged in assessing personal property in the said unincorporated territory. The salaries herein provided for shall be paid by the said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor, *provided, however*, that should the assessor be directed by any law or by any order of the board of supervisors or by any municipality within the counties of the third class to prepare maps, plats or block-books for the use of the county or assessment-rolls for the use of any municipality, then said assessor shall make said maps, plats or block-books or assessment-rolls for the use of any municipality but shall only receive the actual cost by him incurred in making or preparing said maps, plats, block-books or assessment-rolls, *and provided, further*, that he shall file with the county auditor a sworn statement showing the persons to whom and the amounts paid to each for such maps, plats, block-books or assessment-rolls, and shall account forthwith and pay to the county any difference between such costs and the amount allowed him for such work; *and provided, further*, that the salaries herein named shall be in full compensation for all services of every kind and description rendered by the assessor, his deputies or assistants; *and it is further provided*, that in counties of this class the assessor shall receive no commission for his collection of taxes on personal property, nor shall said assessor receive any compensation for making out the military roll of persons returned by him as subject to military duty as provided by section one thousand nine hundred one of the Political Code.

9 The district attorney, six thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the district attorney the following assistants, deputies and employees who shall be appointed by the district attorney and who shall be paid salaries as follows two assistant district attorneys whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum each; one chief deputy district attorney whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand three hundred dollars per annum; one deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand three hundred dollars per annum; three deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars per annum each; two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum each; three deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each; one deputy to act as bond and warrant clerk in addition to his other duties whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred

dollars per annum each whose duty it shall be in addition to performing services as deputies district attorney to attend the sessions of the police courts in cities of the second class and conduct on behalf of the people all prosecutions for public offenses of which said police court shall have jurisdiction; one clerk whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum; one clerk at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; four stenographers whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand six hundred and twenty dollars per annum each; one detective who shall assist the district attorney in the detection of crime and prosecution of criminal cases whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one detective who shall assist the district attorney in the detection of crime and prosecution of criminal cases whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum: *and provided, further*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as preventing the board of supervisors of counties of this class from employing special counsel in civil cases when the judgment of said board determines the interests of said counties to require it The salaries of said assistant district attorneys, deputies, and all other persons in this subdivision provided for, shall be payable to the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the district attorney is paid

10 The coroner, four thousand dollars per annum; and his necessary traveling expenses as follows: ten cents per mile for distance actually traveled outside the cities of Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda, Piedmont, Emeryville and San Leandro; said traveling expenses not to exceed twenty dollars in any one calendar month, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class, there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the coroner, one autopsy physician and surgeon, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, who shall perform all autopsies and inspections in all cases required by the coroner except that where the distance from the county seat exceeds twenty miles the coroner may subpœna a physician or surgeon to perform such autopsy or inspect the body; one deputy, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum, and one stenographer whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum and who shall be paid in addition thereto, for transcribing all the testimony and proceedings taken by him at any inquest, the sum of ten cents per one hundred words for one copy and five cents per one hundred for two copies made at one time and in every case where the death of any person shall have been caused by the criminal act of another such stenographer shall make a copy of the transcript of the testimony and proceedings taken at said inquest for the use of the district attorney of said county, in all inquests so reported the fees for transcribing as provided herein shall be paid out of the county treasury upon the order of the coroner. When such testimony is taken down by such stenographer as herein set forth his transcription thereof duly certified to by him shall constitute the deposition of the witnesses testifying at such inquest so reported by such stenographer. The autopsy physician and surgeon, deputy and stenographer herein provided for shall be appointed by the coroner and their salaries shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the coroner is paid.

11. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

12 The superintendent of schools, five thousand dollars per annum: *provided*, that during the term of office of the present incumbent the salary of the superintendent of schools shall be four thousand dollars per annum, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the superintendent of schools, one assistant superintendent of schools whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars per annum, one chief deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each; and such additional clerks and deputies during each year as the superintendent of schools may appoint and whose compensation in the aggregate shall not exceed the sum of five hundred dollars per annum: *provided, further*, that the superintendent of schools shall file with the auditor a sworn statement showing in detail the amounts paid and the persons to whom such compensation is paid for such extra clerks and deputies as aforesaid, said assistants and deputies shall all be appointed by the said superintendent of schools of said county and their salaries shall be paid in equal monthly installments out of the same fund and in the same manner as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid. In counties of this class the superintendent of schools shall receive his actual and necessary traveling expenses for visiting and examining schools and school properties of the county and in performance of such other duties as are incident to the full discharge of the requirements of the office of superintendent of schools.

13. The surveyor, five thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the surveyor one chief deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum

of one thousand six hundred and twenty dollars per annum The salary of such surveyor shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers are paid. All work which the surveyor is directed or charged to perform by law, or by order of the board of supervisors of such county, shall be performed by the surveyor at actual cost; *provided, however*, that on all such work other than block-book work hereinafter provided for, transit men and office men when actually engaged on such county work shall receive a per diem of not to exceed ten dollars and chainmen when actually engaged in such county work shall receive a per diem of not to exceed six dollars; *and provided, further*, that for the making, platting, tracing or otherwise preparing maps, plats or block-books for the use of the county or any municipality within such county there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the surveyor the following draughtsmen who shall be paid salaries as follows two draughtsmen whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each, two assistant draughtsmen whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each; *and provided, further*, that the surveyor shall be allowed all necessary expenses for work performed for the county by virtue of his office and all necessary expenses and transportation for work performed in the field The said surveyor shall render to the auditor of said county a monthly sworn statement showing therein the kind and nature of work performed, the dates, amounts paid to assistants and paid for expenses The salary herein fixed for said surveyor shall be in lieu of all other fees, commissions or compensations of whatever kind or nature for services performed by said surveyor for said county. The deputy and all persons herein provided for shall be appointed by the surveyor and their salaries shall be paid by said county in equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as are the salaries of county officers of counties of this class

14. Justices of the peace shall each receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month in the manner and out of the same fund as county officers are paid which salaries shall be in full for all services rendered by such justices of the peace in townships having a population of more than one hundred thousand, four thousand dollars per annum, in townships having a population of seventy-five thousand and less than one hundred thousand, three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, in townships having a population of seventeen thousand and less than seventy-five thousand, two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum, in townships having a population of less than seventeen thousand, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; *and provided, further*, that each justice of the peace must keep a book, open for the inspection of the public during office hours, in which must be entered at once and in detail the amount of all fees and fines collected by him as such justice of the peace and on the first Monday of each and every month he must pay such fees and fines so collected into the county treasury or city treasury as provided by law; *and provided, further*, that the board of supervisors of counties of the third class shall furnish each justice of the peace with a suitable office in which to hold court and shall also furnish the necessary furniture, books, blanks and supplies for said court; *and provided, further*, that in townships having a population of more than one hundred thousand there shall be one justice's clerk, and three deputy justice's clerks, who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace of said township, or justices, if more than one, and who shall perform such duties as are required of them by law or the justice or justices of said township. The salary of said clerk is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand two hundred twenty dollars per annum and that of the deputy clerks at one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each, payable in equal monthly installments out of the same fund and in the same manner and at the same time as the salary of the justices of the peace is paid, *and provided, further*, that in townships having a population of more than seventy-five thousand and less than one hundred thousand there shall be one justice's clerk, who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace of said township, or justices, if more than one, and who shall perform such duties as are required of him by law or the justice or justices of said township. The salary of said clerk is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments out of the same fund and in the same manner and at the same time as the salary of the justice of the peace is paid. For the purpose of this section the population of townships in counties of this class is hereby determined to be the population of such townships as shown by the federal census taken in the year Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty. Any increase in the salary of any justice of the peace as herein provided shall become effective at the earliest date permitted by the constitution

15. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month in the same manner and out of the same fund as other county officers are paid which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases: In townships having a population of more than one hundred thousand, one hundred sixty-six and two-thirds dollars; in townships having a population of seventy-five thousand and less than one hundred thousand, one hundred fifty dollars; in townships having a population of twenty thousand and less than seventy-five thousand, one hundred

twenty-five dollars; in townships having a population of less than twenty thousand, one hundred thirty-five dollars. In addition to the compensation received in criminal cases each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services performed by him in civil cases; *provided*, that in counties of this class constables shall be, and they are hereby allowed such expenses as are actually and necessarily incurred by them in conveying prisoners to and from the county jail, such expenses to be itemized and presented as a claim against the county and to be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors and paid out of the county treasury in the same manner as are other claims. For the purpose of this section the population of townships in counties of this class is hereby determined to be the population of such townships as shown by the federal census taken in the year Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty, *provided, further*, that in townships having a population of more than one hundred thousand, the board of supervisors of counties of the third class shall furnish each constable with a suitable office and supplies for said office. Any increase in the salary of any constable as herein provided shall become effective at the earliest date permitted by the constitution.

16 Each supervisor, three thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class supervisors charged as road commissioners with the inspection of five hundred or more miles of roads within their respective districts, shall be and they are hereby allowed their actual traveling expenses not to exceed the sum of seventy-five dollars in any one calendar month; *and provided, further*, that in counties of this class supervisors charged as road commissioners with the inspection of two hundred fifty and not exceeding five hundred miles of roads within their respective districts shall be, and they are hereby allowed their actual traveling expenses not to exceed fifty dollars in any one calendar month, *and provided, further*, that in lieu of the above-mentioned amounts for traveling expenses, said supervisors charged as road commissioners may be furnished with automobiles by counties of the third class; *provided, further*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the use of county automobiles while engaged in the performance of their official duties, by supervisors of counties of this class not so charged as road commissioners.

17 The county librarian, three thousand dollars per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers; *provided*, that the board of supervisors may appoint all necessary employees for the county library as provided by law. The county librarian shall also be allowed actual and necessary traveling expenses.

18 The sealer of weights and measures, three thousand dollars per annum and deputy sealers of weights and measures the sum of two thousand dollars per annum each payable at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers, said deputies to be appointed as provided by law.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect ninety days after the final adjournment of the present session of the legislature.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4250", insert the following:

In counties of the twenty-first class, the county and township officers shall receive as full compensation for the services required of them by law, or by virtue of their office, the following salaries and fees to wit:

1. The county clerk, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and such fees as are now, or may be hereafter allowed by law, and in any year when a new great register of voters is required by law, he shall receive, in addition thereto, ten cents per name for each person registered. He may appoint one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand nine hundred eighty dollars per annum; three deputies who shall each receive a salary of one thousand three hundred eighty dollars per annum; one deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, a copyist at a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum; and during any year when an official primary election is held in

the county, he may appoint two additional deputies, to serve for a period of four months only, at a monthly salary of seventy-five dollars.

The deputies, clerks and stenographer herein provided for shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the county clerk is paid. In any year when a new registration of voters is required by law, he may appoint such number of deputies as may be necessary for the convenient registration of voters in their respective precincts, such deputyships and offices being hereby created. Each of said deputies shall be paid by the county the sum of ten cents per name for each elector registered by him. Said compensation to be paid out of the general fund of the county, on the presentation and filing with the board of supervisors of the county, of a duly verified claim therefor, approved by the county clerk. On and after January 6, 1919, all fees, commissions and perquisites from whatever source received and collected by the county clerk, except the said sum of ten cents per name received by him for each person registered, shall be paid into the county treasury, and shall belong to the county.

2. The sheriff, four thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sheriff the following deputies, which offices are hereby created, who shall be appointed by the sheriff, and shall be paid salaries as follows: One chief deputy at a salary of two hundred dollars per month, one deputy at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, one deputy to act as a jailer at a salary of one hundred seventy-five dollars per month, one deputy at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month. The salaries of the deputies and employees herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the sheriff is paid. In criminal cases, and actions in which the county is interested, the sheriff shall receive only actual expenses incurred and no more. All claims against the county shall be itemized and sworn to by the sheriff or chief deputy, and filed with the board of supervisors monthly before the tenth day of each month. Expense accounts to be sworn to and filed as separate claims. A monthly statement of all fees collected from whatever source derived, duly subscribed and sworn to by the sheriff or chief deputy shall be filed with the county treasurer on or before the tenth day of each month. The board of supervisors may allow the sheriff a sum not to exceed thirty-seven and one-half cents per day for feeding each prisoner committed to his custody. Prisoners shall be fed three meals each day. The changes in this subdivision made shall apply to the incumbent and shall be in lieu of all fees, commissions, and mileage.

3. The recorder, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and said recorder may appoint two deputy recorders, one of whom shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, and one who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. He may appoint such copyists as may be required for the recording of all papers, notices or documents in his office, except maps or plats, who shall receive for their services the sum of six cents per folio; and for copies of any paper or record six cents per folio. The salaries and compensation of all deputies and copyists herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments out of the same fund as the recorder is paid. All fees, commissions and perquisites collected by the recorder, from whatever source received, shall be paid into the county treasury. The recorder shall file monthly, on or before the tenth day of each month, with the county auditor, a verified statement showing in detail the fees received by him, and the amounts paid to copyists or other employees in his office, and the names of the persons to whom the same were paid.

4. The auditor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum. He may appoint one deputy, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; and one clerk at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month; and six copyists for one month in each year, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each. The deputy, clerk and copyists herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments in the same manner and out of the same fund as the auditor is paid.

5. The treasurer, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum. He may appoint one deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum. The salary of said deputy shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the treasurer is paid.

6. The tax collector, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum. He may appoint one deputy, which office is hereby created, at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; also, one stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and such additional clerks and copyists as the tax collector may appoint at a salary not to exceed six dollars per day each; *provided, however*, that the total amount of salary and compensation paid to such additional clerks and copyists, who receive a per diem shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars per annum. The tax collector is hereby declared to be the ex-officio license collector at a salary of five hundred dollars per annum, and is to be allowed the actual and necessary expenses incurred by him in the performance of his official duties.

The salary and compensation of each of said deputies, stenographers, clerks and copyists shall be paid out of the county treasury, in equal monthly installments, at the same time, and in the same manner as other county officials are paid.

7. The assessor, four thousand dollars per annum. In counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the assessor the following clerks, deputies and employees, who shall be paid salaries as follows: one chief deputy assessor at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one deputy assessor at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month; and such additional field deputy assessors and clerks as the assessor may appoint at a salary not to exceed seven dollars per day each: *provided, however*, that the total amount of salary and compensation paid to such additional deputies and clerks who receive a per diem shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars per annum.

The salaries of all deputies, clerks and employees shall be paid by the county, at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the assessor is paid. The assessor shall receive no compensation or commissions for the collection of personal property taxes, or compiling the military roll, and all commissions, perquisites and fees from whatever source received, collected by him, shall be paid into the county treasury, and shall belong to the county. The changes herein made are intended to place the office of the assessor on a fixed salary basis, in lieu of the assessor's present compensation, fees and commissions allowed him by law, and shall apply to the incumbent.

8. The district attorney, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and said district attorney may appoint a stenographer, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month; and one deputy district attorney, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. Said stenographer and deputy shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the district attorney is paid. The district attorney shall be allowed, in addition to the monthly salary herein allowed, the sum of sixty dollars per month which shall be in full for all his traveling and other personal expenses in criminal cases and civil actions in which the county is interested, as provided for in subdivision two of section four thousand three hundred seven of the Political Code.

8*a*. The county librarian, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers; *provided*, that there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the county librarian one deputy whose salary shall be one thousand five hundred dollars per annum and one deputy whose salary shall be one thousand three hundred twenty dollars per annum, and the board of supervisors may appoint all other necessary employees for the county library as provided by law. The county librarian shall also be allowed actual and necessary traveling expenses.

9. The coroner, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

10. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law.

11. The superintendent of schools, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and said superintendent of schools may appoint a clerk, which office is hereby created, who shall receive a salary of one hundred forty dollars per month. Said clerk shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the superintendent of schools is paid. In counties of this class the superintendent of schools shall receive his actual and necessary traveling expenses for visiting and examining schools and school properties of the county and in performing such other duties as are incident to the full discharge of the requirements of the office of superintendent of schools.

12. The surveyor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum: *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the surveyor one deputy, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum.

All work which the county surveyor is directed or charged to perform or cause to be performed by law or by order of the board of supervisors, shall be performed or caused to be performed by the county surveyor at actual cost: *provided, however*, that on all such work other than work for the assessor hereinafter provided, for transit men, draftsmen and inspectors that are actually engaged on such county work shall receive a per diem of not to exceed ten dollars, and chainmen and rodmen that are actually engaged in such work shall receive a per diem of not to exceed six dollars; *further*, that the county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary expenses for work performed for the county by virtue of his office, and all necessary expenses and transportation for work performed in the field. Whenever the county surveyor is directed by the board of supervisors or assessor to plat, trace, or otherwise prepare maps, plats or block books for the use of the county assessor or said board, he shall be allowed only the actual cost of preparing the same.

The said county surveyor shall render to the auditor of said county a sworn statement, showing therein the kind and nature of work performed, the dates, amounts paid to assistants and paid for expenses.

The deputy and all other persons herein provided for shall be appointed by the county surveyor, and their salaries shall be paid by said county, in equal

monthly installments, at the same time, and in the same manner and out of the same fund as are the salaries of county officers of this class

13. Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as salaries of the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them, and of all fees In townships having a population of three thousand five hundred or more, one hundred fifty dollars per month; in townships having a population of not less than one thousand five hundred and not more than three thousand five hundred ninety-five dollars per month; in all townships having a population less than one thousand five hundred, seventy-five dollars per month. All fees collected by justices of the peace shall be paid into the county treasury, and shall belong to the county. The provisions of this subdivision shall apply to the incumbents

14 Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries, to be paid each month as salaries of the county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases In townships having a population of three thousand five hundred or more, one hundred sixty-five dollars per month, in townships having a population of not less than one thousand five hundred nor more than three thousand five hundred, one hundred thirty dollars per month; in all townships having a population of less than one thousand five hundred, ninety dollars per month. In addition to the monthly salary allowed herein, each constable may collect and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law for all services performed by him in civil actions; and he shall also be allowed his actual and necessary expenses incurred in executing any warrant outside of his county issued by a magistrate or justice of his county. Constables shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred in arresting and conveying prisoners to the county jail, which said expenses shall be audited and allowed by the board of supervisors, and paid out of the county treasury

15. Each member of the board of education shall receive five dollars per day as compensation for his services when in actual attendance upon said board, and mileage at the rate of twenty-five cents per mile one way only, from his residence to the place of meeting of said board. The secretary of said board of education shall receive five dollars per day for his services for the actual time that the board may be in session Said compensation of the members of said board, and of said secretary, shall be paid out of the same fund as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid. Claims for such services and mileage shall be presented to the board of supervisors, and shall be allowed at the rate above named, in the same manner as other claims against the county are allowed. The compensation of the members of the county board of education herein provided is not in addition to that provided in section one thousand seven hundred seventy of this code.

16. Each supervisor, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and twenty cents per mile for traveling from his residence to the county seat; *provided*, that when a supervisor is also road commissioner he shall receive in addition to the twenty cents per mile allowed to him by law as such road commissioner his actual traveling expenses and additional expenses not in any one year to exceed the sum of three hundred dollars The changes as to salary made in this subdivision shall apply to incumbents.

17. Whenever it has been determined by the board of supervisors or by vote of the people to build, construct or repair any public road, bridge or building in the county, the board of supervisors may thereupon employ such expert mechanics, draughtsman, engineers and inspectors as the board deems necessary to render skilled or technical services in connection with and for the purposes of such work, and shall define their duties and fix their compensation. At any time deemed necessary, the board of supervisors shall have power to employ road masters who shall patrol the highways of the county as directed by the board and who shall have and exercise the powers of peace officers The compensation of such employees shall be designated by the board, upon claims presented to and approved by said board

18. The county traffic officer, two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, payable at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of other county officers are paid; *provided*, that there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county traffic officer six deputies, which offices are hereby created. Said deputies shall be appointed by said traffic officer and shall each receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; the salaries of such deputies shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as the salaries of county officers are paid. The board of supervisors shall provide motorcycles or other vehicles and gasoline and oil for the purpose of propelling the same, for such traffic officers and shall pay all of the expense of the upkeep of said machines. All of the provisions of this paragraph are to apply to the office of county traffic officers and his deputies whenever said office of county traffic officer is created by law.

19 In townships having a population of three thousand five hundred or more justices of the peace shall be allowed for their office rent, and expenses, the sum of sixty dollars each per month, in addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed. In townships having a population of less than three thousand five hundred, justices of the peace shall be allowed for their office rent, and expenses the sum of forty dollars each per month in addition to the monthly salaries herein allowed Each justice of the peace must pay into the county treasury monthly, all fees and fines collected by

him; and he must keep a book open for the inspection of the public, during office hours, in which must be entered at once and in detail the amount of all fees and fines collected by him. The auditor must withhold warrants for salary and office rent until a sworn statement has been filed with him, of all cases tried, and fees and fines collected, and the same are paid into the county treasury. No justice of the peace shall draw or receive any monthly salary unless he shall make and subscribe an affidavit before an officer entitled to administer oaths, that no cause in his court remains pending and undecided, that has been submitted to him for decision for a period of thirty days, said affidavit to be filed with the auditor of the county.

20. In counties of this class, grand jurors and trial jurors in the superior court shall each receive for each day's attendance, per day, the sum of three dollars, and for each mile actually and necessarily traveled from their residence to the county seat, in going only, per mile, the sum of twenty cents, such mileage to be allowed but once during each session such jurors are required to attend.

21. In counties of this class there shall be appointed by the sheriff a suitable woman as jail matron, who shall have care of female prisoners confined in the county jail. She shall be paid a salary of seventy-five dollars per month, to be paid by the county in monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner, and out of the same fund that the salary of the sheriff is paid.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to provide for the alteration of county boundary lines and for the adjustment of county debts and liabilities when such boundaries are changed, prescribing the method of holding elections and prescribing the duties of officers with respect thereto and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The boundary line or lines between two or more counties may be altered and changed as provided in this act.

In the event that the change or proposed change of boundaries will not result in the loss of more than one-tenth of one per cent of the entire area of any one county affected by such proposed change, such change may be made in the manner set forth in section two of the act, and in the event that such change or alteration of boundaries would result in the loss of more than one-tenth of one per cent of the entire area of any county affected by such change, such alteration or change of boundaries may be made as hereinafter otherwise provided.

SEC. 2. Whenever it is desired to change the boundary line between two or more counties, a petition may be presented to the board of supervisors of the county which would lose the greater amount of territory by the proposed change. The petition must be filed by the owners of real property within the territory to be directly affected by such change equal to at least fifty per cent in number and representing fifty per cent in value of the real estate in such territory in each of the counties affected as shown by the last equalized assessment roll of each county; said petition shall contain a particular description of the proposed change of boundary and a statement of the area in acres proposed to be transferred from each county to another. Upon the filing of such petition, the clerk of the board of supervisors with which the same is filed shall fix a date for the hearing thereof which shall not be less than thirty nor more than sixty days subsequent to the date of such filing. The clerk of the board of supervisors shall give notice of such hearing by publication in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county at least once a week for three consecutive weeks next preceding the date fixed for the hearing and shall contain statement that a petition has been presented to said board of supervisors of the county of_____ (naming it) praying for the change of the boundary line between the counties of_____(naming them) and that the petition will be heard by such board of supervisors at its place of meeting, designating the city or town and

the date and hour of the meeting so to be held, when and where all persons interested therein may appear and oppose the granting of the petition and object thereto. At the time so fixed for the hearing, the board of supervisors shall hear the petitioners and any opponents, may adjourn the hearing from time to time not exceeding fourteen days in all, shall receive proofs offered to establish the allegations set forth in the petition and may upon the conclusion of the hearing of the petition (*a*) deny the petition, (*b*) grant the petition as presented or (*c*) change the boundaries as proposed in said petition and grant the same, *provided, however*, that the board of supervisors shall not change the boundaries described in the petition so as to result in the loss to said county of any additional territory not described in said petition.

In the event that the board of supervisors grants the petition it shall by ordinance, subject to referendum, and subject to confirmation by the other counties affected, propose a change of boundaries accordingly. Upon the going into effect of said ordinance, the clerk of the board of supervisors shall transmit to the clerk of the board of supervisors of each of the counties territorially affected, a transcript of the proceedings in the matter of said proposed change of boundaries, including a copy of the petition and a certified copy of the ordinance proposing the change of such boundaries.

The board of supervisors of each other county territorially affected shall hear and consider the matter of proposed change of boundaries in the same manner and after the same notice hereinbefore prescribed for the hearing of the petition in the county in which the same was originally filed; *provided, however*, that the board of supervisors of any other county than that in which the petition for change of boundaries was first presented and heard shall not have the power to change the boundaries as contained in the ordinance adopted by the board of supervisors of the county in which the petition was first presented. The board of supervisors of said counties after hearing the petition may either grant or deny the same. In the event that said board of supervisors grants the petition, it shall by ordinance, subject to referendum, confirm the change of boundaries as proposed in the ordinance of the board of supervisors of the county in which the petition was first presented. Upon the going into effect of such ordinance of confirmation, the clerk of the board of supervisors shall thereupon transmit to the clerk of the board of supervisors of the county in which the petition was first presented, a statement of the proceedings of said board, including two certified copies of the ordinance confirming the change of said boundaries. In the event that the board of supervisors of each of the counties territorially affected shall by ordinance confirm such proposed change of boundaries, the clerk of the board of supervisors of the county in which the petition was first presented, shall transmit to the secretary of state a certified copy of the ordinance changing or altering said boundaries and a certified copy of the ordinance of confirmation adopted in each of the other counties territorially affected, and from and after the date of filing of such certified copies in the office of the secretary of state, the change of boundaries between said counties shall be deemed complete.

SEC. 3. Whenever it is desired to change the boundary lines between two or more counties and the loss of territory to any or either of the counties would exceed one-tenth of one per cent of the entire area of such county, a petition may be presented to the board of supervisors of the county which would".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE *a*

On page 1 of the printed bill, beginning with the comma after the word "excluded" in line 18, strike out all down to and including the word "dollars" in line 22.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE *b*.

On page 3, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "within" strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 3" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 4" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 5"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 5" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 40 of the printed bill, after the sentence ending with the word "affected", insert the following:

"The clerk of the board of supervisors shall thereupon cause to be filed with the secretary of state a transcript of the proceedings in the matter of said change of boundary including a certified copy of said resolution and from and after the filing of such transcription in the office of the secretary of state the said change of boundaries shall be deemed complete"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 6" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Sec. 7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 7" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 8" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 9" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 10" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 11".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend section 19*a*13 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 282—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 487—An act to amend section 2167*b* of the Political Code, relating to psychopathic parole.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges and the district attorney's special fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 30 to 41, inclusive, of page 2 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof

If less than the whole of such a district shall be included within one or more incorporated cities or towns, either by reason of annexation proceedings or by reason of incorporation proceedings, the district shall continue in existence and shall continue to function without being affected thereby, and the board of supervisors may levy a special tax upon all of the taxable property within the limits of such lighting

district for the purposes and in the manner provided in this act the same as though all of such property was situated in the unincorporated territory of the county, and with the same effect, unless and until, however, the district shall be dissolved upon petition as in this act provided, or unless and until the governing board of any such municipality shall by ordinance elect to sever and detach itself from the remainder of such district, in which latter event the district shall be dissolved and the territory so detached shall thenceforth no longer be a constitute a part of said district, nor shall the territory so detached be liable thenceforth for any tax provided for hereunder, and such proportionate part of the funds remaining to the credit of such district as has already been collected by taxation upon the property so detached shall be paid over to the municipal treasury or treasurer of the municipality or municipalities whose property has thereby so become detached from said district; *provided, however*, that none of said municipal territory shall be so detached unless and until the district shall be discharged of liability under any existing contract or contracts for the lighting of the territory so detached.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 798—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire a right of way or rights of way and construct a highway or highways extending from a point at or near and west of Cordelia, Solano County, to and in a general southwesterly direction through the American Canyon and thence extending said highway or highways by the most direct and practicable route in a southerly direction to a connection with the north end of the Carquinez bridge now being constructed by the American Toll Bridge Company over and across the straits of Carquinez and declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 6 of the title, after the word "canyon", insert a comma and the following words: "connecting with the paved highway north of the city of Vallejo,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Section 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "canyon" insert a comma and the following words: "connecting with the paved highway north of the city of Vallejo,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Ward's Ferry, thence to Groveland, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for a survey.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "Sonora", strike out the words "thence to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "Ward's ferry, thence to Groveland,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 5, 6, 7, and 8, and insert in lieu thereof the words "The said highway shall be maintained by the state under the supervision and direction of the California highway commission."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 151—An act declaring the county road commencing at Willows and extending through Fruto, Elk Creek, and Alder Springs, all in Glenn County, and thence through Covelo, Dos Rios, Laytonville, Branscomb to Westport, all located in Mendocino County, to be a State highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "Willows" and insert in lieu thereof the following "Beegum, in Tehama county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out lines 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following "extending to Peanut, in Trinity county, to be a state highway."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Willows" and insert in lieu thereof the following "Beegum, in Tehama county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 2, 3, and 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following, "extending to Peanut, in Trinity".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 8 to 14, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge, and from the south end of said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half miles south of the new bridge, to be a State highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the seventh line of the title of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "bridge" insert the following, "and such highway continuing to Antioch, Pittsburg, Nichols, Bay Point, Concord, Walnut Creek, and Lafayette, to the county line of Alameda county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "bridge" insert the following: "and such concrete county highway continuing through Antioch, Pittsburg, Nichols, Bay Point, Concord, Walnut Creek, and Lafayette, and continuing on what is known as the Tunnel Road southwest of Lafayette to the county line of Alameda county."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "state" and insert in lieu thereof the word "California".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 4 to 16, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "placed under the management and control of the California Highway Commission and said commission is hereby authorized and empowered to locate such road along the most direct and practicable route and to survey, construct and reconstruct the same with such variations as may, in the opinion of the said commission, be advisable."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 342—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of teachers in elementary schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the printed bill, between the words "and" and "such" insert a comma and the words "in cities".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "moral" and insert in lieu thereof the word "manual".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 135—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 308—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 343—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 295—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1519*e*, 1620*a*, and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school district.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out all of the first six lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered one thousand six hundred twenty *a*, relating to the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" insert the following

"A new section is hereby added to the Political Code, to be numbered one thousand six hundred twenty *a*, and to read as follows

1620*a*. The county boards of education shall have power and it shall be their duty, on or before the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred twenty-six, and on or before the first day of February of each ensuing year thereafter, to make all necessary purchases of school supplies and equipment including school furniture, musical instruments and apparatus and other such articles as may be necessary for the use of elementary schools in their respective counties; *provided*, that in any county employing a county purchasing agent, the board of education of such county must purchase said school supplies and equipment through the county purchasing agent

City boards of education and high school boards may, at their option, purchase all supplies and equipment through the agency of the county boards of education

County boards of education shall have power and it shall be their duty in the month of June of each year to make a school budget showing all the purposes for which the elementary schools in their respective counties will need money and the amount that will be needed for each of said purposes for the next ensuing school year. The budget shall be made in quadruplicate upon blanks approved by the county board of education and shall be filed with the county superintendent of schools of the county not later than the first day of July next succeeding. The county superintendent of schools shall examine such budget and if no changes are necessary shall approve the budget as submitted. If clerical corrections are needed he shall make such corrections and approve the budget as corrected. If in his judgment substantial changes are necessary, he shall indicate the changes which he deems necessary and shall return the budget thus changed, to the county board of education for reconsideration and resubmission. Not later than the thirty-first day of July the county board of education shall resubmit its budget with or without change from its original form as the county board of education may desire. Thereupon the county superintendent of schools shall approve such budget

After approving this budget, the county superintendent of schools shall determine the amount of money which must be provided by an elementary school tax, which amount shall be determined by deducting from the total estimated needs of elementary schools in the county as shown by this budget the total estimated income of the elementary schools in the county from all sources other than an elementary school tax for the current year as estimated by the county superintendent of schools. The remainder, if a remainder there be, thus obtained shall be the minimum amount of the elementary school taxes to be levied by the board of supervisors. Not later than ten days before the first day of the month in which the board of supervisors is required by law to levy the amount of taxes required for county or city and county purposes, the county superintendent shall file with the board of supervisors and with the county auditor, a copy of the approved budget showing the amount of school taxes required to meet this budget.

The board of supervisors of each county or city and county, must annually at the time and in the manner of levying county or city and county taxes levy and cause to be collected taxes for elementary schools where the budget shows a tax to be necessary, and affix such a rate of tax as will produce at least the amount of money required to meet this budget.

If the board of supervisors refuses or neglects to make the levy provided for under this section, then the levy shall be made by the county auditor

It shall be the duty of the county board of education to draw requisitions upon the county treasurer in payment for said supplies and equipment for elementary schools in the county under the provisions of this section.

All acts or parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of duty of registered pharmacists.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 791—An act to prohibit and punish the fraudulent obtaining of transportation and advances from employers or prospective employers.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for domestic, manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain, and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "agreement" and insert in lieu thereof the word "agreements".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1124—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1277—An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 17, of the amended bill, after the period following the word "same", insert the following:

"(*c*) To furnish sites for such building or buildings to be built by or for such organizations, and to furnish such sites when deemed advisable by the said county authorities, for the erection thereon of such building or buildings, the funds for which are supplied by county authorities or from other sources. And any part or portion of any public lot, block, or park, may be used for such purpose."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 18, of the amended bill, strike out "(*c*)" and insert in lieu thereof "(*d*)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 23, of the amended bill, strike out "(*d*)" and insert in lieu thereof "(*e*)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 1, of the amended bill, strike out "(*e*)" and insert in lieu thereof "(*f*)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 4, of the amended bill, strike out "(*f*)" and insert in lieu thereof "(*g*)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 27, of the amended bill, after the period following the word "same", insert the following:

"(*c*) To furnish sites for such building or buildings to be built by or for such organizations, and to furnish such sites when deemed advisable by the said council, for the erection thereon of such building or buildings, the funds for which are supplied by city authorities or from other sources. And any part or portion of any public lot, block, or park, may be used for such purpose."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 28, of the amended bill, strike out "(*c*)" and insert in lieu thereof "(*d*)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 33, of the amended bill, strike out "(*d*)" and insert in lieu thereof "(*e*)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 37, of the amended bill, strike out "(*e*)" and insert in lieu thereof "(*f*)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 40, of the amended bill, strike out "(*f*)" and insert in lieu thereof "(*g*)".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1122—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relative to partial redemptions from sale to State for delinquent taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Section three thousand eight hundred eighteen of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

3818. In all cases where a lot, piece, or parcel of land contained in any assessment has been sold or may hereafter be sold for delinquent taxes to the state and the state has not disposed of the same, a partial redemption may be made, separately from the whole assessment, of any such lot, piece or parcel of land as follows:

If such lot, piece or parcel of land has a separate valuation on the assessment roll, such partial redemption shall be made in the manner following: In the estimate provided for in the preceding section, the auditor shall estimate the amount of state and county taxes due on such lot, piece or parcel of land, together with a proper proportion of the taxes due on personal property under such assessment, and of the taxes due each school, road, lesser or other taxation district; and such redemption shall be made in the manner provided for in the preceding section.

If such lot, piece or parcel of land does not have a separate valuation on the assessment roll, the auditor shall submit the description of the fractional part of the lot, piece or parcel of real property upon which redemption is requested, to the county assessor, who must place a valuation thereon. The auditor shall then estimate the amount of such taxes due on such lot, piece or parcel of land according to such relative or proportionate value and the taxes due on any improvements on the portion sought to be so redeemed, together with a relative proportion of the taxes due on personal property under such assessment, and of the taxes due each school, road, lesser or other taxation district; whereupon such redemption shall be made in the manner provided for in the preceding section; *provided*, that no lot, piece or parcel of land owned or claimed under contract by the person so redeeming shall be divided for the purpose of such redemption. A notice by registered mail of the proposed division must be given by the auditor to the person or persons to whom the same was assessed, if known to the auditor, if not so known, by posting a notice of such proposed division for a period of twenty days in three public places in said county, and if no protest against said division be filed with the auditor within twenty days from the date of the posting or mailing of such notice, the auditor shall thereupon issue an estimate as above stated. In cases where written protest is filed within said twenty days to said division, the auditor shall withhold his estimate and refer the matter to the board of supervisors for decision. The board of supervisors shall set a time for hearing said protest, and cause a notice of the date of said hearing to be mailed by its clerk to the person or persons who have filed a written protest with the auditor, as above provided, at the post-office address named in such protest, at least five days prior to the date of such hearing, and at the termination of said hearing may confirm the act of the assessor, or modify or set aside the same and its decision in the premises shall be final. In the event of such reference to the board of supervisors and of their dividing the assessment, the estimate of the auditor shall conform to the action of the board. A partial redemption may be made, in like manner, separately from the whole assessment, of an undivided interest in any real property, if such property has a separate valuation on the assessment roll; the auditor estimating the amount of taxes due on such undivided interest according to the proportion which such interest in said real property bears to the whole assessment. The recorder shall note, on the margin of the record of the certificate of sale a description of the property or undivided interest redeemed under this section, and shall specifically set forth the several amounts of taxes paid upon such redemption."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of

this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Except as provided in sections twenty-six, twenty-seven and twenty-eight of this act, as amended, and as hereinafter stated, no person shall be certified for a position under the civil service list as eligible for appointment to any position, or for temporary or emergency appointment, who has not been a bona fide citizen of the State of California for one year immediately preceding his or her application. That notwithstanding any of the provisions of this act there shall also be excepted the following: persons qualified in highly specialized or technical vocations, arts, crafts or professions or extraordinary occupations, officers and employees of hospitals, and penal and corrective institutions of the state."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to city justice courts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the classification of municipal corporations," approved March 2, 1883, as amended, relating to municipal corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 796—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 659—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1731*a*, relating to the formation of a consolidated school district and for the government of the elementary and secondary schools therein by a board of education.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 795—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1584*a*, relating to the establishment of retirement systems for teachers in cities and cities and counties organized under freeholders charters.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 310—An act to add a new section to the Political Code of the State of California to be numbered 1607*a* and to provide for the custody and disbursement of funds arising from school activities not conducted at public expense.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "school" and insert in lieu thereof the word "student".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 434—An act regulating private trade schools, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, and a bond, providing for proper equipment and for refunds of tuition where courses are not taken, prohibiting misleading advertisements and false representations and promises, providing for registers, receipts, diplomas and prescribed courses of instruction, providing for supervision of such schools by the Commissioner of Labor and granting to the said commissioner the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purposes and intent of this act, and providing penalties for violations of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the amended bill, after the word "subscribe", insert the following: "and pay a tuition fee".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 240—An act to amend sections 1665 and 1666 of the Political Code, relating to courses of study in the elementary schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or color" and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", color, or creed".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "provided" insert the following: ", nor any amusements nor entertainments permitted in or about any school".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or color" and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", color, or creed".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 474—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks, within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 446—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Lake and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway and authorizing the board of supervisors of Lake County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 443—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Mendocino and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Mendocino County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to support of wards of the juvenile court.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act relating to the doing of public work by day's labor or force account, except emergency and maintenance work and work costing less than $10,000; requiring the State Highway Engineer, State Engineer, the State Architect, county engineers, county surveyors, city and county engineers, county highway engineers, road commissioners, city engineers, commissioners of public works, superintendents of streets, harbor engineers, flood control engineers, and the engineers of any reclamation, irrigation or other districts, political subdivisions or agencies of the State directing, supervising or superintending such work, or in charge of the engineering for or in connection therewith, to keep the costs, prepare and file plans, specifications and estimates of cost, and, upon completion, prepare and file certificates of cost thereof; and providing for the keeping of such plans, specifications and certificates as public records," approved June 21, 1923; and adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3, providing a penalty for violation of any of the provisions of said act, relating to public officers and employees subject to the provisions hereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 183—An act prohibiting the doing of any public work costing in excess of $5000 by day's labor or force account, except public work which is now authorized by law to be done by convict or prison labor or by patients, students or other inmates of any State institution or as maintenance work, miscellaneous repairs, alterations in and additions to existing buildings or work occasioned by emergency without advertising for bids, until bids therefor have first been invited, opened and rejected, should any bid or bids be received.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 448—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 783—An act to amend section 19c of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "thousand eight hundred" and insert in lieu thereof "sixteen hundred twenty".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Walters:

WHEREAS, The Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs is now engaged in special work for the benefit of veterans of the State of California and for the purpose of examining into the necessity for proposed changes in the operation in the various veterans welfare acts, and

WHEREAS, It will be necessary to employ a special stenographer for the purposes of such work which cannot be furnished from the regular staff; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the chairman of said committee is hereby authorized to employ such special stenographer at an expense not to exceed one hundred fifty dollars ($150.00), that the Comptroller be, and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly not to exceed the sum of one hundred fifty dollars ($150.00) in favor of Bryon J. Walters, Chairman of the Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses

ANNOUNCEMENT.

By the Speaker:

To the Members of the Assembly, State of California.

I desire to announce that, in accordance with section 247 of the Political Code, I hereby appoint the following pages at the per diem provided by law. Walter James Little, Jr., and Chas Spalding, Jr.

Mr. Graves moved the confirmation of the above appointments.

The roll was called, and the appointments confirmed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivа, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Womple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered 14, relating to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of the constitutional amendment, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 13 of the printed bill, insert a period after the word "districts" and strike out the words "according to average daily attendance or the number of teachers employed."

Amendment adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11 read and ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending section numbered 102 thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 534 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 80—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 502, relating to carrying animals on automobiles.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 80 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Eksward, and Murphy—7.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 337—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supply or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or to enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923, and add six new sections thereto to be numbered 164, 165, 166, 167, 168 and 169.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 337 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotet Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of

public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 232 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson R J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller J A, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—50

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1273—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1273 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Rosenshine, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 845—An act to amend section 2079 of the Political Code, relating to allowances to organizations of the California National Guard.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 845 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 162—An act appropriating money for expenditure as directed by the division of water rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California in aiding the Department of Interior of the United States in stream gaging work in the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 162 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 745 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 641 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Carter moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No 111 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 121—An act validating the formation, organization and proceedings of the Potter Valley Irrigation District under the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Dayton moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 121 was passed, be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 229—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Mixter—1.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

Assembly Bill No. 866—An act to amend section 2322*e* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and

numbered section 15 of article XIII thereof, relating to the taxation of publicly owned utilities.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4 read.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Hartranft the consideration of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4 was made a special order for Thursday, April 9, 1925, at two o'clock p.m.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 309—An act to amend sections 4149 and 4149*a* of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 4149*aa*, relating to county live stock inspectors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 309 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Bernard, and Browne—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts, established for the purpose; and for county aid in such work," approved March 21, 1907, as amended, so as to include therein provisions for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property in unincorporated territory and also within incorporated cities whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof; for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality; for the incidental establishment, change or separation of grades thereof, and for the inclusion of the territory of any incorporated city or cities within the assessment district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 380 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, 104—37745 AJ

Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 533—An act to enable the Electro Metals Company, a trust organization, or its trustees or officers to sue the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock p. m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 464 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 205—An act to amend section 29 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to permit the revocation of certificates of self-insurance, to make failure to secure the payment of compensation a misdemeanor, and to require employers to furnish the Industrial Accident Commission with statements showing the name of their insurance carrier or how they have secured the payment of compensation; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 5 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 7*a*, to an act entitled "An act providing for the organization and regulation of reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges, to be known as 'The Reciprocal or Interinsurance Act of the State of California,' and repealing the act entitled 'An act providing for reciprocal and interexchange of indemnities, prescribing regulations therefor and fixing a license fee, and repealing an act entitled "An act defining certain classes of contracts for the exchange of indemnity, prescribing regulations therefor, and fixing a license fee, approved December 24, 1911,' approved May 26, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, relating to assets of insurance companies—has

had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 421*a*, providing that officers, directors, trustees, agents or attorneys for insurance companies shall not receive benefits from loans or investments made by such companies;

Also Senate Bill No. 20—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 633*e*, defining insurance adjusters and providing for licensing, supervising and regulating them and for the suspension and revocation of their licenses by the Insurance Commissioner;

Also: Senate Bill No. 30—An act to repeal section 622*a* of the Political Code, relating to the taxation of insurance companies operating in this State;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1241—An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

MIXTER, Chairman.
JOHNSON.
WEMPLE.
HEISINGER.
FOSTER.
EASLEY.
McDOWELL.
DORRIS.
CRITTENDEN.
NIELSEN.
WEST
BROUGHTON.
WOODBRIDGE.
NOYES.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of waterworks and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to elections—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

MIXTER, Chairman.
JOHNSON.
WEMPLE.
HEISINGER.
FOSTER.
EASLEY.
McDOWELL.
DORRIS.
CRITTENDEN.
NIELSEN.
WEST.
BROUGHTON.
WOODBRIDGE.
NOYES.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 5, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 32—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend section 1 of article XIII of the constitution of said State, relating to taxation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted and be re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

(Signed out)

GRAVES, Chairman
MURRAY.
EKSWARD.
DAYTON.
COOMBS
SCUDDER.
CROTER.
DILLINGER.
SAYLOR.
DAVIS.
SCOFIELD.
CLOUDMAN.
ANDERSON, D. P

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 20—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, a municipal corporation in the county of Santa Cruz, State of California—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No 91—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and the building of the State armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles.

Also Assembly Bill No 102—An act to appropriate $25,000 to the State Department of Agriculture for the eradication of Alhagi camelorum (otherwise known as camel's thorn) in the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 135—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 282—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors;

Also Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 343—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 455—An act to amend section 4 and to add two new sections, to be numbered 5 and 10, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of districts organized or existing under the California Irrigation District Act," approved June 1, 1921, relating to the consolidation of irrigation districts and the selling of bonds thereby,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 487—An act to amend section 2167*b* of the Political Code, relating to psychopathic parole;

Also Assembly Bill No. 506—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco State Teachers College.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1184*d*, relating to the furnishing of bonds by persons against whom claims are filed, and prescribing the duties of public officers in respect thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 615—An act appropriating money for the restoration and rebuilding of Fort Ross, Sonoma County, California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 791—An act to prohibit and punish the fraudulent obtaining of transportation and advances from employers or prospective employers;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 2086 of the Political Code, relating to salaries in the office of the Adjutant General's office;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the redemption of property which has been heretofore sold to irrigation districts for delinquent assessments," approved March 10, 1891, relating to delinquent assessments and rates thereon;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1124—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend section 19*x*13 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges and the district attorney's special fund;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*g*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action against the surety or sureties on the contractor's bond independent of a right of action against the board, commission, officer, or other body by whom the contract was awarded, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed;
Also: Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Murray moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

RESOLUTION—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following resolution was offered:

By Messrs. West and Nielsen:

WHEREAS, The stork did on Sunday, April 5, 1925, make a visit to the home of Ed. C. Lynch, Assistant Clerk of the Assembly, and left a baby girl to gladden the hearts of Mr. Lynch and his good wife; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Assembly extend its congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Lynch and their young daughter.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 550—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to the matters to be stated in contracts and receipts issued by such employment agencies, providing for standard and uniform forms of contracts and receipts to be prepared by the Commissioner of Labor and providing that an employer must so state on the reverse side of an employment contract or receipt if the applicant was not employed or if he was discharged in less than seven days, as the case may be

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 550 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3650½, relating to assessments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Spence moved that Senate Bill No. 123 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles

The question being on the motion to re-refer.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Jost, Spence, Roland and Heisinger the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Senate Bill No. 123 to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—36.

NOES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—36.

The question being on the passage of Senate Bill No. 123.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Nielsen asked for and was granted unanimous consent to have Senate Bill No. 123 passed on file.

Senate Bill No. 433—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1054*a*, relating to the postponement of a trial and the extension of time within which an act is to be done when the attorney of record in or the party to any action is in attendance upon a session of the Legislature as a member thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 433 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 1208 of the Political Code, relating to illiterate or helpless voters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 56 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Smith gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 56 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 60—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 15, of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 60 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Browne, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Duval, Lyons, Pierce, Sewell, and Walters—11.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Mueller gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 60 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code, relating to filing permits for the adoption of children.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Walters moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 1, 1925, after the word "parents" insert a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 1, 1925, strike out the third word "or", the same being the last word in said line 22.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Walters as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 325, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WALTERS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 776—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions on devises for charitable uses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 776 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Block, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seobold, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—60.

NOES—McDowell, and Smith—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 1570 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 112 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 794—An act to amend section 403 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 794 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 533—An act to enable Electro Metals Company, a trust organization, or its trustees or officers to sue the State of California.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Spence moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill as amended March 30, 1925, after the word "jurisdiction" strike out the words "in said state" and insert in lieu thereof the fol-

lowing: "having jurisdiction under the laws of this state of the subject matter of the action".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill as amended in Assembly March 30, 1925, strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following: "said judgment, if any be rendered, shall be limited to actual damages and expenditures made, and shall not include any prospective damages."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill as amended in Assembly March 30, 1925, after the word "jury" insert a period and strike out the words "with legal interest thereon from the time"; also strike out all of line 21, as the same appears on said page of printed bill.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill as amended in Assembly March 30, 1925, strike out the word "without"; also all of line 27; also the words "board of control" in line 28.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Spence as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 533, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SPENCE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*a* and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State; providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Murphy moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1925, strike out all of lines 42 to 52, inclusive, and on page 4 of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1925, strike out lines 1 to 7, inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Murphy as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 312, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

MURPHY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2 and 7 of article IX thereof, relating to the Director of Education and the State Board of Education.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31 read.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Deuel moved that Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31 re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 52—An act to amend the title and sections 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 20, of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water conservation districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for the irrigating of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith; and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act; and creating a State board to be known as the 'State Irrigation Board,' and defining its powers and duties, and the methods and procedure of exercising such powers and duties," approved June 18, 1923, and by adding a new section to be numbered 15*a*, relating to and providing for the levy and enforcement of assessments, the raising of funds and the voting and issuance of bonds for all purposes of this act by water storage districts included as constituent districts or units of water conservation districts, and by adding a new section to be numbered 15*b*, relating to and providing for the levy and enforcement of assessments, the raising of funds and the voting and issuance of bonds for all the purposes of this act by reclamation districts which are included as constituent districts or units of water conservation districts, and by adding a new section to be numbered 37, relating to and providing for actions or proceedings contesting or attacking the validity of the formation of a water conser-

vation district, the validity of any bond issue provided for in this act, and any election held under the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 52 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Duval moved that Senate Bill No. 422 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 422 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 455—An act authorizing and empowering the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California to conduct investigations of streams, stream systems, lakes or other bodies of water, to investigate either or both surface and underground water conditions, to collect records of diversion and use of water, to supervise distribution of water in accordance with agreements therefor, to do all or any of such work either independently or in cooperation with a state or federal agency, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 455 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt,

Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, a municipal corporation in the county of Santa Cruz, State of California.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20 read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 20

Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, a municipal corporation in the county of Santa Cruz, State of California.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Smith waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 56 was passed this day.

Senate Bill No. 56 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 982 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 580—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for

sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Melville moved that Assembly Bill No. 580 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 580 re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 102—An act to appropriate $50,000 to the State Department of Agriculture for the eradication of Alhagi camelorum (otherwise known as camel's thorn) in the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 102 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, to add three new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1183*a*, 1183*b* and 1183*c* and to amend sections 1184, 1184*a*, and 1184*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to securing the payment of claims of materialmen, laborers, contractors and subcontractors upon contracts awarded by boards, commissions or officers of the State or any political subdivision thereof and by private individuals.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Melville moved that Assembly Bill No. 585 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 585 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Lyons moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

After the words "insanity proceeding" at the end of line 15, insert the following word to wit: "had".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

After the words "seeking the relief", in line 18, add the following words to wit: "or as a consequence of the discharge of marital duties, such as childbirth, or, as a consequence of change of life".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

After the word "shall" on page 2, line 3, insert the word "be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

After the words "made upon", in line 3, page 2, insert the following words to wit: "Such nearest relative or relatives of the alleged insane spouse, other than the plaintiff, residing within the state, as the court in which the action is brought may designate; and, also upon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

After the words "court may deem just" on line 37, of page 2, add the following words to wit: "having regard to the circumstances of the parties respectively and their respective financial condition".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

After the words "State Hospital" on line 42, page 2, insert the following sentence to wit: "The allowances herein provided for the wife and the children of the marriage shall always take precedence and priority over any allowances which might thereafter be made by any court of competent jurisdiction for the support of the wife of any subsequent marriage".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Lyons as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 17, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LYONS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action on the labor and material bond within ten days after copy of verified notice of claim is given to the surety or sureties on said bond, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McDonough moved that Assembly Bill No. 895 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 895 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 75—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, and providing for the furnishing of food to pupils and employees of the school district at not less than actual cost.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 75 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Olivа, Roberts, Roland Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—Graves—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 719—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity, and making provision for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds," approved March 31, 1891, as amended, relating to sanitary districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 719 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Olivа, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Miss Miller: An act to amend sections 1, 15, and 18 and to add a new section to be numbered 19 "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls; to provide for the maintenance and management of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor", approved June 14, 1913, as amended.

By Mr Hawes (by request): An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class

By Mr Duval An act to amend 1972 3 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the twenty-third class.

By Mr. Walters An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Ekswand, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 57—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 596c, relating to the failure of insurance companies to discharge their contracts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 57?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the printed bill, after the word "any" insert the word "valid".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 6 of the printed bill, after the word "any" strike out the word "valid".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 57 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Ekswand, Foster, Fry, Graves Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 2, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 60—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 60?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 6 of the printed bill, after the word "years" insert the following "and every corporation, institution, association, or person maintaining homes for the aged for pecuniary profit."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 23 of the printed bill, after the word "every" insert the word "person".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 60 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Oliva, Rendollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were read and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Messrs. Williamson and Burns:

WHEREAS, The practice among Christians of setting apart the hours from twelve to three on Good Friday for devotion having obtained so largely in California, that it would seem but right not only to favor such hallowed practice, but also to give opportunity to all who desire to recall during these hours the mystery which Christians celebrate, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Assembly of the State of California that recess be taken from twelve to three o'clock on Friday, April 10, to enable all who wish to participate in the exercises which mark these hours so notable in the world's history.

By Mr. Cleveland:

WHEREAS, Death on April 5, 1925, came upon Honorable B. A. Osborne, veteran of the Civil War, former member of the California Legislature, postmaster and alderman of Watsonville; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Assembly upon adjournment today do so out of respect to the memory of our former member, B. A. Osborne

Resolution adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up, read and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

This is to advise your honorable bodies that I have signed the following bills:

Assembly Bills Nos. 121, 495, 645, 713, 1092, 1179, 1185.

Senate Bills Nos. 169, 196, 477, 540.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 576 is returned herewith without my approval for the reason that there are errors in the bill which make it ineffective. The author requests its return.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1111 is returned herewith without my approval.

This provides for additional jurors in civil cases There appears to be no demand for this change and it will add to the burden of litigants. One of the leading judges of the State says: "In my own experience in the trial of civil cases I have found no necessity for such provision."

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The following announcement was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mrs Woodbridge:

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE OF LEGISLATORS' BALL.

April 6, 1925.

Total Assembly collections	$234 00
Total Senate collections	114 00
Grand total	$348 00
Total expense (checks 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5)	317 49
Balance	$30 51

Allocated one-third $10.17 to Senate Committee on Finance, and two-thirds $20.34 to Assembly Committee on Ways and Means

WOODBRIDGE, Assembly Chairman.
TUBBS, Senate Chairman.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Foster:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Assembly Bill introduced this day by Mr. Foster, relating to an increase of the gasoline tax was introduced at the request of the undersigned members of the Assembly.

The author and undersigned are in favor of a conservative and constructive road building policy. They are in favor of an increase of one cent gasoline tax to permit the carrying out of such a policy by the State. Hence, the introduction of the bill.

CRITTENDEN.
BERNARD.
MELVILLE.
FOSTER
BROWNE.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC MORALS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, March 31, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code entitled sections 216*b* and 216*c*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor, medicine, cakes, pies, confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol and prescribing the penalty—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WRIGHT, T. M., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil 3 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

DAYTON, Chairman.
NOYES.
ANDERSON, D. P.
WEMPLE.
WRIGHT, S. V.
JOHNSON.
MELVILLE.
JOST.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section number 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

DAYTON, Chairman.
ADAMS.
DORRIS.
WRIGHT, S. V.
WEMPLE.
MELVILLE.
SMITH
McDONALD.
JOST.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 323—An act authorizing the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State to call a conference of justices and judges of State courts and providing for an annual conference thereafter for the purpose of studying and promoting the best and most efficient methods of administering the law in State courts, of coordinating the work of such courts and making an appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 327—An act confirming, legalizing and validating a certain grant of land made by the city of San Diego to the United States for the use of the Navy Department;

Also: Senate Bill No. 328—An act confirming, legalizing and validating a certain grant of land made by the city of San Diego to the United States for the use of the Navy Department;

Also: Senate Bill No. 346—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California;

Also, Senate Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 412, and to repeal section 413 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of said appointees, not otherwise provided for during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Also, Senate Bill No. 456—An act to amend section 607c of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 323 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 327 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Bill No. 328 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Bill No. 346 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 400 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 456 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

MOTION TO RECESS.

Mr. Eksward moved that when the Assembly recess tomorrow, Tuesday, April 7, 1925, it do so at one o'clock p.m., and reconvene at eight o'clock p.m. of said day, for the purpose of allowing the members to attend the opening of the 1925 baseball season.

The question being on the motion to recess.

The roll was called and the motion to recess carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Burns, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, and Williamson—47.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Hartranft, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Runner, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—18.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act to amend 1923 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Walters: Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings

and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school building.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hawes (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Miss Miller: Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend sections 1, 15 and 18 and to add a new section to be numbered 19 to "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls; to provide for the maintenance and management of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 14, 1913, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a m., Tuesday, April 7, 1925, out of respect to the memory of the late Hon. B. H. Osborne, a former member of the Legislature.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, April 7, 1925.

At nine o'clock a m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Cloudman, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Graves, Margarey Day and Charles Day of Long Beach, California, grandchildren of the Speaker, were accorded the privilege of the Speaker's desk this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mrs. Orville Duncan Oliphant, National President American Legion Auxiliary, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr Nielsen, Mrs Lilly Samuels, Department President of American Legion Auxiliary, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Bernard moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts and relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior court in San Bernardino County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer,

assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer in counties and cities and counties of the first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth class, and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 595—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness;

Also: Senate Bill No. 334—An act to amend section 17*b* of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the filing of reports of the probation committee—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, lines 6 and 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "board of directors" and insert in lieu thereof the word "secretary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "board of directors" and insert in lieu thereof the word "secretary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "its" and insert in lieu thereof the word "his".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 1 and section 2 of an act entitled "An act requiring the payment into the State treasury of all moneys belonging to the State, received by the various State institutions, commissioners, and officers and directing the disposition of the same," approved March 17, 1899, as amended, relating to the payment of State money into the treasury and abolishing certain special funds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon, and add the words "*provided, further*, that nothing in this section shall affect in any manner the funds known as the industrial or amusement funds of the Agnews State Hospital, the Mendocino State Hospital, the Napa State Hospital, the Norwalk State Hospital, the Southern California State Hospital the

Stockton State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, Pacific Colony, the Whittier State School, the California School for Girls, and the Preston School of Industry."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act relating to immigrants and immigration, creating a Commission of Immigration and Housing, providing for the employment by said Commission of a secretary, agents and other employees, authorizing the said commission to fix their compensation, prescribing the duties of said Commission, providing for the investigation by said Commission of all things affecting immigrants, and for the care, protection and welfare of immigrants, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions thereof," approved June 12, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 18, relating to the disposition of records.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 599—An act to amend sections 9 and 11 and to repeal sections 12 and 16 of the "State Market Commission Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, to be numbered 19*x*25, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "19*x*25", add the following: "In counties of the twenty-fifth class there shall be one probation officer, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. In counties of this class the probation officer shall perform in addition to his duties as probation officer the duties of attendance officer for the schools of the county and investigator for the board of supervisors on applications for county and state aid, without additional compensation: *provided, however*, that he shall receive his necessary traveling expenses and such mileage as the board of supervisors shall fix and allow in the performance of such duties. In counties of this class the probation officer shall be allowed one assistant probation officer,

which office is hereby created, who shall act as stenographer, and whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum. The salary of such assistant probation officer shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the probation officer is paid."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to authorize the city of Vallejo, Solano County, California, to enter into partition agreement between the city of Vallejo and claimants of tideland locations granted to the city of Vallejo by the State of California under State patents issued to such claimants which had the effect of conveying legal title subject to public easement and right of navigation and fisheries, and to authorize the city of Vallejo to allot to such claimants not in excess of one-half of said property and release the public right of navigation and fisheries as to such portions as may not be longer required for such purpose.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the first eleven lines of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 19, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. All of that land granted by the State of California to the city of Vallejo by the provisions of an act entitled "An act conveying to the city of Vallejo certain tide lands and lands of the State of California lying under inland navigable waters within the boundaries of the said city, situate in the Napa creek, the Mare island straits and the straits of Carquinez, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of Vallejo, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved June 11, 1913, which is behind the permanent bulkhead constructed by the government of the United States and which has been filled and can no longer be used for navigation or fisheries, is hereby declared to have ceased to be tide lands or submerged lands, and to be free from all trusts and restrictions imposed on such land under and by the provisions of the act entitled "An act conveying to the city of Vallejo certain tide lands and lands of the State of California lying under inland navigable waters within the boundaries of the said city, situate in the Napa creek, the Mare island straits and the straits of Carquinez, including the right to wharf out therefrom to the city of Vallejo, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof," approved June 11, 1913."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 43, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 46½ of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 205—An act to amend section 29 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to permit the revocation of certificates of self-insurance, to make failure to secure the payment of compensation

a misdemeanor, and to require employers to furnish the Industrial Accident Commission with statements showing the name of their insurance carrier or how they have secured the payment of compensation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "land", insert a period, and strike out all of lines 20, 21, and 22

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 5 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 7*a*, to an act entitled "An act providing for the organization and regulation of reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges, to be known as 'the Reciprocal or Interinsurance Act of the State of California,' and repealing the act entitled 'An act providing for reciprocal and interexchange of indemnities, prescribing regulations therefor and fixing a license fee, and repealing an act entitled "An act defining certain classes of contracts for the exchange of indemnity, prescribing regulations therefor, and fixing a license fee, approved December 24, 1911,' approved May 26, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, relating to assets of insurance companies

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "section" strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "section" strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 13 to 16, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill strike out all of lines 1 to 38, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC. 4. Concurrently with the filing of the declaration provided for by the terms of section three of this act, the attorney shall file with the insurance commissioner

(*a*) An instrument in writing executed by him for said subscribers conditioned that upon the issuance of the certificate of authority action may be brought in the county in which the property or person insured therein is located and service of process may be had upon the attorney in fact or upon the insurance commissioner in all suits in this state arising out of such policies, contracts or agreements, which service shall be valid and binding upon all subscribers exchanging at any time reciprocal or interinsurance contracts through such attorney. In the event of process being served upon the insurance commissioner three copies of such process shall be served and the insurance commissioner shall file one copy, forward one copy to said attorney by registered mail addressed to the attorney at the principal office as fixed in the certificate filed, and shall return one copy with his admission

of service A judgment rendered in any such case where service of process has been so made shall be valid and binding against any and all subscribers as their interests appear

The exchange may sue or be sued in its own name as in the case of an individual *provided, however*, that any judgment rendered against the exchange shall be binding upon each subscriber only in such proportion as his interest may appear upon the date that the cause of action arose

(*b*) A bond in favor of the people of the State of California executed by the said attorney with two sureties or with a surety company authorized to do business in the State of California, to be approved by and filed with the insurance commissioner in the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars, conditioned that the attorney will faithfully account for all moneys and other property which may come into his hands or be handled by him under the terms of the said power of attorney and the said rules and regulations and shall not withdraw or cause to be withdrawn, or convert or appropriate for his own use, from the funds of the exchange, any money or moneys or any other thing of value to which he is not entitled under the terms of the said power of attorney and the said rules and regulations The exchange may deposit with the insurance commissioner, in lieu of such bond, securities of the kind and character set forth in section four hundred twenty-one of the Civil Code of the State of California, in the sum of twenty thousand dollars, which shall be held in trust by the insurance commissioner for the fulfillment of the terms and conditions above set forth Such securities may be withdrawn at any time and new securities of equal value deposited in lieu thereof, and may be withdrawn whenever a bond is filed as provided in this section. Such bond may be sued upon in one and the same action by any subscriber or any number of subscribers suffering loss through a violation of the conditions thereof or by the receiver or trustee in liquidation of the exchange Liability thereunder may be enforced by any individual subscriber, or any number of subscribers, or in case of liquidation or receivership, by the receiver or trustee in liquidation.

Any amount recovered under such bond shall be deposited in and become a part of the funds of the exchange as a whole, *provided, however*, that where the power of attorney executed by the subscribers or the rules and regulations adopted by the exchange for the conduct of its business thereunder, provide for the bonding of the attorney in fact against fraud and dishonesty and conditioned as the above mentioned bond, in an amount at least equal to the amount above set forth, the bond executed in accordance with such powers of attorneys or rules and regulations, may be filed with the insurance commissioner in lieu of any other bond required under this act, and such bond shall be actionable in similar manner and for similar purposes as said first above mentioned bond, *provided, further*, that where the home office of an exchange is located outside of the State of California, such bond or a certified copy or duplicate thereof shall be filed with the insurance commissioner of this State, or, in lieu thereof, there shall be filed an affidavit from the insurance commissioner of the home state to the effect that such a bond has been filed with him'

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1241—An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "identification" and add the following "and that portion of the county water district so described shall thereupon constitute and be known as Improvement District No _____ of _____ county water district, and the proceedings thereafter for the purpose of the bond election within said improvement district and for the purpose of taxation for the payment of said bonds and interest shall be limited, and apply only to said improvement district of said county water district'.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, after the word "the" add the following "county water".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "identification", and add the following, "and the designation thereof as hereinafter provided for".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "annum" add the following "payable annually or semiannually".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "resolution" add the following "calling the election".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "places" add the following: "in the said county water district if the entire water district has been found to be benefited or otherwise in said improvement district so created"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, after the first word "the", add the following "county water".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 28, of the printed bill, after the second word "the" add the following "water"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 734—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of waterworks and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to elections.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Beginning with line 9, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 22 on page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC. 4 Within ninety days after the date of filing with the county clerk of the copy of the certificate of the secretary of state, provided for in section three of this act, the board of supervisors of the county in which the county water district is incorporated shall make and cause to be entered upon its minutes at a regular meeting thereof an order calling an election in such county water district for the election of a board of directors for the county water district consisting of five members, each of whom shall be a resident and qualified elector of the county water district.

The order of the board of supervisors shall fix the date of the election which shall not be more than sixty days after the date of the order calling the election. The order shall also create one or more voting precincts within the district and establish a polling place in each precinct and appoint a board of election, consisting of one inspector, one judge and two clerks, to hold, conduct, and make returns of the election

The county clerk shall give notice of the election by publishing notice thereof for at least two weeks in one but not to exceed three newspapers published in the county. The notice of election so published shall state the purpose for which the election is to be held, describe the voting precincts, state the location of the polling place for each precinct, the name and position of the persons appointed election officers and the date on which the election will be held.

The election shall be conducted in accordance with the general election laws of the state so far as the same may be applicable and the returns canvassed by the board of supervisors of the county at its regular meeting next succeeding the date of the election.

In all cases where the boundaries of a county water district include both unincorporated territory and any incorporated municipality or municipalities, the board of directors of the district, in addition to the five directors elected, shall further consist of one additional director for each incorporated municipality within the boundaries of the county water district. Each such additional director to be appointed by the mayor or president of the board of trustees of the municipality for which such additional director is allowed, and also one additional director to be appointed by the board of supervisors of the county. Any director so appointed need not be an elector or resident of the county water district. All directors elected or appointed shall hold office until the election and qualification or appointment and qualification of their successors. The term of office of directors elected under the provisions of this act shall be four years from and after the date of their election, *provided*, that the directors first elected after the incorporation of the county water district shall hold office only until the election and qualification of their successors as hereinafter provided. The term of office of directors appointed shall be six years from and after the date of their appointment. All vacancies occurring in the office of directors appointed shall be filled by appointment by the same authority as in the first instance.

All vacancies occurring in the office of directors who are elected shall be filled by appointment by the remaining directors elected and the person so appointed shall have all of the qualifications necessary to be elected a director, and shall hold office during the unexpired term.

In all cases where, under the provisions of this section, directors are to be appointed the first appointed directors shall be appointed by the mayor or the president of the board of trustees of incorporated municipalities and the board of supervisors not later than the date set for the election provided for in this section."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code entitled sections 216*b* and 216*c*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor, medicine, cakes, pies, confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol and prescribing the penalty.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "4233", add the following:

In counties of the fourth class the county officers shall receive as compensation for the services required of them by law or by virtue of their offices, the following salaries, to wit:

1. The county clerk, four thousand six hundred dollars per annum; he shall have three deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum; four deputies at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars each per annum; five deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum; one deputy at a salary of one thousand nine hundred seventy dollars per annum. He shall also have three additional deputies for a period of not to exceed ten months during each and every even numbered year at a salary of five dollars per day each during their said employment, and four deputies for a period of not to exceed six months during each and every even numbered year, such deputies to receive a salary of five dollars per day each during their said employment, and also for such even numbered years he shall appoint such deputies in the county as are necessary for the purpose of registering the electors, such deputies to receive five cents for each elector legally registered by them. The county clerk shall pay into the county treasury at the close of each month all fees received by him as county clerk during the month, accompanied by a statement of the sources from whence received.

2. The sheriff, six thousand dollars per annum; he shall have an undersheriff at a salary of two thousand four hundred twenty-five dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum and five deputies at a salary of two thousand dollars per annum each; ten deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each; one Bertillon deputy who shall have charge of the records made under the Bertillon system and who shall act as a photographer and who shall receive a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, three stenographers whose salary shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; two clerks whose salary shall be one thousand two hundred dollars each per annum; a matron whose annual salary shall be one thousand five hundred dollars. The sheriff shall pay into the county treasury all sums received by him for service of process.

3. The recorder, four thousand dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, seven deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each

The recorder shall have such copyists as are necessary to perform the duties of the office at a compensation of seven cents per folio, *provided, however*, that all instruments that are partly written or typewritten and partly printed, and for the recording of which the county has furnished the county recorder with books containing printed forms corresponding to such instrument, the compensation shall be three and one-half cents per folio for the entire number of folios of written and printed matter in said instrument.

4. The auditor, four thousand dollars per annum. He shall also have one chief deputy at a salary of two thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall act as chief accountant and who shall receive a salary of two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars per annum, one deputy who shall act as a redemption clerk and who shall receive a salary of two thousand two hundred twenty dollars per annum, one deputy who shall act as bookkeeper and who shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall act as a warrant clerk and who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; three deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum, three deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars each per annum; and eight deputies for not to exceed one hundred twenty days in each year, at a salary of five dollars per day each, not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of six hundred dollars per annum

5. The treasurer, four thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred fifty dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred fifty dollars per annum; three deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred fifty dollars per annum each.

6. The tax collector, four thousand dollars per annum, he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred twenty-five dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred fifty dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of two thousand fifty dollars per annum; five deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred ten dollars each per annum and twenty-one additional deputies for not exceeding three months in each year at a salary of five dollars per day each two additional deputies for not exceeding three months in each year at a salary of six dollars per day each and six additional deputies for not exceeding two months in each year at a salary of six dollars per day each. The tax collector shall be allowed the actual and necessary expenses required by him in the performance of his official duties as license collector of Fresno county.

7. The assessor, five thousand dollars per annum, he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred ten dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred ten dollars per annum; five deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars each per annum; ten deputies for a period not to exceed six months at a salary of five dollars per day each, and seven deputies for a period not to exceed four months at a salary of seven dollars and fifty cents per day each, thirty deputies for a period not to exceed three months at a salary of seven dollars and fifty cents per day each, all sums collected by the assessor or his deputies as personal property taxes shall be paid into the county treasury monthly as collected with a statement of account of each collection

8. In counties of this class grand and trial jurors shall receive three dollars per day each while engaged in the performance of the duties required by them, and in addition thereto shall receive the mileage now allowed by law.

9. The district attorney, six thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one assistant at a salary of four thousand five hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of four thousand two hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand nine hundred dollars per annum, one deputy at a salary of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of three thousand dollars per annum; and two deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars

per annum each. A detective at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one stenographer at a salary of one thousand six hundred eighty dollars per annum, and one stenographer at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

Neither of these stenographers shall receive other compensation by reason of services as stenographic reporter in any action or proceeding wherein the fee or per diem of the stenographic reporter constitutes a charge against the county.

The district attorney and his deputies shall devote their entire time during office hours to the work of the county and state and are prohibited from engaging in private work within such office hours. It is understood that this provision relative to private work does not affect the district attorney until his salary is six thousand dollars per annum.

10. The coroner, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

11. The public administrator, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law.

12. The superintendent of schools, four thousand dollars per annum; he shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; three deputies at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; two deputies at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each and two deputies at a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum each. One of the deputies is to act as an attendance officer for the schools of Fresno whose duties shall be to enforce the laws in regard to compulsory attendance of pupils and who shall perform such other duties in connection with school work as the county superintendent may direct. The superintendent and his supervising assistants and attendance officers shall be allowed their actual traveling expenses incurred while visiting the schools of the county.

13. The surveyor, four thousand dollars per annum in full compensation for all services as county surveyor and as road overseer and inspector. He shall have one deputy at a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; one deputy at a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; and one deputy at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum.

The county surveyor shall be allowed all necessary traveling and field expenses of himself and chainmen or other necessary help in the field. In addition, the county surveyor shall be allowed to employ all necessary inspectors and field or office help needed in the preparation of plans, specifications or surveys preliminary to the submission to the qualified voters of a county of this class of a proposition to issue bonds under the provisions of section four thousand eighty-eight of the Political Code for the construction of roads, bridges or highways: *provided, however*, that before employing such inspectors or field or office help the surveyor shall first obtain the consent of the board of supervisors to such employment: *provided, however*, that the term of employment of such inspectors or field or office help shall cease at the completion of such preliminary work hereinabove provided for. The salaries and expenses of such inspectors or field or office help shall be paid out of the county general fund upon proper claims presented therefor to the board of supervisors. In any county of this class, where bonds have been or shall hereafter be issued under the provisions of section four thousand eighty-eight of the Political Code, for the construction of roads, bridges or highways, the county surveyor may at any time during the planning, laying out or construction of such roads, bridges or highways, employ all necessary inspectors and field or office help to assist him in planning, laying out or constructing such roads, bridges and highways: *provided, however*, that before employing such inspectors and field or office help the surveyor shall first obtain the consent of the board of supervisors to such employment. Inspectors and field or office help shall not be employed longer than necessary to actually complete the roads, bridges or highways paid for out of funds created by such bond issue. There shall also be allowed to such surveyor, from and after the issue of bonds provided in said section four thousand eighty-eight, an additional deputy at a salary of three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, whose duties shall be limited to operations contemplated under such bond issue, and whose term of employment shall cease at the completion of such operation: *provided, however*, that before employing such additional deputy, the surveyor shall first obtain the consent of the board of supervisors for such employment. The salaries of all such persons employed as inspectors or field or office help shall be prescribed by the board of supervisors, and all such salaries together with the field expense of all such inspectors or field or office help, as well as the salary of said additional deputy, shall be paid out of the fund created by such issue of bonds, upon proper demands therefor presented to the board of supervisors. The surveyor and his deputies shall devote their entire time and service to the work of the county, and are prohibited from engaging in private surveying and engineering work, and shall do all surveying and engineering work for the county, including the preparation of plans and specifications for the construction of bridges.

14. The registered population of the several judicial townships of this county is hereby determined to be the registered votes as shown by the great register of the county in the office of the county clerk January 1, 1923, as follows, to wit

Township No. 1.	Dos Palos	1,351
Township No. 2.	Clovis	3,282
Township No. 3.	Fresno	23,700
Township No. 4.	Fowler	1,568
Township No. 5.	Selma	2,751
Township No. 6.	Coalinga	2,811
Township No. 7.	Sanger	1,907
Township No. 8.	Reedley	2,486
Township No. 9.	Kingsburg	1,296
Township No. 10.	Tollhouse	653
Township No. 11.	Kerman	1,586
Township No. 12.	Dunlap	271
Township No. 13.	Laton	591
Township No. 14.	Parlier	737
Township No. 15.	Riverdale	779
Township No. 16.	Del Rey	315
Township No. 17.	Caruthers	1,171
Township No. 18.		1,407

And for the purpose of regulating the compensation of the constables and justices of the peace, townships of this class of counties are hereby classified as follows: Townships having a registered voting population of ten thousand and more shall belong to and be known as townships of the first class; townships having a like population of one thousand four hundred fifty and less than ten thousand shall belong to and be known as townships of the second class; townships having a like population of six hundred and less than one thousand four hundred fifty shall belong to and be known as townships of the third class; townships having a like population of less than six hundred shall belong to and be known as townships of the fourth class.

15. Justices of the peace in townships of the first class shall receive a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month to be paid each month as the county officers are paid.

For each justice's court in townships of the first class there shall be one justice's clerk, who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace. Said clerk shall be appointed immediately on this act taking effect and shall take the oath of office prescribed for county officers, and give a bond in the sum of three thousand dollars, conditioned upon and for the faithful discharge of the duties of the office, which bond shall be approved and filed in the same manner as are bonds of county officers.

Said justice's clerk shall be authorized to administer all oaths, take and serve affidavits, and shall be authorized to issue and sign writs, summons and all other processes in any action or proceeding in the justice's court of the township for which he is appointed, or pending before any justice of the peace in said township, in the name of the justice before whom the same is pending, or out of whose court the same is issued, which shall be in substantially the following form:

"_____
Justice of the Peace

Attest _____
Clerk."

All legal papers of every kind in actions or proceedings in such justice's court shall be issued by the said justice's clerk in the manner and form hereinbefore set out. The said justice's clerk shall issue, sign and certify to any and all papers, transcripts or records which are required to be issued, signed or certified by said justice of the peace. All complaints, answers and other pleadings and papers required to be filed in the said justice's court, shall be filed with such justice's clerk, who shall keep a permanent record of such actions and proceedings in the justice's docket, now provided by law to be kept by such justice. Said clerk shall keep a record of the proceedings of said court and shall have the custody of all records and papers of the same.

All fees for the issuance of process, or other fees, which are by law allowed for any official service of the justice of the peace, shall be exacted and paid in advance into the hands of the justice's clerk which, together with all fees, fines, forfeitures or penalties received in said justice's court, shall be paid into the county treasury.

Said justice's clerk shall render each month to the county auditor and county treasurer an exact account, under oath, of all fines, forfeitures and penalties and fees received by him or collected by said court. Said justice's clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per year, which shall be payable in like manner and out of the same funds and at such times as county officers are paid.

In the event that the board of supervisors do provide, by order, that two justice's courts be established in any township of the first class, then and in such an event the justice of said additional court shall be entitled to and shall appoint a clerk

for said additional court, which said clerk shall be vested with the same authority and charged with the same duties and entitled to the same compensation as the clerk of the justice's court hereinbefore provided for.

The board of supervisors shall provide, in a convenient locality, a suitable office and court room, including all necessary office furniture, telephone, light, heat and water and all necessary stationery and office supplies for the justices and clerks thereof for all justice's courts in and for townships of the first and second class.

Justices of the peace and persons now performing the duties of justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the county officers are paid and the same shall be in full compensation for all their services rendered and shall include their office rent except as heretofore provided for justices of the first and second class, to wit

In townships of the second class	$100
In townships of the third class	90
In townships of the fourth class	75

For each justice's court in townships other than the first class, there shall be one justice's clerk, who shall be appointed by the justice of the peace, *provided*, that the total number of cases, civil and criminal, filed in said court during the calendar year preceding such an appointment be six hundred fifty.

Said clerk shall be appointed immediately on this act taking effect and shall have same qualifications, authority and duties as prescribed for clerks of justices' courts of the first class. Said justice's clerk shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per year, which shall be payable in like manner and out of the same funds and at such times as county officers are paid. On the first day of each calendar year, the justice of each court, entitled to a clerk under this provision shall file with the county clerk a certified list of all cases filed in his court for the preceding calendar year, giving titles of same.

Justices of the peace shall pay to the county treasurer once a month all fees and fines collected by them and shall be responsible for the collection and payment to the county treasurer of all such fees and fines as herein provided.

16. Constables shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the county officers are paid and to be in full compensation for all services rendered by them in criminal cases, to wit

In townships of the first class	$125
In townships of the second class	100
In townships of the third class	90
In townships of the fourth class	75

In addition to the monthly salaries above provided each constable may receive and retain for his own use such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all services rendered by him in civil cases, and shall also be allowed all necessary expenses actually incurred in arresting and conveying prisoners to court or prison, which expenses shall be audited by the board of supervisors and paid out of the county treasury; *provided, further*, that when a constable is required to go out of the county to serve a warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, he shall be allowed mileage in going and returning outside of the county at the rate of five cents per mile.

17. The county traffic officer, two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the county traffic officer one secretary which office is hereby created at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; one assistant which office is hereby created at a salary of two thousand forty dollars per annum; one deputy traffic officer which office is hereby created at a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum and nine deputy traffic officers which offices are hereby created at a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum each; said secretary, assistant and deputies shall be appointed by said county traffic officer and shall be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the county traffic officer is paid. Said traffic officer and his said deputies shall provide their own motorcycles or other vehicles; *provided, however*, that for each mile necessarily traveled in carrying out the duties of his office said county traffic officer, his said assistant, secretary and each of said deputies shall receive the sum of three cents. All the provisions of this paragraph are to apply to the office of county traffic officer and his deputies whenever said office of county traffic officer is created by law.

18. The supervisors shall receive each the sum of four thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly in installments of four hundred dollars per month, in full compensation for all services rendered, either as supervisors or road overseers. The supervisors shall devote their entire time to the work of the county.

19. The salaries of all county and township officers and their deputies shall be payable in installments monthly on the first day of each month.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes governing counties of this class, must be construed as continuations thereof and not as new enactments; and nothing in this act contained shall be

deemed to shorten or extend the term of office or employment of any person holding office or employment under the provisions of such statutes.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 561—An act to amend section 3466 of the Political Code by providing that assessments in reclamation districts shall be collected in not more than one separate installment for warrants issued for more than three years.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to create a drainage district to be called Knight's Landing Ridge Drainage District; to promote drainage therein by the making of a cut through Knight's Landing ridge, and the construction of a canal leading therefrom; to provide for the election and appointment of officers of said drainage district; defining the powers, duties and compensation of such officers; and providing for levying and collecting assessments upon the lands within said drainage district, the issuance of bonds by said drainage district and testing the validity of the levy of such assessments and the issuance of such bonds," approved April 30, 1913, relating to the collection of installments.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 308—An act making an appropriation for the Calaveras river flood control project of the city of Stockton, California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 386—An act to amend sections 6, 11 and 16 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," approved May 18, 1919, as amended and to add to said act a section relating to reassessments, to be numbered 24*b*.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act known as the "Water Commission Act" and entitled "An act to regulate the use of water which is subject to such control by the State of California, and in that behalf creating a State Water Commission; specifying and providing for the appointment of the members of said commission; fixing the terms of office and compensation of the members of said commission; fixing the powers, duties and authority of said commission and its members; providing for the filling of vacancies in the membership of said commission; providing for the removal from office of the appointed members of said commission; providing for the cooperation of courts with said commission; providing that certain courts shall take judicial notice of certain acts of the State Water Commission; specifying the duties of all persons summoned as witnesses before said commission or

any of its members; appropriating money for carrying out the provisions of this act; providing for the payment of the indebtedness and expenses of said commission, its members and employees; declaring what water is unappropriated, providing for the utilization of water and the works necessary to such utilization to the full capacity of streams or of such portion or portions of such capacity as the public good may require; declaring what water may be appropriated; declaring that the nonapplication for ten consecutive years of any portion of the waters of any stream to lands riparian to such stream shall be conclusive presumption that the use of such nonapplied water is not needed on said riparian lands for a useful or beneficial purpose; declaring that such nonapplied water shall be deemed to be in the use of the State and subject to appropriation; declaring the duties of those who desire to appropriate water; declaring the periods for which water may be appropriated and the conditions under which water may be appropriated; providing for the payment of fees and charges by the applicants for permission to appropriate water and by the appropriators of water; providing for the ascertainment and adjudication of water rights; providing for the bringing of actions by certain persons, or, upon the direction of the State Water Commission, by the Attorney General, for the quieting of title to water rights; specifying certain duties of the claimants, possessors or users of water or water rights; declaring water rights forfeited under certain conditions; regulating the appropriation of water; excepting cities, cities and counties, municipal water districts, irrigation districts and lighting districts from certain provisions of this act; defining certain words and terms used in this act; repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act; declaring how this act shall be known; making legislative declaration concerning those parts of this act which may not be declared unconstitutional," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 7, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 39 thereof and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10*a*, relating to water investigations, records of diversion and use, and distribution of water.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 682—An act to regulate the sanitation and maintenance of auto camps, to provide for the licensing, inspection and supervision of the same, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 12, 1925, strike out all of line 1 after the period following the figure "1" and strike out lines 2 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "For the purposes of this act an auto camp shall include any place where tents or structures are erected for hire primarily for the use of automobile transients and having a community kitchen or/and community sanitary facilities, also where space for camping is rented primarily to automobile transients, or where free camping is permitted primarily to automobile transients for the purpose of securing their trade."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 421*a*, providing that officers, directors, trustees, agents or attorneys for insurance companies shall not receive benefits from loans or investments made by such companies.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 20—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 633*c*, defining insurance adjusters and providing for licensing, supervising and regulating them and for the suspension and revocation of their licenses by the Insurance Commissioner.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 30—An act to repeal section 622*a* of the Political Code, relating to the taxation of insurance companies operating in this State.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section number 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to repeal section 18 and to reenact said section 18 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

EASLEY, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article XX thereof, relative to elections in cities, counties and cities and counties—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m*, 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p* to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

Also Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921, by adding three new sections, to be numbered 9, 10 and 11 respectively, relating to the acceptance of gifts, devises and bequests for the endowment and support of municipal hospitals, for the management and control of municipal hospitals, for the leasing and sale of municipal hospitals to nonprofit hospital associations;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate for mining, irrigation and domestic purposes, and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Diminished" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Diminish".

Motion carried

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 607, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 293 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921, by adding four new sections, to be numbered 9, 10, 11 and 12 respectively, relating to the acceptance of gifts, devises and bequests for the endowment and support of municipal hospitals, for the management and control of municipal hospitals, for the leasing and sale of municipal hospitals to nonprofit hospital associations, and repealing section 862*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 784 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50

NOES—Runner—1.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Sewell moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 8, of the title of the printed bill as amended, strike out the comma after the word "hospitals" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

Amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs is now engaged in special work for the benefit of veterans of the State of California and for the purpose of examining into the necessity for proposed changes in the operation in the various veterans welfare acts, and

WHEREAS, It will be necessary to employ a special stenographer for the purpose of such work which cannot be furnished from the regular staff; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Chairman of said Committee is hereby authorized to employ such special stenographer at an expense not to exceed one hundred fifty ($150.00) dollars; that the Comptroller be, and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly not to exceed the sum of one hundred fifty ($150.00) dollars in favor of Byron J. Walters, Chairman of the Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
MILLER, J. A.
SPENCE.
LEVEY.
NOYES.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Runner—1.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365*c* of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365*d*, 365*e*, 365*f*, 365*g*, 365*h*, 365*i*, 365*j*, 365*k*, 365*l*, 365*m* 365*n*, 365*o* and 365*p*

to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 589 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fty, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Broughton, Dorris, Jost, Miller, Eleanor, Murray, Runner, and Walters—7

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1261—An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts; providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Nielsen moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "district" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 5, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "*however*" add the following "that the territory situated in each county shall be considered as a unit; *and provided, further*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 11, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "established", add the following: "A copy of said order and declaration of the board of supervisors shall be filed in the office of the county clerk of each county, any part of which county or counties is situated within the established boundary lines of said district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "candidates" and add the following: "for office."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 10, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "supplies" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 11, line 43, of the printed bill, after the word "year" insert a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 11, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "provided" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 12, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "works" strike out the period and the word "The", and insert in lieu thereof a comma and "the"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 15, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the following "a separate column in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 15, lines 9 and 10, of the printed bill, strike out the following "to be headed "---------- (naming it) port and harbor district tax,"."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 16, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "was" and insert in lieu thereof the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 16, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "six" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 16, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "was" and insert in lieu thereof the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 16, line 30, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figures "32", and strike out all of lines 31 and 32 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

Any port and harbor district which has been duly established under the provisions of section two of this act, and which has not, within five (5) years after such establishment, adopted a comprehensive scheme of improvements, as provided in section fourteen hereof, and has not authorized the issuance of bonds for such development and commenced the prosecution of work of construction pursuant thereto, may be dissolved in the manner hereinafter provided, *provided*, that in case a contract authorized by law has been made between the district and the United States for the construction, operation or maintenance of any of the works of said district, no such district shall be dissolved and no proceedings entertained by any court, or otherwise, looking to the dissolution of said district, until the written assent of the secretary of the interior be given to such dissolution

(*a*) Fifteen per cent (15%) of the electors within the district, as determined by the vote cast at the last general election may propose the dissolution of said district by petition, which petition shall set forth the amount of outstanding indebtedness, if such there be, together with the general description of the same, and the holders of said indebtedness, so far as known, showing the amount of each description of indebtedness. Also the estimated cost for the dissolution of said district. Said petition shall also state the assets of said district of every kind and character.

(*b*) Upon the filing of said petition with the board of commissioners of said district, said board shall call a special election, at which shall be submitted to the electors of said district the question of whether or not said district shall be dissolved. The notice of such election must specify the time of holding the election and the fact that it is proposed to dissolve the district. That at said election the ballot shall contain the words "Dissolution of the District—Yes" or "Dissolution of the District—No", or words equivalent thereto.

(*c*) In case, upon the canvass of the vote cast at said election, it is found and declared by said board of commissioners that a majority of the votes cast at said election were in favor of the dissolution of the district, then the said board of commissioners shall file a petition in the superior court of the county wherein is located the office of said board to determine the validity of the proceedings. Such action shall be in the nature of a proceeding in rem and jurisdiction of all parties interested may be had by publication of a notice of the pendency of the proceeding for at least once a week for three weeks in some paper of general circulation published in the county wherein the action is pending: *provided*, that if the property of the district is situated in more than one county, then the publication shall be made in one paper in each county wherein the same is situated, said paper or papers to be designated by the court having jurisdiction of the proceeding; jurisdiction shall be complete in thirty days after the completion of the publication of said notice, in the manner herein provided. Any one interested may at any time before the expiration of said thirty days appear and contest the validity of the proceedings already had, including the validity of any portion of the indebtedness set out in said petition, and the court may in said proceeding adjust and determine the rights and liabilities of all parties. Such action shall be speedily tried and judgment rendered. Any party shall have the right to appeal at any time within thirty days after the entry of said judgment, and the appeal must be heard and determined within three months after the taking of such appeal.

(*d*) Said petition to the superior court shall set forth the facts required to be set forth in the petition to the board of commissioners and all proceedings therein, and that at the hearing the court shall hear and determine the regularity, legality and correctness of all proceedings, and in doing so shall disregard any error, irregularity or omission which does not affect the substantial rights of the parties. The rules of pleadings and practice in Code of Civil Procedure not inconsistent with the provisions of this act are made applicable to the proceedings herein provided. The cost of any contest may be allowed and apportioned between the parties or taxed to the losing party, in the discretion of the court, and no contest of any matter or thing herein provided for shall be made other than in the time and manner herein specified

(e) The court in its decree shall have the power to make all orders necessary for the discharge of the indebtedness and disposition of the property of said district, and may decree a sale of its assets in such manner as may effectuate the winding up of the affairs of said district, and as the said court may adjudge best. In case the assets of the district shall not be sufficient to fully discharge all of its obligations, including the expenses of dissolution, the court shall direct the commissioners to levy a tax on all of the property within the district sufficient to meet the amount necessary to fully discharge the obligations of the district and the expenses of such dissolution proceeding. Said tax to be levied and collected in the same manner as other taxes of the district.

(f) Whenever all of the property of such district shall have been disposed of, and all the indebtedness and obligations thereof, if any there be, shall have been discharged, the balance of the money of said district shall be distributed to the taxpayers in said district as shown upon the last assessment roll in the various counties in said district, in the proportion to the amount of taxes paid by said taxpayers, as shown upon said assessment rolls, and the court shall enter a final decree declaring said district to be dissolved.

SEC. 33. This act may be referred to in any action, proceeding or legislative enactment as the "California Port and Harbor District Act."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Nielsen as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1261, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

NIELSEN, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 150—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No. 150 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 150 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Reno Transcontinental Highway Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 789 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder,

Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 506—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco State Teachers College.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 506 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 91—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof of the State Armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 91 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 2086 of the Political Code, relating to salaries in the office of the Adjutant General's office.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 844 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison Mueller, Murphy Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor Schmidt, Scudder Spalding, Spence Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—55
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 615—An act appropriating money for the restoration and rebuilding of the Greek Chapel at Fort Ross, Sonoma County, California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 615 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 788 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the redemption of property which has been heretofore sold to irrigation districts for delinquent assessments," approved March 10, 1891, relating to delinquent assessments and rates thereon.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1058 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend section 19c13 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1272 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 282—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 282 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.
NOES—Cleveland—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 487—An act to amend section 2167*b* of the Political Code, relating to psychopathic parole.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 487 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 135—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 135 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts,

Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 343—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 343 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M. and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Graves and Reindollar—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO EXTEND HOUR OF RECESS.

Mr. Eksward moved that the hour of recess be extended.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of duty of registered pharmacists.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jones moved that Assembly Bill No. 387 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

The question being on the motion to re-refer.

MOTION TO AMEND.

Mr. Campbell offered the following substitute motion as an amendment to Mr. Jones' motion:

That Assembly Bill No. 387 be re-referred to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Campbell to re-refer.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Hawes, Schmidt, Burns, and Oliva, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Campbell to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 387 to Committee on Medical and Dental Laws.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 387 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Brock, and Campbell—2.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—73.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Jones that Assembly Bill No. 387 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Graves, Lyons, Schmidt, Williamson and Hawes the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Jones to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 387 to Committee on Labor and Capital.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer was lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dodge, Dorris, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—31.

NOES—Anderson, R. J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, and Mr. Speaker—44

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 387 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell Smith, Spence, Walters Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, and Mr. Speaker—44

NOES—Adams, Browne, Burns Byrne, Coombs Croter, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—33.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Hornblower gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 387 was this day passed

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Messrs. Williamson and Burns:

WHEREAS, The practice among Christians of setting apart the hours from twelve to three on Good Friday for devotion having obtained so largely in California, that it would seem but right not only to favor such hallowed practice, but also to give

opportunity to all who desire to recall during these hours the mystery which Christians celebrate, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Assembly of the State of California that recess be taken from twelve to three o'clock on Friday, April 10, to enable all who wish to participate in the exercises which mark these hours so notable in the world's history.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

RECESS.

At one o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading

COMMUNICATION.

The Chief Clerk filed the following communication:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your instructions, the following named person has filed her credentials and is duly recognized as representing the newspaper set opposite her respective name:

San Jose Mercury Herald—Amanda M. Miller.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS, Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 787—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled 'An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein, requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act,' approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b*, respectively, relating to licenses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out.)

BURNS, Chairman
McDONOUGH.
CROTER.
HORNBLOWER.
HAWES.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of household articles and authorizing the use of concealed materials for the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

(Signed out.)

BURNS, Chairman.
HAWES.
McDONOUGH.
CROTER.
BYRNE.
PIERCE.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and

providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

(Signed out.)

BURNS, Chairman.
HAWES
McDONOUGH.
CROTER.
BYRNE.
PIERCE.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON EDUCATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 3, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No 194—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to the annexation of a high school district or union high school district to a junior college district.

Also Senate Bill No 634—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Also Senate Bill No 635—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relative to the county high school tax.

Also Senate Bill No 636—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to apportionment of school funds;

Also, Senate Bill No 637—An act to amend section 1616 of the Political Code, relating to kindergartens.

Also Senate Bill No 638—An act to amend sections 1612*a*, 1756 and 1839 of the Political Code, relating to school taxation;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 801—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. C. Harter against the State of California

Also Assembly Bill No 751—An act to promote the development of the California canned fruit industry and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned fruit by establishing and defining certain standards for canned fruit of the varieties herein named, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture in relation hereto, including the collection of fees, creating a board of appeal and defining its powers and duties in relation hereto and fixing the compensation of the members thereof, prescribing penalties for violations hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 237—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvements of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work, and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section two of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the

control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 65—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance of the provisions and benefits of an act passed by the senate and the house of representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise, to empower and direct the board designated as the State Board for Vocational Education to cooperate with the federal board for vocational education in carrying out the provisions of said federal act; to prescribe its powers and duties in carrying out the provisions of this act, to provide for a plan of cooperation between the State Board for Vocational Education and the Industrial Accident Commission, to provide for the appointment of a custodian of all moneys received by the State from appropriations made by the Congress of the United States and from other sources for the purpose of promoting vocational rehabilitation; to create a vocational rehabilitation fund and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, relating to appropriation for vocational rehabilitation,

Also Assembly Bill No 497—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 799—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Thomas Byrne, against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 800—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 802—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Dan Murphy and R J Dillon, against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 803—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Bankers Life Company, a corporation, against the State of California

Also Assembly Bill No 804—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. Teichert and Company, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 805—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of L. F Sinsheimer, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Los Angeles Railway Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 857—An act appropriating money for the construction of a State armory at Griffith Park, Los Angeles—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

(Signed out)

HEISINGER, Chairman.
MUELLER.
WILLIAMSON.
SPENCE.
BYRNE.
BURNS.
SCHMIDT.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 692 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to trust deeds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action against the surety or sureties on the contractor's bond independent of a right of action against the board, commission, officer, or other body by whom the contract was awarded, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed·

Also· Assembly Bill No. 587—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1184*d*, relating to the furnishing of bonds by persons against whom claims are filed, and prescribing the duties of public officers in respect thereto,

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 41, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9*a* and to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to disposition of funds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 39 and 55 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 313—An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, as modified by the report of California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and providing the extent to which the State of California will contribute to the expense of executing the plan approved in said report, conditioned upon the United States assuming a corresponding obligation and further providing the purposes to which said expenditures made hereunder shall be applied—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 305—An act authorizing the transfer of all funds collected by any of the county treasurers of the State of California on assessments of the Sacramento Drainage District, by said county treasurers to the reclamation board to vest in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the benefit of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for general administrative purposes.

Also: Senate Bill No. 314—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District based upon assessments levied by the reclamation board upon

lands in said district," approved May 27, 1919, by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 59, said new section relating to and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds.

Also Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento river or its tributaries or upon swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a reclamation board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by amending sections 7, 12, 13, 15 and 32 thereof and by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 37, said new section relating to the disposition and application to be made of certain moneys heretofore appropriated for controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento river, California, in accordance with the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, if said moneys shall be reimbursed or released to the State of California by the Federal Government.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 464 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 205—An act to amend section 29 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to permit the revocation of certificates of self-insurance to make failure to secure the payment of compensation a misdemeanor, and to require employers to furnish the Industrial Accident Commission with statements showing the name of their insurance carrier or how they have secured the payment of compensation.

Also Assembly Bill No. 599—An act to amend sections 9 and 11 and to repeal sections 12 and 16 of the "State Market Commission Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys.

Also Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act relating to immigrants and immigration, creating a commission of immigration and housing, providing for the employment by said commission of a secretary, agents and other employees, authorizing the said commission to fix their compensation, prescribing the duties of said commission, providing for the investigation by said commission of all things affecting immigrants, and for the care, protection and welfare of immigrants, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions thereof," approved June 12, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 18, relating to the disposition of records:

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 151—An act declaring the county road commencing at Beegum, in Tehama County, and extending to Peanut, in Trinity County, to be a State highway;

Also Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend the Political Code by adding a new section thereto to be known and numbered section four thousand forty-one *a* (4041*a*), relating to the powers of boards of supervisors in appointing assistance to the various county officers and fixing their salaries and the payment thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, and to add two new sections

to said act to be numbered 10*a* and 10*b*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory and to service outside of district;

Also: Assembly Bill No 295—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1620*a*, relating to the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions;

Also, Assembly Bill No 342—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of teachers in elementary schools,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge and from the south end of said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half miles south of the new bridge, and such highway continuing to Antioch, Pittsburg, Nichols Bay Point, Concord, Walnut Creek and LaFayette, to the county line of Alameda County, to be a State highway,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901,

Also· Assembly Bill No 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway:

Also· Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for a survey,

Also· Assembly Bill No. 1122—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code relative to partial redemptions from sale to State for delinquent taxes,

Also· Assembly Bill No 1205—An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for domestic, manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain, and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1277—An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER· Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered XIV, relating to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER· Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways, to provide for the formation government and operation of highway lighting districts· the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities;

Also Assembly Bill No 798—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire a right of way or rights of way and construct a highway or highways extending from a point at or near and west of Cordelia, Solano County, to and in a general southwesterly direction through the American Canyon, connecting with the paved highway north of the city of Vallejo, and

thence extending said highway or highways by the most direct and practicable route in a southerly direction to a connection with the north end of the Carquinez bridge now being constructed by the American Toll Bridge Company over and across the straits of Carquinez and declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 694—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Percy E. Towne and Peter A. Breen, against the State of California.

Also Senate Bill No. 727—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also Senate Bill No. 743—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

Also Senate Bill No. 760—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office by authorizing the appointment of two additional stenographers in such office; and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of such additional stenographers during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Also Senate Bill No. 761—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies; and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Also Senate Bill No. 775—An act appropriating money for the purchase of additional land for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 694 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 727 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 743 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 760 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 761 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 775 read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private

garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 96, 98, 100, 102, 114, 130, 138, 145, 153, 154, 155 and 159, relating to the use, operation and equipment of vehicles, the registration of vehicles and the fees to be paid therefor, notices to be given upon exporting or dismantling motor vehicles and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provisions of the act;

Also Senate Bill No 693—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 600 read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Senate Bill No. 693 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 458—An act to amend section 607*d* of the Civil Code, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals

Also Senate Bill No. 485—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission, and for their compensation and traveling expenses, providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof, to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 496—An act to provide for and regulate the method of improving abandoned orchards, providing for the method of giving notice to improve such property, providing for a lien for the cost of such improvement and providing for a foreclosure of such lien;

Also: Senate Bill No 502—An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to fish and game district 4: "E".

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 458 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Senate Bill No 485 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 496 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 502 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 188—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of transferring bodies from the old to the new cemetery of the State hospital at Stockton.

Also Senate Bill No 217—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the erection and equipment of State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes.

Also Senate Bill No 228—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R. B Hale against the State of California;

Also Senate Bill No. 263—An act authorizing the Board of Control to reconvey certain real property to L B. Collins;

Also Senate Bill No 286—An act authorizing the State Board of Control to grant to or consent to the condemnation by the city of Oakland of a right of way for a public street and highway over and across the lands of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Also Senate Bill No 291—An act appropriating money to complete the construction of the trail in the Sierra Nevada Mountains known as the "John Muir Trail" and laterals therefrom.

Also: Senate Bill No. 304—An act to provide for the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State and making an appropriation therefor.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 188 read first time, and referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Senate Bill No. 217 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 228 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 263 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No 286 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 291 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 304 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 49—An act appropriating money for painting and repairing the State Capitol building

Also Senate Bill No 51—An act appropriating money for the purpose of remodeling and making repairs to certain buildings at Sutter's Fort.

Also Senate Bill No. 103—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E E. Purrington against the State of California.

Also Senate Bill No. 110—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Vreeland Everts & Co;

Also Senate Bill No. 125—An act making an appropriation for the erection and construction of a new grandstand at the State agricultural grounds at Sacramento, California;

Also Senate Bill No 127—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters

Also Senate Bill No 133—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the street facing the grounds of the State Hospital at Stockton.

Also: Senate Bill No. 172—An act authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish and maintain a seed inspection service and laboratory in Los Angeles, and making an appropriation therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 49 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 51 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 103 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 110 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 125 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 127 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 133 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 172 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 788—An act appropriating money for the erection and construction of buildings and improvements at the San Jose State Teachers College;

Also: Senate Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money for the purchase and improvement of land for the San Jose State Teachers College;

Also: Senate Bill No. 798—An act to amend section 1076 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges of jurors in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 804—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be known as section 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 778 read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Senate Bill No. 789 read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Senate Bill No. 798 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 804 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 15—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article VI a new section to be numbered 1*a*, and by amending sections 6, 7 and 8 of said article, relative to the Judicial Department, by providing for a Judicial Council;

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, State of California;

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relative to the enforcement of the Alien Land Law;

Also: Senate Joint Resolution No. 13—Relative to the proper care and relief of aged and infirm Indians in the State of California;

Also: Senate Joint Resolution No. 21—Relating to the Classification Act of 1923,

Also Senate Joint Resolution No 22—Relating to retirement of federal employees.

Also Senate Joint Resolution No 23—Relating to pay increases of government employees

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 15 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 read first time, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Joint Resolution No 13 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations

Senate Joint Resolution No. 21 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO April 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to amend section 424 of the Civil Code, relating to the capital stock of fire and marine insurance corporations

Also Assembly Bill No 63—An act to amend section 453*l* of the Civil Code, relating to the guarantee fund and investments of title insurance corporations

Also Assembly Bill No 357—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Also Assembly Bill No 358—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays.

Also Assembly Bill No. 435—An act declaring the present highway from Malin on the Oregon State line and leading therefrom via Lookout and Willow Creek Pass to Susanville, California to be a State highway

Also Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to authorize the counties of the State of California to establish retirement salary systems for their employees," approved May 20, 1919, as amended June 3, 1921, to be numbered 24, relating to dissolution of such systems and powers of the board of supervisors with reference thereto

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO April 7, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 550—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913 as amended, relating to the matters to be stated in contracts and receipts issued by such employment agencies, providing for standard and uniform forms of contracts and receipts to be prepared by the Commissioner of Labor and providing that an employer must so state on the reverse side of an employment contract or receipt if the applicant was not employed or if he was discharged in less than seven days, as the case may be.

Also Senate Bill No 776—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions on devises for charitable uses

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 75—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1610*a*, and providing for the furnishing of food to pupils and employees of the school district at cost.

Also Senate Bill No. 309—An act to amend sections 4149 and 4149*a* of the Political Code and to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 4149*aa*, relating to county live stock inspectors.

Also Senate Bill No. 380—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work upon public roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes and alleys, not within the territory of incorporated cities or towns; for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon; for the issue of bonds representing the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts, established for the purpose, and for county aid in such work," approved March 21, 1907, as amended, so as to include therein provisions for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property in unincorporated territory and also within incorporated cities whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, for work upon streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, easements, rights of way and other public property forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of a county whether partly or wholly within or without the boundaries of such municipality; for the incidental establishment, change or separation of grades thereof, and for the inclusion of the territory of any incorporated city or cities within the assessment district.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 363—An act ceding and turning over to the State of California certain improved county highways in Napa and Solano counties commencing at a point where the same intersects the State highway in Napa County leading to Sacramento, thence southerly to the northerly end of the city of Vallejo, in Solano County, and providing that all of said highways and roads shall be placed under the supervision of the State Highway Commission—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 363?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "county" after the word "Napa" and insert in lieu thereof the words "and Solano counties commencing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of lines 6, 7, 8 and that part of line 9 of title to and including the word "county" and semicolon after said word "county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "and", strike out all of the rest of line 5 and all of lines 6 and 7.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "are" and insert in lieu thereof the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of Sec. 2.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Sewell moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, eight o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—31.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Carter:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Jost:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 448—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hartranft moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "period" insert the following: 'of more than three days".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Hartranft as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 448, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HARTRANFT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Senate Bill No. 308 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 308 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1277—An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Deuel moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "purpose" and insert in lieu thereof the word "purposes".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Deuel as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1277, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DEUEL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 295—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 1519*c*, 1620*a*, and 1543*c*, providing for the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school district.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No. 295 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 295 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for domestic, manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain,

and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1265 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes Pierce, Remdollar, Roland Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1122—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relative to partial redemptions from sale to State for delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1122 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 329 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A, Mitchell Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor,

Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—Graves, Jones, Little and Murray—4

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or other remedial care"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, lines 19 and 20, strike out the words "or other remedial care".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, lines 22 and 27, strike out the words "or other remedial care".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, lines 5 and 6, strike out the words "or other remedial care".

The question being on the motion to amend Assembly Bill No. 1285.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Schmidt, Hornblower, Williamson, Adams and Burns the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to amend Assembly Bill No. 1285.

The roll was called, and the motion to amend was lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Burns, Campbell, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, McDonough, Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Oliva, Schmidt, Wemple, Williamson, and Woodbridge—20.
NOES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1285 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68
NOES—Adams, Burns, Hornblower, McDonough, Morrison, Oliva, and Williamson—7.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Senate Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 1457 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED

Mr. Carter waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 111 was passed this day.

Senate Bill No. 111 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 121—An act validating the formation, organization and proceedings of the Potter Valley Irrigation District under the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Dayton moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No 121 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 60—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended March 21, 1907, April 21, 1909, and May 27, 1915.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 60 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No 576—An act to amend section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to contempts.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville Miller Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the State of California an amendment to the constitution of

said State by amending section 1*a* of article XIII thereof relating to the exemption from taxation of colleges and secondary schools accredited to the University of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Coombs, Deuel, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Roland, Saylor, Scudder, West, and Wright, T. M.—17.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 27.

A resolution to propose to the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1*a* of article XIII thereof relating to the exemption from taxation of colleges and secondary schools accredited to the University of California.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-sixth regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 1*a* of article XIII of the constitution of this State be amended to read as follows

SEC. 1*a*. Any educational institution of collegiate grade, within the State of California, not conducted for profit, and any educational institution of secondary grade, within the State of California not conducted for profit, and which shall be accredited to the University of California, shall hold exempt from taxation its buildings and equipment, its grounds within which its buildings are located, not exceeding 100 acres in area, its securities and income used exclusively for the purposes of education.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Murray:

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $602 14 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

State Purchasing Department	$440 11
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co.	16 80
Remington Typewriter Co.	45 50
H. S. Crocker Co.	24 50
Purnell Stationery Co.	6 70
Western Union Telegraph Co	68 53
	$602 14

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Coombs.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 363 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 363 ordered to enrollment.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Wednesday, April 8, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, April 8, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Johnson, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Schmidt, Mrs. Frank Dunn of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Reindollar, Mayor D. D. Bowman and Messrs. Henry Greer, R. H. Trumbull, W. S. Nock, H. K. Brainerd, Dr. F. E. Sawyer, Harry G. Ridgeway, J. C. Oglisby, Geo. Alpers, Wm. Meagher, Joseph Fallen, C. J. Gardener, F. W. Sweetser, Wm. J.

Deysher, and A. Martinelli, of Marin County, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Murray, Mr. H. E Raymer of Riverside County was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. Thos. Maul of Placerville, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hawes, Hon. Peter F. Courneen and Hon. William P. Golden, assistant district attorneys of San Francisco, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Heisinger, Mr. A. M Drew, a former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Fry, Miss E. Niderost and Messrs. John Nellon and Fred Zumwalt were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mrs. Harry Grundman, teacher, Orangevale Roberts School, Sacramento County, and the following pupils: Annie Bailey, Ethel Field, Katherine Pitcher, Sarah Puri, Earl Boom, Roy Boom, Wendell Weaver, Paul Stover, Velda Field, Malvina Couture, Julia Quinn, Blanche Sears, Thelma Buck, Dorothy Ferree, Coleman Hoffman, George Puri, Eileen Moffitt, Doris Field, Ruth Stover, Marvin Brown, Wilmore Boom, and Denver Sears were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MOTOR VEHICLES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 967—An act to amend sections 1 and 108 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Bill No 140—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the State Forester to protect such area—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

NOYES, Chairman.
MELVILLE.
BROWNE.
MURRAY.
BERNARD.
HEISINGER.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1224—An act to amend sections 3959 and 3966 of the Political Code, relating to county boundary lines;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act;

Also Assembly Bill No 417—An act to amend sections 2322, 2322*a*, 2322*b*, 2322*c*, 2322*d*, 2322*e*, 2322*f*, 2322*g*, 2322*h*, 2322*i* and 2322*j* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 79—An act to provide for the alteration of county boundary lines and for the adjustment of county debts and liabilities when such boundaries are changed, prescribing the method of holding elections and prescribing the duties of officers with respect thereto and providing penalties for the violation hereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 266—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code, providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock;

Also Assembly Bill No 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 21—An act declaring the public highway extending from Irwin street within the corporate limits of the city of San Rafael, in Marin County, California, to Point San Quentin, in Marin County, California, to be a State highway—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this seventh day of April, 1925, at two o'clock and fifteen minutes p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15—Relating to the Colorado River Compact between the states of California, Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this seventh day of April, 1925, at two o'clock and fifteen minutes p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers retired in accordance with the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended; defining the operation of said act; providing for the return, to persons subject to the burdens of said act and not returned, of all moneys contributed by them to the public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of this act; defining the powers and prescribing the duties of public officers and others in connection with this act, and making an appropriation to carry the provisions of this act into effect.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "returned" and insert in lieu thereof the word "retired".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the words "Sec 2" insert the following

Except as hereinafter provided, and except for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of section one hereof, the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this state, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, shall be inoperative after June 30, 1925

SEC. 3 The secretary of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board shall report to said board at each quarterly meeting the amount necessary to pay the retirement salaries for the preceding quarter, and thereupon the said board shall notify the state controller and by resolution, duly adopted shall direct him to make transfer of the needed amount from the public school teachers' permanent fund to the public school teachers' retirement salary fund It shall be the duty of the state controller thereupon to make such transfer and to notify the state treasurer in order that he may make corresponding entry in the records of his office. When claims for payment of retirement salaries have been duly audited under the provisions of this act the controller shall draw his warrant therefor upon the said *public school teachers' retirement salary fund*

SEC. 4. As soon as practicable after this act takes effect the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board shall cause to be ascertained the amount theretofore contributed to the public school teachers' permanent fund by each person who on the thirtieth day of June nineteen hundred twenty-five shall have been subject to the burdens and entitled to the benefits of the act referred to in section one hereof, except retired teachers. The secretary of the board shall report to the board the names of said contributors, the amounts contributed by each and the aggregate amount contributed and thereupon the said board shall notify the state controller and by resolution, duly adopted, shall direct him to pay to the secretary of the board out of the public school teachers' permanent fund the aggregate amount so ascertained *provided, however*, that said board shall direct the payment of only so much of said amount as will leave remaining in the public school teachers' permanent fund a sum sufficient to pay the retirement salaries hereinabove authorized

to be paid. It shall be the duty of the state controller thereupon to draw his warrant to the order of the secretary of said board upon the public school teachers' permanent fund for such amount and it shall be the duty of the state treasurer to pay the same." In the event that the amount so to be withdrawn from the public school teachers' permanent fund shall be less than the entire amount ascertained to have been contributed by the persons hereinbefore referred to, the remainder or remainders shall be withdrawn as soon thereafter as practicable under the same restrictions

The secretary of the board shall thereupon, out of the proceeds from said warrant, pay to each of such persons the entire amount ascertained to have been contributed by him or such uniformly proportionate part thereof as may be available

SEC 5 The public school teachers' retirement salary fund board shall have power and it shall be its duty to do and direct to be done all things necessary or convenient to carry the provisions of this act into effect

SEC 6. The moneys heretofore appropriated for the uses of the public school teachers' permanent fund and of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund are hereby appropriated to carry out the purposes of this act and there hereby is and shall continue to be appropriated annually hereafter so much thereof, from the same sources and in the same manner, as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds; and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "and eight" and insert in lieu thereof the words "eight and seventeen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill after the words "SEC 3.", insert the following

It shall be the duty of the state controller and of the state treasurer to make, when notified by the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board, or by the state superintendent of public instruction, under authority of this act, transfers of such amounts from the public school teachers' permanent fund to the public school teachers' retirement salary fund as will be sufficient to meet the claims which may be legally drawn against said public school teachers' retirement salary fund.

SEC 2. Section four of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows.

Sec 4. It is hereby declared to be the intention of this act that there shall be accumulated and maintained in the public school teachers' permanent fund a sum sufficient at any time, together with the moneys then in the public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and together with the then present value of estimated future contributions to said public school teachers' permanent fund, to pay the then present value of current and estimated future benefits payable under this act

SEC. 3. Section five of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows

Sec 5. Each teacher subject to the burdens of this act shall contribute each school year to the public school teachers' permanent fund for not less than thirty years a premium, to be determined in accordance with the provisions of this act, sufficient, together with an equitable portion of the receipts and income of said fund from other sources, to pay the benefits hereinafter provided. The teacher must pay one half of such annual premium not later than December thirty-first for the half year ending December thirty-first, and must pay the remaining half for the half year ending June thirtieth at the time or before the time of filing his annual report with the county superintendent of schools and not later than June thirtieth of the current school year.

The county superintendent of schools shall issue a receipt in duplicate to the teacher when he makes his payment. The teacher shall file his duplicate receipt with the clerk or secretary of the governing board of the school district in whose service he is employed and the clerk or secretary of the governing board of the school district shall not issue to the teacher his warrant for the school month including December thirty-first nor for his last month of teaching for the current school year until the teacher files with the clerk or secretary his duplicate receipt for the period ending December thirty-first or June thirtieth, as the case may be.

The county superintendent of schools shall deposit these payments weekly, or oftener, in the county treasury to the credit of the public school teachers' permanent fund, and not later than the fifteenth day of July of each year, and semiannually thereafter, shall draw his requisition in favor of the state treasurer and against the county auditor who shall draw his warrant on the county treasurer for the full amount then on deposit to the credit of the public school teachers' permanent fund The requisition of the county superintendent of schools shall be accompanied by a list giving the names of the teachers and the amounts paid by each teacher, and a duplicate of said list shall be sent by the county superintendent of schools to the secretary of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board. Upon the receipt of such requisition the state treasurer shall collect the same and deposit the proceeds thereof in the state treasury to the credit of the public school teachers' permanent fund; *provided*, that in every city and county which constitutes a separate school district, as provided in section one thousand five hundred seventy-six of the Political Code, the payments herein provided to be made shall be made to the superintendent of schools who shall issue his receipt therefor in duplicate In such case the teacher shall file his duplicate receipt with the board of education of such city and county and no official, board, or commission whose duty it is to draw warrants or demands for the payment of said teacher's salary, shall draw such warrant or demand for the school month ending December thirty-first unless the duplicate receipt for the half year ending December thirty-first is on file, nor for the last month of teaching of the current school year, unless the duplicate receipt for the half year ending June thirtieth is on file

SEC. 4 Section six of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows.

Sec 6 No person shall, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, be eligible to receive the benefits of this act, who shall not have paid into said public school teachers' permanent fund, or partly into said fund and partly into the public school teachers' annuity and retirement fund, maintained under the act of the legislature of the State of California, approved March 26, 1895, and acts amendatory thereof, an amount equal to the product of the number of years of service not exceeding thirty years and the annual premium referred to in section five of this act; *provided, however*, that any deficiency in such amount may be paid into said fund by such person at the time of retirement, or may be withheld from such person's retirement salary, together with interest at four per cent per annum compounded annually, in equal quarterly installments calculated to produce the amount of such deficiency, together with interest as aforesaid, during the remaining life of such person.

SEC. 5. Section eight of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows

Sec. 8. The public school teachers' retirement salary fund board, subject to the provisions of this act, shall have power, and it shall be its duty

(1) To approve and allow retirement salaries of public school teachers entitled to the same under the provisions of this act.

(2) Through its president or other officer designated by it for that purpose, to audit all claims and demands for money expended or authorized to be expended by it, and certify all claims and demands against the public school teachers' permanent fund and the public school teachers' retirement salary fund, including all retirement salary demands, to the state controller, who shall draw his warrant therefor upon the state treasurer, payable out of said fund; *provided*, that no demand shall be allowed except after resolution duly passed at a meeting of the board by a majority of its members, which adoptions shall be attested by the secretary;

(3) To require the boards of education, school trustees and other public authorities, and all officers having duties to perform in respect to the contributions by teachers to said permanent fund, to report to the board from time to time as to such matters pertaining to the payment of such contributions, as it may deem advisable;

(4) To invest the moneys in the permanent fund, by deposit in a bank or banks at interest upon certificates of deposit, or by the purchase of securities, and to collect the income therefrom and interest and dividends thereon; to deposit the securities so purchased with the state treasurer, and to withdraw such funds from deposit or make sale of such securities when in its judgment, such withdrawal or sale will be advisable, *provided*, that none of the moneys in the public school teachers' permanent fund shall be so deposited in banks without the approval of the state board of control, nor invested in any securities except those in which the funds of savings banks may be legally invested The state controller is authorized to draw his warrant upon the public school teachers' permanent fund in payment

of duly audited claims arising out of the investment of the moneys in said fund as herein provided.

(5) To employ such expert and clerical assistance and purchase such supplies and equipment as may be necessary for the administration of this act and pay the same out of the teachers' permanent fund: *provided*, that the amount expended for this purpose shall not exceed two per cent of the total income for any fiscal year;

(6) To prescribe the duties of the secretary and other officers of the board;

(7) To conduct investigations in all matters relating to the operation of this act, and to subpœna witnesses and compel their attendance to testify before it in respect to such matters.

(8) To cause to be prepared and currently maintained under competent actuarial direction, a permanent record of observation of the number and rates of separations from active school service as currently obtaining among all persons subject to the burdens of this act according to sex, age, school service in this state, and school service outside of this state, of the number and rates of disability retirements, service retirements and deaths according to the same classifications; and of the number of deaths and rates of mortality among disability annuitants and among service annuitants, according to sex.

(9) To cause to be computed, by a competent actuary or actuaries, rates of premium contributions, and to promulgate such rates adequate to meet the requirements of section five of this act, and based upon said experience observation records and interest assumption at four per cent per annum, compounded annually; *provided*, that pending the availability of said experience observation records, said premium contributions shall be computed on the basis of the experience of the public school teachers' pension fund of the city of New York, and interest at four per cent per annum, compounded annually.

(10) During the month of December, 1925, or as soon thereafter as practicable, and biennially thereafter, to cause to be made, by a competent actuary or actuaries, a valuation of the liabilities arising from the operation of this act, and of the assets available and to become available to meet said liabilities.

SEC. 6. Section seventeen of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 17. This act shall be binding upon all such teachers employed in the public schools of this state at the time of the approval of this act, as shall, on or before January 1, 1914, sign and deliver to the superintendent of public instruction and the superintendent of public schools of the city, county or consolidated city and county in which said teachers are in service, a notification that said teachers agree to be bound by and to avail themselves of the benefits of this act; *provided*, that any teacher employed in the public schools of this state at the time of the approval of the public school teachers' retirement salary act on June 16, 1913, who did not on or before January 1, 1914, sign and deliver such notification, and who claims exemption from the provisions of said act shall prove to the satisfaction of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board on or before July 1, 1924, that he is entitled to exemption from the provisions of this act, and upon failure to prove claim of exemption as hereinbefore provided, any such person shall be subject to burdens and benefits of this act, *provided, further*, that any teacher who claims exemption from the provisions of this act and later applies for retirement under this act shall be required to pay in addition to the premium for each year of service performed after January 1, 1914, an amount equal to five per cent interest per annum on the premium for each year of such service, beginning with the date upon which the final payment of each year would have been due if the teacher had not claimed exemption, and the payment of such premiums and interest may be made at any time before retirement, or, if not made before retirement may be made at the time of retirement, or may be withheld from the retirement salary after the manner provided in section six of this act, *provided further*, that any teacher applying for retirement under this act offering service outside of this state, performed after January 1, 1914, shall be required to pay in addition to the premium for each year of such service, an amount equal to five per cent interest per annum on the premium for each year of such service, beginning with the date upon which the final payment of each year would have been due had the teaching been done in this state, and the payment of such premiums and interest may be made at any time before retirement, or, if not made before retirement may be made at the time of retirement, or may be withheld from the retirement

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in

producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, insert after the word "machinery" the following: "and/" and insert before the word "do" the following "or both,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, insert after the word "for" the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, insert after the word "and" the following: "/or" and insert after the word "seed" in the said line the following "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, insert after the comma after the word "for" the following: "and/"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, insert after the word "and" the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, insert after the word "crops" the following: ", whether harvested or unharvested, and/or upon any part thereof, whether the work was done and/or the materials furnished on that particular part or not," and insert before the word "seed" in the said line the following "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, insert after each of the two words "and" the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, insert after the word "machinery" the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, insert after the word "this" the words "and the next succeeding".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "encumbrances" and insert in lieu thereof the following ", except bona fide mortgages, liens or encumbrances which were of record with the county recorder before the claimant began work, or began to furnish materials, or to use live stock, machinery or appliances, as the case may be"

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, insert before the word "or" the following: "and/", and insert also at the end of said line the following "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, insert before the word "or" the following "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 43, of the printed bill, insert before each of the two words "or" the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill, insert after the word "and" the following: "/or"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, insert after the word "machinery" the following: "and/" and insert after the word "appliances" the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, insert before each of the two words "or" the following: "and/" and insert after the word "machinery" the following: "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 3, lines 21 to 25, both inclusive, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "The lien created by the last preceding section ceases and determines, as to each separate crop, unless the claimant thereof, or his assignee or successor in interest, brings suit to foreclose the same before the expiration of ten days from the time the said crop is produced and ready for market" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The lien created by the last preceding section continues in force until all of the crop or crops on which the lien is claimed have been removed from the limits of the land or ranch on which they were produced and if any part thereof is so removed the lien on the balance, whether harvested or unharvested and whether the work was done and/or the materials furnished on the particular balance remaining or not, continues in full force and effect for the full amount due on all the said crop or crops, but the lien ceases and determines as to the part so removed. At any time before all of the crop or crops on which the lien is claimed are so removed the lien claimant, or his assignee or successor in interest, may bring suit to foreclose the lien."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 3, lines 31 to 37, both inclusive, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "defendant is indebted to the plaintiff upon a demand for labor performed, services of livestock, machinery of appliances, or materials furnished in producing, caring for or harvesting the said crop or crops, and that the sum for which the attachment is asked is an actual bona fide existing debt, due and owing from the defendant to the plaintiff, and" and insert in lieu thereof the following: " (1) the plaintiff, or his assignor or predecessor in interest, performed labor, used live stock, machinery and/or appliances and/or furnished materials in producing, caring for and/or harvesting the said crop or crops, (2) that such services and/or materials have not been paid for; (3) that the sum for which the attachment is asked does not exceed the reasonable value of the services rendered and/or materials furnished; and (4)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, insert before the word "judgment" the following "The proceeds shall be divided pro rata among the lien claimants whose liens are established, regardless of the order in which the liens were created and/or the order in which the suits to foreclose same were commenced, and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, insert before each of the two words "or" the following: "and/".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts and relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to repeal section 18 and to reenact said section 18 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "repeal" and insert in lieu thereof the word "amend".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill strike out the following "and to re-enact said section eighteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period following the figures "1915" and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following, "as amended, relating to the issuance of additional bonds."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "repealed.", and insert in lieu thereof the following "amended to read as follows ".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 4 and 5.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the period following the figures "18" add the following: "Whenever said board of supervisors shall by resolution duly passed by vote of four-fifths of all its members determine that the public interest or necessity of said district demands the issuance by said district of additional bonds for carrying out the work of flood control, water conservation or for any of the purposes of this act, said board of supervisors may again proceed as in this act provided and have a report made and filed as provided for in section four of this act, and may then submit to the qualified voters of said district the question of issuing additional bonds in the same manner and with like procedure as hereinbefore provided, and all the above provisions of this act for the issuing and sale of such bonds and for the expenditure of the proceeds thereof shall be deemed to apply to such issue of additional bonds "

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of household articles and authorizing the use of concealed materials for the same.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture, providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the "division of weights and measures fund "

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, beginning on line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. No person shall, at wholesale, or retail, or otherwise, directly or indirectly, make, sell, offer or expose for sale, deliver, rent, consign, lease or otherwise dispose of commercially, or have in his possession with such intent, any article of new upholstered furniture, for use in any household or place of abode, or which can be used by human beings, that is made of any new material which is hidden or concealed by fabric or any other covering, unless such article is plainly and indelibly stamped or tagged with a tag prescribed and approved by the state department of agriculture, which tag shall be securely attached to the article at the factory setting forth in the English language the name of the vendor together with the serial number of the manufacturer, which serial number shall be assigned by the department of agriculture, together with a statement that the concealed materials are in whole new materials, with the words as a heading on the tag "All New Material" with blank space to stamp or write that pillows or cushions belonging to or forming part of said article are included; *provided*, that nothing in this act shall apply to pillows as defined by section four hundred two *f* of the Penal Code, and provided also that nothing in this act shall apply to mattresses as defined by an act approved June 7, 1915, as amended, chapter six hundred forty-one, statutes one thousand nine hundred fifteen.

SEC. 2. No person shall, at wholesale, or retail or otherwise, directly or indirectly, make, sell, offer for sale, deliver, rent, consign, lease or otherwise dispose of commercially, or have in his possession with such intent, any article of new upholstered furniture that contains in whole or in part any used or second-hand materials, cast off clothing, rags, jute, burlap, sweepings, shoddy, webbing, refuse, or any material previously used for any purpose whatsoever, that is hidden or concealed by fabric or any other covering unless such article is plainly and indelibly stamped or tagged with a tag prescribed and approved by the state department of agriculture, which tag shall be securely attached to the article at the factory, setting forth in the English language the name of the vendor together with the serial number of the manufacturer, which serial number shall be assigned by the department of agriculture, and setting forth description of the kind or kinds of used or

second-hand materials concealed therein, with the words as a heading on the tag "second-hand material" and a statement that said used or second-hand materials have been sterilized in accordance with the requirements of the state board of health.

SEC. 3. No person shall sell, or offer for sale in this state, any article of upholstered furniture manufactured out of this state unless a label is affixed thereto setting forth that such article complies with the laws of this state.

SEC. 4. Any person who shall remove, deface, alter, or in any manner attempt the same or shall cause to be removed, defaced, or altered, any mark or statement placed upon any upholstered furniture under the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a violation of this act.

SEC. 5. Every person, firm or corporation manufacturing or selling at wholesale upholstered furniture shall obtain annually from the state department of agriculture a license for which the annual fee shall be thirty dollars.

Every person, firm or corporation repairing upholstered furniture, unless licensed under the preceding paragraph of this section, shall obtain annually from the state department of agriculture a license for which the annual fee shall be twenty dollars.

Every person, firm or corporation selling or offering for sale at retail any upholstered furniture, unless licensed under one of the preceding paragraphs of this section, shall obtain annually from the state department of agriculture a license for which the annual fee shall be five dollars.

SEC. 6. All moneys collected under the provisions of this act shall be credited to the "division of weights and measures fund", which fund is hereby created, and shall be held subject to the uses of the department of agriculture for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

SEC. 7. The director of the department of agriculture, or his authorized deputy or inspector, shall have access to any records held by any person containing any information pertaining to the article or material in question.

SEC. 8. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished for each separate offense by a fine of not less than fifty dollars or more than five hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail of not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment. The unit for a separate and distinct offense in violation of this act shall be each and every article of upholstered furniture manufactured or sold in violation of this act.

SEC. 9. The word "person", as used in this act, shall be deemed to include person, firm or corporation.

SEC. 10. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 801—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. C. Harter, against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title strike out the words "E. C. Harter" and insert in lieu thereof the words "H. C. Harter."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the words "E. C. Harter" and insert in lieu thereof the words "H. C. Harter."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to promote the development of the California canned fruit industry and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned fruit by establishing and defining certain standards for canned fruit of the varieties herein named, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture in relation hereto, including the collection of fees, creating a board of appeal and defining its powers and duties in relation hereto and fixing

the compensation of the members thereof, prescribing penalties for violations hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the word "thirty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, lines 38 and 39, of the printed bill, strike out the words "for the season".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, after the hyphen after the word "twenty" strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 27, of the printed bill, after the hyphen after the word "twenty", strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 48, of the printed bill, after the word "hundred" strike out the words "seventy-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 18, of the printed bill strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the words "forty-four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or to which" and all of lines two to fifteen inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "shall be clearly, indelibly and permanently marked "seconds without added sugar" such marking to be in letters not less than one-quarter inch high embossed or lithographed in the tin of the top or cover of the can Where some sugar, but less than ten per cent is added to the liquid surrounding the fruit, the cans shall be marked "Seconds" followed by a statement of the actual amount of added sugar, such marking to be in letters not less than one-quarter inch high, embossed or lithographed in the tin of the top or cover of the can

All canned cherries and pears packed, shipped, delivered for shipment, offered for sale or sold in the State of California, which are of a grade herein above defined and designated as "Seconds" and to which not less than ten per cent sugar and up to twenty per cent is added to the liquid surrounding of the fruit, shall be clearly, indelibly and permanently marked "Seconds", such marking to be in letters not less than one-quarter inch high, embossed or lithographed in the tin of the top or cover of the can

All canned peaches and apricots packed, shipped, delivered for shipment, offered for sale or sold in the State of California, which are of a grade herein above defined and designated as "Seconds" and to which not less than ten per cent sugar and up to twenty-five per cent is added to the liquid surrounding the fruit, shall be clearly, indelibly and permanently marked "Seconds", such marking to be in letters not less than one-quarter inch high, embossed or lithographed in the tin of the top or cover of the can."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 9 of the printed bill, after line 11, add the following:

"SEC. 17. The sum of fifteen thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purposes of this act

SEC 18. This act shall not apply to any of the above enumerated fruits packed prior to January 1, 1926."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 237—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by

controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said Commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said Commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said Commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said Commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance of the provisions and benefits of an act passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise; to empower and direct the board designated as the State Board for Vocational Education to cooperate with the federal board for vocational education in carrying out the provisions of said federal act; to prescribe its powers and duties in carrying out the provisions of this

act; to provide for a plan of cooperation between the State Board for Vocational Education and the Industrial Accident Commission; to provide for the appointment of a custodian of all moneys received by the State from appropriations made by the Congress of the United States and from other sources for the purpose of promoting vocational rehabilitation; to create a vocational rehabilitation fund and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, relating to appropriation for vocational rehabilitation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 497—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 799—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Thomas Byrne, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 800—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 802—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Dan Murphy and R. J Dillon, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 803—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Bankers Life Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 804—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A Teichert and Company, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 805—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of L. F. Sinsheimer, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Los Angeles Railway Company, a corporation, against the State of California

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5, line 45, of the printed bill, after the word "assistance", strike out the period and add the words "or other remedial care".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action against the surety or sueties on the contractor's bond independent of a right of action against the board, commission, officer, or other body by whom the contract was awarded, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act, may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 41, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "last mentioned" and insert in lieu thereof the words "for filing verified claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, lines 13 to 19, of the amended printed bill, both inclusive, strike out the following: "It shall be lawful for the said commissioners, managers, trustees, officers board of supervisors, board of trustees, common council, or other body by whom such contract was awarded, to immediately pay, without suit, to any claimant who files a verified claim as provided in this section, or his assign, the amount of his claim, provided only the consent in writing of the contractor is secured."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 5, lines 32 to 44, of the amended printed bill, both inclusive, strike out all of said lines

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1184*d*, relating to the furnishing of bonds by persons against whom claims are filed, and prescribing the duties of public officers in respect thereto.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 12 to 24, inclusive.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the third line of the title of the amended bill, after the comma following the word "five", strike out the word "six,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 22 to 52, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 7, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 4, line 8, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 4" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 19, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 5" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 4, line 34, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 6" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 47, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 7" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 3, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 8" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5, line 32, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 9" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5 of the amended bill, beginning with the word "said", after the comma following the word "same" in line 49, strike out the remainder of line 49 and lines 50 and 51.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 6 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 52, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 6, inclusive, and to the period following the word "section", in line 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "It shall be the duty of the board of directors from time to time to levy an additional assessment or assessments of the same character for said purposes, *provided, however*, that the total of all such assessments, exclusive of the amount assessed for the purpose of paying warrants of the state engineer, shall not exceed fifty (50) cents per acre, except as hereinafter provided.

If, after the total amount raised by all such assessments shall have been expended or its expenditure authorized, such total amount is found to be insufficient to meet all of such expenses of the district, the directors may, in the manner hereafter provided, levy an additional assessment or assessments of like character for such purposes up to an amount not in excess of fifty (50) cents per acre. Before levying any such additional assessment the board of directors shall pass a resolution declaring its intention so to do and in such resolution shall appoint a time not less than two weeks and not more than four weeks from the passage of such resolution of intention at which the matter of levying such additional assessment will be considered in open meeting. A copy of such resolution of intention shall be published once a week for at least two weeks before the time so appointed in a newspaper of general circulation in each county in which land within the district is located. At the time so appointed the board shall meet and in open meeting consider the matter of levying such additional assessment and hear any objection thereto and at or after such meeting may levy such additional assessment, if in its judgment the best interests of the district so require."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 7, line 17, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 10" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 7 of the amended bill, beginning with the word "which" after the comma following the word "therefore" in line 38, strike out all down to and including the period following the word "inspection" in line 2, page 8, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "which shall be payable out of the funds of said district and may be included in any bond issue authorized for the purposes of said district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 8, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "said" strike out the word "report" and insert in lieu thereof the word "project".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 8, line 32, after the period following the word "action" insert the following:

"SEC. 10. Section 18 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 9, line 51, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 12" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 11".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 10 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 25 to 27, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of all votes cast are 'Completion of Project—No,' the project shall be deemed abandoned and proceedings shall be there-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 10 of the amended bill, beginning with the word "representing" in line 30, strike out all down to and including the words "pavers" in line 31.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 11, lines 10 and 11, of the amended bill, strike out the following: "with the approval of said board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 11, line 46, of the amended bill, after the word "different" strike out the word "countries" and insert in lieu thereof the word "counties".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 13 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 37, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Said adjustment board, after said hearings, must make an order approving such assessment as finally fixed or modified, which order shall be filed with and entered in the records of the state engineer, and the apportionment and determination of said adjustment board shall be final and conclusive, and no action or defense shall ever be maintained attacking the same in any respect. Two copies of said assessment roll as finally fixed and approved by the adjustment board shall be forthwith certified by the secretary of such adjustment board and transmitted to the board of directors of the said district, who shall file one copy in their records and thereupon immediately transmit to the county treasurer of each county within such district

that portion of the roll relating to the lands within such county together with a copy of the order of approval of such assessment roll by said adjustment board. Thereafter said assessment roll shall be conclusive evidence before any court or tribunal that said assessment has been made and levied according to law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 14 of the amended bill beginning with the word "and" in line 4, strike out all down to and including the word "inspection" in line 7

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 14, lines 13 and 14, of the amended bill, strike out the following: "and with the board of directors of said district,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 14, line 16, of the amended bill, strike out the following: "and the board of directors of such district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 14, line 29, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 13" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 12".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 15, line 3, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 14" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT

On page 15 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 12 and 13 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 17, line 3, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 15" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 17, line 29, of the amended bill, after the word "any" strike out the comma and the word "at" and insert in lieu thereof a period and the word "At".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE

On page 17, line 30, of the amended bill, after the word "hearing" strike out the period and the word "Said" and insert in lieu thereof the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 17 of the amended bill, beginning with the word "The" in line 40, strike out all down to and including line 44.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 19, line 16, after the period following the word "assessment" insert the following: "The board of directors of any water storage district may at any time after any toll or charge provided for in this act has become delinquent, direct that proceedings be not taken to enforce the lien therefor, and in place of such proceedings bring suit in the name of the district against the delinquent to enforce collection of such delinquent toll or charge. In such suit the district may recover the amount of such toll or charge, together with penalties and interest, and costs of suit."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 19, line 17, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 16" and insert "Sec. 15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 19 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 32 to 52, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof "to produce the amount necessary to be raised."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX

On page 20 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 10, inclusive, and the period following the word "report" at the beginning of line 11.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 21, line 6, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 17" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 21 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 16 and 17 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "by the owners of more than one-fourth in assessed value of the lands of the district, request-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 21, line 41 of the amended bill, after the word "it" insert a comma and the following: "and the number of votes cast by each voter."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 22, line 12, of the amended bill, after the word "If" strike out the words "two-thirds or more" and insert in lieu thereof "a majority".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 29, line 29, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 18" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 17".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 29, line 48, of the amended bill, after the word "contract" insert the word "condemnation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 29, line 52, of the amended bill, after the comma following the word "improvement" strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 30, line 3, of the amended bill, after the word "owners" insert the following "even though already devoted to a public use"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 30 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 6 to 9, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "directors may deem best, but private property devoted to the use of one water storage district or any irrigation district or other district or to any city or county may not be taken by any water storage district; pro-"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 30, line 48, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 19" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 18".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 31, line 24, of the amended bill, after the word "exceed" strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 31, line 41, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 20" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 19".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE

On page 32, line 26, of the amended bill, after the period following the word "him" insert the following "The records of the board including copies of the project, copies of assessment rolls and reports to the state engineer shall be deemed to be public records and shall be kept in the office of the board and open to inspection during office hours."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 32, line 27, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 21" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 20".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-ONE

On page 32, line 48, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 22" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 21"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-TWO.

On page 33, line 22, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec 23" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 22".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-THREE

On page 33, line 34, of the amended bill, after the word "directors" strike out "with the ballots".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FOUR.

On page 33, line 44, of the amended bill, after the word "each" strike out the word "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FIVE

On page 32, line 47, of the amended bill, after the word "act" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following "which number shall be written or stamped upon it by an election officer and initialed by him when handed to the voter."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SIX

On page 34 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 5, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SEVEN.

On page 34, line 6 of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 24" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 23"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-EIGHT.

On page 34, line 23, of the amended bill strike out the words "board of directors" and insert in lieu thereof "state engineer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-NINE

On page 34, line 28, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec 25" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 24".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY

On page 35, line 15, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec 26" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 25".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-ONE

On page 35, line 26, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 27" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 26"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-TWO.

On page 35, line 42, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec 28" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 27".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-THREE.

On page 36, line 33, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec 29" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 28"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-FOUR

On page 37, line 5, of the amended bill, after the word "within", strike out the words "one year" and insert in lieu thereof "two years"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-FIVE.

On page 37, line 11, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 30" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 29".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-SIX

On page 37, line 24, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec 31" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 30".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-SEVEN.

On page 37, line 43, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 32" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 31".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-EIGHT.

On page 38, line 16, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 33" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 32"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTY-NINE.

On page 38, line 40, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 34" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 33".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY

On page 39, line 7, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 35" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 34"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-ONE.

On page 39 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 15 to 18, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "from the district, and if said lands or any portion thereof be thereafter excluded from the district, the lands so excluded shall be released from the lien of such outstanding bonds. The".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-TWO.

On page 39, line 30, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 36" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 35".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-THREE.

On page 39, line 49, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 37" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 36".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-FOUR.

On page 40, line 4, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 38" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 37".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-FIVE.

On page 40, line 36, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec 39" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 38".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-SIX.

On page 41, line 6, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 40" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 39".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-SEVEN.

On page 41, line 25, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 41" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 40".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-EIGHT.

On page 41, line 40, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 42" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 41".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTY-NINE.

On page 42, line 7, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 43" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 42".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY.

On page 42, line 41, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 44" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 43".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-ONE.

On page 43, line 14, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 45" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 44".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-TWO.

On page 43, line 34, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 46" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 45".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-THREE.

On page 43, line 46, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 47" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 46".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTY-FOUR.

On page 44, line 9, of the amended bill, strike out "Sec. 48" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 47".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9*a* and to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to disposition of funds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer in counties and cities and counties of the first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth class, and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the word "first".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 3, strike out the word "first".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 3 to 9, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Before the sentence commencing on line 10, page 6, insert the figure "7".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 595—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for

such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 334—An act to amend section 17*b* of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the filing or reports of the probation committee.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 787—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* respectively, relating to licenses.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 194—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to the annexation of a high school district or union high school district to a junior college district.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relative to the county high school tax

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 636—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to apportionment of school funds.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 1616 of the Political Code, relating to kindergartens

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend sections 1612*a*, 1756, and 1839 of the Political Code, relating to school taxation

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 39 and 55 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 9, 1925, after the word "due" insert the word "or"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, lines 20 and 21, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 9, 1925, strike out the words "time for levying the next annual assessment" and insert in lieu thereof the following "close of the next ensuing calendar year"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate March 9, 1925, strike out the words "time for levying the next annual assessment" and in lieu thereof insert the following "close of the next ensuing calendar year."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate March 9, 1925, beginning with the word "whenever" strike out all of the remainder of the bill and insert the following "notwithstanding any provision of this act or any act amendatory hereof, or supplementary hereto, the board of directors may in lieu, either in whole or in part, of levying the annual assessment for the payment of interest on or principal of bonds, or for any other purposes of this act use any income or revenue of the district derived from the sale of electric power or from the sale or lease of water or the use of water for power purposes."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading

Senate Bill No. 313—An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, as modified by the report of California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and providing the extent to which the State of California will contribute to the expense of executing the plan approved in said report, conditioned upon the United States assuming a corresponding obligation and further providing the purposes to which said expenditures made hereunder shall be applied.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed amended bill, strike out the following ", *provided, however*, that not more than two million dollars shall be appropriated therefor in any one year".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 305—An act authorizing the transfer of all funds collected by any of the county treasurers of the State of California on assessments of the Sacramento Drainage District, by said county treasurers to the Reclamation Board to vest in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the benefit of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for general administrative purposes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 314—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of the Sacramento and San

Joaquin Drainage District based upon assessments levied by the Reclamation Board upon lands in said district," approved May 27, 1919, by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 59, said new section relating to and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by amending sections 7, 12, 13, 15 and 32 thereof and by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 37, said new section relating to the disposition and application to be made of certain moneys heretofore appropriated for controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, if said moneys shall be reimbursed or released to the State of California by the federal government.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 181—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to city justice courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 181 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Miller, Eleanor, Minter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the classification of municipal corporations," approved March 2, 1883, as amended, relating to municipal corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 741 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fitz, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Eksward moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill after the word "annum" insert a comma and the following: "and one who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 9, of the printed bill after the period following the figure "4" strike out the balance of line 9, all of lines 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the auditor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum. He may appoint two deputies, one of whom shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and one clerk at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, and six copyists for one month each year, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each. The deputies, clerk and copyists herein provided for shall be paid by the county in monthly installments in the same manner and out of the same funds as the auditor is paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 52, of the printed bill, after the word "receive" strike out the balance of the line and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the sum of fifty dollars per month for traveling and other expenses".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "expenses for" and insert in lieu thereof the word "in"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Eksward as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 66, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

EKSWARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 342—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of teachers in elementary schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 342 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Denel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—44.

NOES—Graves, Runner—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 231—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to enable any water company organized under the laws of this State to cancel certain shares of stock hereinafter described, and in lieu thereof to issue a new certificate therefor to the owner of the land to which said shares of stock are attached or appurtenant," approved June 14, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 231 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Denel, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista Bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge, and from the south end of said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half miles south of the new bridge, to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 488 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—52.

NOES—Jones—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening and straightening, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within the unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose; and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 688 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobsen, Johnson, Jones, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Jost, Murphy, and Wemple—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 266 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobsen, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 244—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to boards of supervisors, their jurisdiction, and limitation of powers, and vesting them with the power of providing for assistance

of county officers, and the fixing of their salaries and the payment thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 244 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crowe, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Loutzit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noves, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—West—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Miss Broughton moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Ward's Ferry, thence to Groveland, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for a survey.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Browne moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "highway", strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof, a period, striking out all of the rest of the title.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2 of the printed bill, after the word "to" following the word "Sonora", strike out the remainder of line 2

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "be", insert the following: "constructed and".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Browne as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1057, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BROWNE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 795 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Jones—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "farm".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright, S. V., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 578, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, S. V., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 308 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 791—An act to prohibit and punish the fraudulent obtaining of transportation and advances from employers or prospective employers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McDonough moved that Assembly Bill No 791 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Labor and Capital

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Lyons, Bernard, Williamson, Jacobson and Dodge, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to re-refer Assembly Bill No. 791 to Committee on Labor and Capital.

The roll was called, and the motion to re-refer lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dodge, Dorris, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Rendollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—33

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Johnson, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Melville Mixter, Murphy, Pierce, Roberts Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—34.

The question being on the passage of Assembly Bill No. 791.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 791 was refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Cloudman, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Graves Johnson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Pierce, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, and Weller—18.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Rendollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50

Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the Bill, Mr. Noyes moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "auditor" strike out the remainder of line 14 and all of lines 15 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The auditor, two thousand five hundred dollars per annum and in lieu of fees heretofore paid him under the provisions of section four thousand ninety-nine *a* of the Political Code he shall receive an additional sum of five hundred dollars per annum as compensation for the extra duties imposed by said section four thousand ninety-nine *a*.

It is hereby found as a fact that the salary provided for in this subsection does not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the auditor one deputy which said deputy shall receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum which shall be paid at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the auditor is paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the comma strike out the word "two" and in lieu thereof insert the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, after the word "schools" strike out the remainder of line 49 and all of lines 50, 51 and 52 on page 2 and all of lines 1 to 4, inclusive, on page 3, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "The superintendent of schools three thousand dollars per annum, and actual traveling expenses when visiting the schools of his county. In counties of this class the secretary of the county board of education shall receive the sum of five hundred dollars per annum, said salary to be paid by said county in monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the superintendent of schools. The compensation of the secretary of the county board of education of this county hereby provided is in lieu of the fees heretofore allowed under the provisions of section one thousand seven hundred seventy of this code, *provided, further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and there is hereby allowed to the superintendent of schools one deputy which said deputy shall receive a salary of eight hundred dollars per annum, which shall be paid at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same funds as the salary of the superintendent of schools is paid.

It is hereby found as a fact that the salary provided for in this section does not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same shall apply immediately to the present incumbent."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the remainder of line 33 and all of lines 34 to 51, inclusive, and also lines 1 and 2 on page 4, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "five thousand or more one hundred twenty-five dollars; in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred and less than five thousand, seventy dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand five hundred and less than two thousand five hundred, forty-five dollars; in townships having a population of one thousand and less than one thousand five hundred, thirty dollars; in townships having a population of less than one thousand fifteen dollars. In addition to the monthly salary allowed herein, each constable may receive and retain for his own use, such fees as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for all the services performed by him in civil actions. In all townships having a population of less than two thousand five hundred, if there be more than one constable, the compensation herein allowed shall be equally divided between them, so that the sum total of their monthly compensation shall not exceed the salary allowed herein for a single constable in each township. The board of supervisors shall, during each and every year, ascertain and determine the population of the several townships of the county for the purpose of ascertaining the compensation of township officers regulated by this section, in proportion to their duties."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 4, after line 14, of the printed bill, add the following

"SEC. 16. Effect of act. It is hereby found as a fact that the provisions herein made for expenses of the sheriff and constables of counties of the thirty-fourth class do not work an increase in compensation and it is intended that the same apply immediately to the present incumbents.

SEC. 17. It is hereby found and declared that all deputies, assistants and other subordinate officers provided for herein are additional deputies and assistants necessary and proper to be forthwith allowed said principals and the same are hereby allowed to the incumbent principals and shall be effective at once during their present terms of office, and clerks, typists and other assistants provided for herein, other than deputies, shall be eligible for appointment on attaining the age of eighteen."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Noyes as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 445, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

NOYES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom prisons.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 3 and 4 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"1584. All moneys heretofore credited to the prison fund of San Quentin".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 484, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 704—An act creating the California Military Reserve, providing for the appointment of officers therein, and when said reserve may be called into active service.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 704 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 46½ of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 155 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding,

Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.
Noes—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

RECESS

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day

REASSEMBLED

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following Concurrent Resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Mr. Dodge: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to visit the site of the Boulder Canyon Dam, the Imperial Valley and Southern California
Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 6, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 462—An act to provide for the survey of the Santa Ana River watershed and basin to determine the work necessary and proper to be done for flood control of the Santa Ana River and its tributaries, providing for an appropriation therefor and expenditure thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

(Signed out)

NOYES, Chairman.
BERNARD.
MURPHY.
MURRAY.
BROWNE
WOODBRIDGE.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to provide for the organization and government of highway districts, and to provide for the construction, acquisition and maintenance of highways in such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 857—An act appropriating money for the construction of a State Armory at Griffith Park, Los Angeles—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle, to provide for certain exemptions, to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses, to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, including in such repeal an act entitled the same as the title of this act to and including the word "herewith" in this title, which act was approved June 23, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

SMITH, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1286—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 915—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitos, flies and other insects, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein," approved May 29, 1915—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 2—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 8 of article XIII thereof relating to taxpayers' statements of property—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R J, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly constitutional amendment ordered to engrossment.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No 184—An act to amend sections 7, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations without recommendation.

SMITH, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 604—An act to authorize the sale and conveyance by the State Board of Control of any real estate acquired by the State for use of the California Highway Commission, and to credit the proceeds of such sale to such fund as the California Highway Commission may direct

Also Senate Bill No. 685—An act declaring and establishing the roads from San Rafael to Point San Quentin, from Crescent City to the Oregon line (coast route), Alturas to the Oregon line, near New Pine Creek, from Coleville to the Nevada state line in Mono County, from Bakersfield to Mojave, from Needles to Topoc, from Shavers Wells to Coachella, from Blythe to the Colorado River, from Oxnard to the main coast highway, Bay Shore highway commencing at a point at or near the intersection of Army street and San Bruno avenue, San Francisco, to a point in San Jose to be designated by the California Highway Commission, as State highways adopting all public highways along said routes as State highways without compensation being paid therefor,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and *recommends* that they *do pass*.

MELVILLE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 6—An act to appropriate $5,000 to be used by the California Highway Commission for the purpose of making a survey for a road from the city of Hollister to Soledad—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 113—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California relating to the giving or lending of public credit—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, as amended

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported Senate constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 32—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California, by adding a new section to article XIII thereof, to be designated as section 17, relating to revenue and taxation:

Also Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 15—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article VI a new section to be numbered 1*a*, and by amending section 6, 7

and 8 of said article, relative to the Judicial Department, by providing for a Judicial Council;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported Senate constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1277—An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans;
And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, to be numbered 19½25, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 1 and section 2 of an act entitled "An act requiring the payment into the state treasury of all moneys belonging to the State, received by the various State institutions, commissions, and officers and directing the disposition of the same," approved March 17, 1899, as amended, relating to the payment of State money into the treasury and abolishing certain special funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city

Also: Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of waterworks and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to elections;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1241—An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, *and to provide for the acquisition of water rights* or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance of the provisions and benefits of an act passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise, to empower and direct the board designated as the State Board for Vocational Education to cooperate with the Federal Board for Vocational Education in carrying out the provisions of said federal act; to prescribe its powers and duties in carrying out the provisions of this act; to provide for a plan of cooperation between the State Board for Vocational Education and the Industrial Accident Commission; to provide for the appointment of a custodian of all moneys received by the State from appropriations made by the Congress of the United States and from other sources for the purpose of promoting vocational rehabilitation; to create a vocational rehabilitation fund and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, relating to appropriation for vocational rehabilitation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 237—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in *accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the* report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the Sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and *printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, Sixty-third United* States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, and making an appropriation for such work and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the Sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the chief of engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, Sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an *appropriation for such work, and providing for the continuance of such work* as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 497—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 799—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Thomas Byrne, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 800—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 802—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Dan Murphy and R. J. Dillon, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 803—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Bankers Life Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 804—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. Teichert and Company, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 805—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of L. F. Sinsheimer, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Los Angeles Railway Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts and relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 45—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes.

Also: Senate Bill No. 264—An act defining and prohibiting blacklisting and unlawful interference with laborers, and providing for the punishment thereof and the recovery of damages therefor, and defining what shall be accepted as evidence in blacklist cases.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 45 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Charities and Corrections.

Senate Bill No. 264 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding section 2¾ to article II of said constitution, relating to election to non-partisan office at a primary election.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to appropriate money to be used as a revolving fund by the Sixth District Agricultural Association for the purpose of creating, installing and maintaining special expositions at Exposition Park, Los Angeles," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the disposition of funds.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 481—An act to amend section 2158 of the Political Code, relating to hospital funds.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to add a new section to article III of chapter II of title III of part I of division IV of the Civil Code, to be known as section 3397, and relating to specific performance of marketing agreements of cooperative marketing associations.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 794—An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, by the State Board of Health, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also Assembly Bill No 1234—An act to amend sections 1 and 17 and to add a new section to be numbered 17½ to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a State Hospital for the Insane to be located in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California.

Also Assembly Bill No 1052—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No 1182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2a to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 27—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 707—An act to amend section 19x17 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also Assembly Bill No 787—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any opium, morphine, cocaine, heroin or other narcotic is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such narcotics, and providing for the abatement of such nuisances;

Also Assembly Bill No 1253—An act to amend section 19x12 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended, relative to the salary of probation officer in counties of the twelfth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 15—Relative to adjournment—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 15?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the following words and figures "Wednesday, April 15 1925" and insert in lieu thereof the following "Friday, April 24 1925".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Cloudman:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 205—An act to amend section 29 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to permit the revocation of certificates of self-insurance, to make failure to secure the payment of compensation a misdemeanor, and to require employers to furnish the Industrial Accident Commission with statements showing the name of their insurance carrier or how they have secured the payment of compensation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 205 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for professional engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board; providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 333 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mix-

ter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rutner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Denel, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, Morrison, Murphy, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Smith, Spence, and Williamson—22.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Jones gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 333 was this day passed.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered 14, relating to the incorporation, organization and classification of school districts

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11 read.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Miller, J. A., moved that Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11 re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Senate Bill No. 121—An act validating the formation, organization and proceedings of the Potter Valley Irrigation District under the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED

Mr. Dayton moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 121 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Mueller waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 60 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 60 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 12½, article XIII thereof, relative to exemption from taxation of certain trees and vines

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10 read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Weller moved a call of the House.

Motion carried

Time: three o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, and Mr. Speaker—71.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senate Bill No. 254—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization of municipal utility districts and declaring the urgency of said act

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 254 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 255—An act to validate and legalize all bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold by municipal utility

districts where authority for such issuance has already been given by vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such districts voting at an election held for that purpose, and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 255 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and forty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the house were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Weller.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Bernard, Broughton, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Graves, Jones, Jost, Louttit, Murray, Runner, and West—14.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 533—An act to enable the Electro Metals Company, a trust organization, or its trustees or officers to sue the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 533 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Browne, Deuel, Dillinger, Hartranft, Murphy, Runner, Spalding, and Wemple—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 718—An act to prevent the unauthorized use and disposition of, and traffic in human bodies, to prescribe the keeping of proper records, to promote medical education and public health by regulating the disposition and utilization of the unclaimed dead, to provide penalties for the violation of this act and to repeal sections 3094 and 3095 of the Political Code and all other acts or portions of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 718 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 720—An act to amend sections 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a Bureau of Tuberculosis under the direction of the State Board of Health; defining its powers and duties; providing for the granting of State aid to cities, counties, cities and counties and groups of counties for the support and care of persons affected with tuberculosis; making an appropriation therefor, and repealing certain acts of the Legislature of the State of California," approved June 12, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 720 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 247—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition and construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 247 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor," approved March 18, 1899, as amended, approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*a* and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State; providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 312 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Browne, Graves, and Jost—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code, relating to filing permits for the adoption of children.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 325 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 93—An act defining credit unions, providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 93 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 342—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 13*a*.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Roland moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the second line of the title of the amended bill after the words "five of", insert the following: "and to add a new section to be numbered thirteen *a* to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In the fourteenth line of the title of the amended bill, strike out the comma following the figures "1923", and strike out all of lines 15 and 16 and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 1, of the amended bill, strike out the words "the above entitled act" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to provide for the formation,

government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the state, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes, the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds, to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Roland as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 342, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROLAND, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 795—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1584*a*, relating to the establishment of retirement systems for teachers in cities and cities and counties organized under freeholders' charters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 795 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 310—An act to add a new section to the Political Code of the State of California, to be numbered 1607*a*, and to provide for the custody and disbursement of funds arising from school activities not conducted at public expense.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 310 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—51.

NOES—Badham, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Dodge, Lyons, Sewell, and Mr. Speaker—8.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Little gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 310 was this day passed

Senate Bill No. 434—An act regulating private trade schools, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, and a bond, providing for proper equipment and for refunds of tuition where courses are not taken, prohibiting misleading advertisements and false representations and promises, providing for registers, receipts, diplomas and prescribed courses of instruction, providing for supervision of such schools by the Commissioner of Labor and granting to the said Commissioner the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purposes and intent of this act, and providing penalties for violations of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 434 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 240—An act to amend sections 1665 and 1666 of the Political Code, relating to courses of study in the elementary schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 240 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 474 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 446—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Lake and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway and authorizing the board of supervisors of Lake County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 446 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 443—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Mendocino and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Mendocino County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 443 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 182—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act relating to the doing of public work by day's labor or force

account, except emergency and maintenance work and work costing less than $10,000; requiring the State Highway Engineer, State Engineer, the State Architect, county engineers, county surveyors, city and county engineers, county highway engineers, road commissioners, city engineers, commissioners of public works, superintendents of streets, harbor engineers, flood control engineers, and the engineers of any reclamation, irrigation or other districts, political subdivisions or agencies of the State directing, supervising or superintending such work, or in charge of the engineering for or in connection therewith, to keep the costs, prepare and file plans, specifications and estimates of cost, and, upon completion, prepare and file certificates of cost thereof; and providing for the keeping of such plans, specifications and certificates as public records," approved June 21, 1923; and adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3, providing a penalty for violation of any of the provisions of said act, relating to public officers and employees subject to the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 182 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—Broughton, Duval, Finney, and Murray—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 183—An act prohibiting the doing of any public work costing in excess of $5000 by day's labor or force account, except public work which is now authorized by law to be done by convict or prison labor or by patients, students or other inmates of any State institution or as maintenance work, miscellaneous repairs, alterations in and additions to existing buildings or work occasioned by emergency without advertising for bids, until bids therefor have first been invited, opened and rejected, should any bid or bids be received.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 183 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48

NOES—Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Hartranft, Jones, McDowell, and Murray—13.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 448—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 448 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—62.

NOES—Graves, Heisinger, Jones, Little, and Mr. Speaker—5

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 783—An act to amend section 19c of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 783 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Graves, and Runner—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 561—An act to amend section 3466 of the Political Code by providing that assessments in reclamation districts shall be collected in not more than one separate installment for warrants issued for more than three years

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 561 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 560—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to create a drainage district to be called Knight's Landing Ridge Drainage District; to promote drainage therein by the making of a cut through Knight's Landing ridge, and the construction of a canal leading therefrom; to provide for the election and appointment of officers of said drainage district; defining the powers, duties and compensation of such officers; and providing for levying and collecting assessments upon the lands within said drainage district; the issuance of bonds by said drainage district and testing the validity of the levy of such assessments and the issuance of such bonds," approved April 30, 1913, relating to the collection of installments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 560 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Foster: An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923.

By Mr. Jost: An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff.

By Mr. Carter: An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction

of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3¾, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto

By Mr. Cloudman: An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report and submit the following resolution

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed and employed for the position and at the per diem set opposite their respective names:

The following named persons to date from and including the sixth day of April, 1925:

Bert Ward, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00
Philip Slater, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	5 00
Kendall B. Perkins, Assistant History Clerk	7 00

The following named person to date from and including the third day of April, 1925:

Miss Ayleen McCulligan, Stenographer	$5 00

Be it further

Resolved, That the following named persons be stricken from the roll to date from and including the fifth day of April, 1925

Joseph Margolis, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	$5 00
Norma Brown, Stenographer	5 00

That the following named person be stricken from the roll to date from and including the ninth day of April, 1925

Miss Ayleen McCulligan, Stenographer	$5 00

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for payment of officers and employees of the Assembly and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants from said fund in favor of the said named persons at the said per diem and the said Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution introduced by Mr. Murray

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $602.14 in favor of

Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

State Purchasing Department	$440 11
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co	16 80
Remington Typewriter Co	45 70
H. S. Crocker Co.	24 50
Parnell Stationery Co.	6 70
Western Union Telegraph Co	68 53
	$602 14

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
MILLER, J. A.
LEVEY.
SPENCE.
NOYES.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

MOTION TO CORRECT JOURNALS.

Mr. Eksward moved that the Journals of Tuesday, March 17, 1925; Wednesday, March 18, 1925; Thursday, March 19, 1925; Friday, March 20, 1925; Monday, March 23, 1925; Tuesday, March 24, 1925; Wednesday, March 25, 1925; Thursday, March 26, 1925; Friday, March 27, 1925; Monday, March 30, 1925, and Tuesday, March 31, 1925, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION LAPSED.

The motion of Mr. Hornblower that Assembly Bill No. 387 be reconsidered having lapsed, the Speaker ordered Assembly Bill No. 387 transmitted to the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT.

At six o'clock and eighteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Thursday, April 9, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, April 9, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson,

Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rabbi Harold F. Reinhart of Sacramento, California.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Johnson, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Crittenden, Mrs. Amos P Reese, principal of the Houston school, Acampo, California, her guests, former Senator and Mrs. Stuckenbruck Mrs James Culbertson, Mrs. J. J. Oliver, Messrs P. S. Gray, John Lerza, Mr. and Mrs. Coe, and the following pupils, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Eighth Grade—Bessie Brinson, Lois Culbertson, Bernice Hibbs, Louise Lerza, Lena Lerza, Harry Lerza, Eleanor Berryman, Evelyn Moore, Ralph Gillette, Clarence Nelson, Herman Hops, Bertha Schlag, Isadore Salaun and Thelma Prehn.

Seventh Grade—Wayne Oliver, Warren Coe, Victor Brown, Russell Johnson, Edwena Fiene, Erwin Newcomb, Russell Burnett, Lowell Woodson, Walter Looney, Masauri Ouye, Lillian Wall, Tusyui Fugi and Freda Rapalee

Through the courtesy of Mr. Schmidt, Mrs. Robert B. Fry, Dorothy Fry and Robert B. Fry, Jr., of San Francisco, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr Hartranft, Messrs W. C. Jerome and Jas Sleeper of Santa Ana, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code, relating to bonded indebtedness—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

GRAVES, Chairman.
BURNS.
ANDERSON, D. P.
SCUDDER.
EASLEY.
DAYTON.
CLOUDMAN.
DAVIS
EKSWARD.
SAYLOR

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 903—An act making an appropriation for the participation of the State of California in the diamond jubilee celebration—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 890—An act to amend sections 2 and 7 of an act known as the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 835—An act to amend sections 1187 and 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Also Senate Bill No. 145—An act to amend section 1431 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to change of place of trial in justice's courts,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 9—An act to amend section 2192 of the Political Code relating to commitment of incompetents other than insane persons to State hospitals—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*bbb*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges of Contra Costa County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and mainte-

nance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1261—An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts, providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor—and reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code, entitled sections 216*b* and 216*c*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor, medicine, cakes, pies, confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol, and prescribing the penalty—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Weller:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 193 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for manslaughter.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Dillinger:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the appointment of a committee to investigate the teachers retirement system with special reference to the sources of revenue for the California public teachers retirement salary fund, and for the making of a report to the Legislature; and making an appropriation therefor

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Foster: Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Mr. Jost: Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Carter: Assembly Bill No 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Cloudman: Assembly Bill No. 1295—An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No 190 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill would permit actions for declaratory relief, as defined in sections 1060–1062 of the Code of Civil Procedure to be given preference in the matter of the setting of cases for trial. I have looked into this bill very carefully and have sought the advice of a number of jurists While the opinions are divided the preponderence of arguments are against the bill The fact that this bill has the endorsement of a committee of the State Bar Association has caused me to give it close study. I am giving a few of the opinions of leading judges of the courts who are best qualified to decide upon the merits of the bill.

One of the leading superior judges of the State, after conferring with two of his associates says "We do not believe there is any occasion for any such measure as Assembly Bill No. 190 We have enough preferred cases now without enlarging the list If there is any special reason for an immediate trial of a declaratory relief case we believe that any judge would accommodate the parties As far as conditions in this county are concerned, we think it a foolish piece of legislation"

A judge of long years of service of another county says, in commenting on this bill "It is proper to take into consideration the fact that the giving of such precedence to any case has the effect of setting back every case by so much It appears to me that the purposes sought by this bill can be accomplished under the present statute and that the bill is unnecessary"

Another judge of great experience says "I see no reason why such actions should be entitled to precedence over others, and it would result, in the present congested conditions of our calendars, in great disarrangement and inconvenience, because we are now setting cases as far ahead as May 1926, and these cases are scattered throughout that entire calendar in fifteen civil non-jury departments. So you can readily see the trouble it would occasion us to rearrange the entire calendar to meet the requirements of such a bill, if it became a law."

In many of the counties of California the courts are badly congested with litigation. This congestion is due in the opinion of jurists, to the fact that attorneys too frequently seek to litigate matters which a careful study of the law would prove to be unnecessary.

The present declaratory relief statute has encouraged the bringing of actions for the determination of questions which in many cases are actually moot. The congestion in the courts will be augmented if declaratory relief cases are allowed preference over other cases. At the present time the courts have more than enough preferred cases. There are several kinds of cases which must be preferred in the superior courts, and others which must be preferred in the higher courts.

While I regret to veto any bill that has the approval of the committee representing the State Bar Association, still the objections to this bill are so vital that I must return it without my approval.

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The following announcement was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. West:

MATER MISERICORDIAE HOSPITAL, SISTERS OF MERCY,
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, April 8, 1925.

Honorable Percy G. West,
State Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

To the Honorable Percy G. West, and Members of the Assembly: The Mater Misericordiae Hospital wish to take this opportunity of extending to all the members of the Assembly an invitation to visit our new hospital.

Our hospital has all the modern conveniences and equipment from all over the country which gives our patients maximum comfort and service. The X-Ray department with its complete equipment, the kitchen, surgery, children's ward and maintenance departments are but a few of the interesting things about the institution, and we would be only too glad to have the members of the Assembly call at any time so we might have the honor of showing them how a modern hospital is run.

Very sincerely,

SISTER M. CARMEL,
Superintendent Mater Misericordiae Hospital.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 967—An act to amend sections 1 and 108 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: "A new section is hereby added to the California vehicle act, approved May 30, 1923, to be numbered twenty-eight *a*, and to read as follows

SEC. 28*a*. Head light. The term head light as used herein shall denote a light located upon the front or other portion of a motor vehicle, the rays of which are projected forward, other than a side light, a spot light or an auxiliary light.

SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to the California vehicle act, approved May 30, 1923, to be numbered twenty-eight *b*, and to read as follows

SEC. 28*b*. Side light. The term side light as used herein shall denote any lights upon a motor vehicle other than head lights, spot lights, or auxiliary lights, the rays of which project forward, and the candle power of same is not in excess of four mean spherical candle power.

SEC. 3. A new section is hereby added to the California vehicle act, approved May 30, 1923, to be numbered twenty-eight *c*, and to read as follows:

SEC. 28*c*. Spot light. The term spot light as used herein shall denote any light on a motor vehicle, the rays of which project forward, except head lights, side lights and auxiliary lights.

SEC. 4. A new section is hereby added to the California vehicle act, approved May 30, 1923, to be numbered twenty-eight *d*, and to read as follows

SEC. 28*d*. Tail light. The term tail light as used herein shall denote a lighting unit used to indicate the rear of a vehicle by means of a red light and to illuminate the registration number plate with a white light.

SEC. 5. A new section is hereby added to the California vehicle act, approved May 30, 1923, to be numbered twenty-eight *e*, and to read as follows:

SEC. 28*e*. Auxiliary light. The term auxiliary light as used herein shall denote any light attached to a motor vehicle either movable or immovable, other than head lights, side lights or spot lights

SEC. 6. A new section is hereby added to the California vehicle act, approved May 30, 1923, to be numbered twenty-eight *f*, and to read as follows

SEC. 28*f*. Signaling devices. The term signaling devices as herein used shall denote any manually, mechanically or electrically operated device located upon a motor vehicle used for signaling the intention of the driver of such motor vehicle to either stop, slow down or change course.

SEC. 7. Section one hundred eight of the California vehicle act, approved May 30, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 108. (*a*) All spot lights used upon motor vehicles shall be so constructed and arranged that no portion of the main, substantially parallel beam of light when measured one hundred feet or further ahead of the said light, shall rise, or be capable of being raised, from the front seat, to more than forty-two inches above the level surface of the highway on which the vehicle stands directly ahead of such motor vehicle, but when moved thirty degrees to the left or right parallel to the axis of the vehicle no limitation is placed upon the vertical movement, excepting spot lights on motorcycles. Provisions of this section shall not apply to police or fire department vehicles or ambulances.

(*b*) Spot lights on motorcycles must be set and adjusted that no portion of the main substantially parallel beam of light shall rise to more than forty-two inches above the level surface of the highway on which the motorcycle stands directly ahead of such light when measured seventy-five feet or more. Provisions of this section shall not apply to police or fire department vehicles or ambulances.

(*c*) It shall be unlawful from and after the date on which this section becomes effective to sell, or offer for sale, any new or second hand vehicle equipped with lights which do not comply with the provisions of this act and which have not been approved by a state or nationally recognized laboratory.

(*d*) It shall be unlawful to sell, or offer for sale, or use upon the public highway, any lighting or signaling equipment which does not comply with this act, and which has not been approved by state or nationally recognized laboratory."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act to amend sections 3959 and 3966 of the Political Code, relating to county boundary lines.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "sections three thousand nine hundred fifty-", and strike out all of lines 2 and 3 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section nineteen *x* forty-one of the "Juvenile Court Law", approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the forty-first class".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figure "1", and strike out all of lines 2 to 27, inclusive, and on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 48, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section nineteen *x* forty-one of the "Juvenile Court Law", approved June 5, 1915, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

19*x*41. In counties of the forty-first class there shall be one probation officer, whose salary shall be forty dollars per month."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 20, of the amended bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided, however*, that in counties of the sixth, seventh, fourteenth, seventeenth, twenty-second, twenty-third, twenty-fifth, twenty-sixth thirty-first, thirty-second, thirty-third, thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth class, the county sealer shall receive compensation at the rate of one hundred fifty dollars per month during the time actually employed as sealer."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend sections 2322, 2322*a*, 2322*b*, 2322*c*, 2322*d*, 2322*e*, 2322*f*, 2322*g*, 2322*h*, 2322*i* and 2322*j* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 2322*h*, relating to infested or infected fruit, nuts and vegetables."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning on page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the words "section one" strike out all of the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A new section, to be numbered 2322*h*, is hereby added to the Political Code, to read as follows:

2322*h*. It shall be unlawful to deliver, sell, offer for sale or distribute any fruit, nuts or vegetables infested with any insect or other animal pest or infected with any plant disease injurious to agriculture in any county or locality where such insect or other animal pest or plant disease is not of common occurrence and where known host plants of such insect or other animal pest or plant disease are grown.

The county horticultural commissioner of each county of the state, his deputies and inspectors are hereby authorized and empowered to enforce all the provisions of this section. Said enforcing officer shall have the power to inspect any and all fruit, nuts or vegetables transported, delivered, sold, offered for sale or distributed within his jurisdiction, for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of this section.

Whenever any fruit, nuts or vegetables offered for sale or distribution in any county or locality are found to be infested with any insect or other animal pest or infected with any plant disease which is not of common occurrence in said county or locality, known host plants of which are grown in said county or locality, it shall be the duty of the enforcing officer to seize such fruit, nuts or vegetables, together with the containers thereof, and to treat the same in such a manner as to destroy any and all such insect or other animal pests or plant diseases which are or may be thereon, or cause same to be destroyed, at the option and expense of the owner thereof.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 857—An act appropriating money for the construction of a State armory at Griffith Park, Los Angeles.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, including in such repeal an act entitled the same as the title of this act to and including the word "herewith" in this title, which act was approved June 23, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill strike out the comma following the word "with" and insert in lieu thereof a period

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "including in such repeal an act entitled the same as", and strike out lines 10 and 11 of the title of the printed bill

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "the" first appearing on said line, strike out the words "state treasury" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "motor vehicle fuel fund".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 23, of the printed bill, after the period, insert the following: "There is also hereby appropriated out of said motor vehicle fuel fund the sum of twenty thousand dollars annually, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be used by the state board of equalization to carry out the provisions of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 5, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out everything following the comma following the word "act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "emblems" and the comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 15, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "fund", strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the following "subject to the provisions of section six hereof and the balances thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figure "9", and strike out lines 37 to 43, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "This act shall not apply to taxicabs, drays, transfer vehicles and other like city motor vehicles operating entirely within incorporated cities or towns, nor shall it apply to hotel busses meeting trains, cars, or boats."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the first figures "23" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6 of the printed bill, after line 13, add the following:

"SEC. 12. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act The legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more of the sections, subsections, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 915—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitos, flies and other insects; and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein," approved May 29, 1915.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "four and six", and insert in lieu thereof the following "three, four, six, seven, eight and nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Section", strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 8 to 23, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 45, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 3. A petition, which may consist of any number of separate instruments, shall be presented at a regular meeting of the board of supervisors of the county in which the lands or the greater part thereof to be included within such proposed mosquito abatement district are located, signed by the registered voters within the boundaries of the proposed district, equal in number, to at least ten per cent of the number of votes cast in said proposed district for the office of governor of this state at the last general election prior to the presenting of the petition; *provided*, that where one or more municipal corporations or part thereof is included in such proposed mosquito abatement district, such petition must be signed by at least ten per centum of the qualified electors of such municipal corporations or part thereof and of the unincorporated territory included in such proposed district, and in addition thereto the common council, board of trustees or other governing body of each such municipality shall by resolution, duly authenticated, request the inclusion of such incorporated territory in such district. Should the proposed district lie within more than one county, then the petition shall be signed by at least ten per centum of the qualified electors of such part of each of said counties located within such proposed district. Such petition shall set forth and describe the proposed boundaries of such district, and pray that the same be created under the provisions of this act, and the text of such petition shall be published for at least two weeks before the time at which the same is to be presented in a newspaper printed and published in such county or counties, and also in a newspaper printed and published in each municipal corporation or part thereof included in such proposed district, and if there be no newspaper published in any such municipal corporation the text of such petition shall be posted for the same length of time as required to be published, in three public places within such municipal corporation or part thereof included in such proposed district, and the text of such petition so published or posted shall have annexed thereto a notice stating the time of the meeting of the board of supervisors at which the same will be presented. When contained upon more than one instrument, one copy only of such petition need be published and posted. No more than five of the names attached to said petition need appear in such publication or posting of said petition and notice, but the number of signers shall be stated.

With such publication there shall also be published, and if posted, there shall also be posted, a notice of the time of meeting of the board when such petition will be considered, and that all persons interested therein may then appear and be heard. At such time the board of supervisors shall hear the petition and those appearing thereon, and also protests and objections to the same, and may adjourn such hearing from time to time, not exceeding two months in all. No defect in the contents of the petition or in the title to or form of the notice or signatures, or lack of signatures thereto shall vitiate any proceedings thereon, provided such petition or petitions have a sufficient number of qualified signatures attached thereto. On the final hearing such board shall make such changes in the proposed boundaries as may be deemed advisable and shall define and establish such boundaries, *provided*, that if said board deems it proper to include therein any territory not included within the said proposed boundaries, they shall first cause notice of their intention so to do, to be mailed to each owner of land within said territory proposed to be included whose name appears as such on the last completed assessment roll of the county or city and county wherein said territory lies, addressed to such owner at his address given on such assessment roll, or if no address is so given, then to his last known address; or if it be not known, then at the county seat of the county in which his land lies, which said notice shall describe the territory so proposed to be included, and shall fix a time, not less than two weeks from the date of mailing thereof, when all persons interested may appear before said board and be heard; *and, further provided*, that the boundaries lying within a municipal corporation shall not be altered unless the municipal board of such municipal corporation shall, by resolution, assent to the alteration of such boundaries therein.

Upon such hearing of such petition the board shall determine whether or not the public necessity or welfare of the proposed territory and of the inhabitants thereof requires the formation of such district, and shall also determine whether or not said petition complies with the provisions of this act, and for that purpose must hear all competent and relevant testimony offered in support of or in opposition thereto. A finding of the board of supervisors in favor of the genuineness and sufficiency of the petition and notice shall be final and conclusive against all persons except the State of California, upon suit commenced by the attorney general. If, from the testimony adduced before said board, it appears to said board that the public necessity or welfare requires the formation of such district, the said board shall, by an order

entered on its minutes, declare such to be its finding, and shall further declare and order that the territory within the boundaries so fixed and determined, be created a mosquito abatement district, under an appropriate name to be selected by said board, which name shall contain the words "Mosquito Abatement District" If the lands to be included embrace any portion of another county, then the order creating such district, or a certified copy thereof, must be filed with the clerk of the board of supervisors of such county The county clerk of the county in which the district was formed shall immediately cause to be filed with the secretary of state a certified copy of such order of the board of supervisors, and from and after the date of filing of such certified copy, the district named therein shall be deemed incorporated as a mosquito abatement district, with all the rights, privileges and powers set forth in this act, and necessarily incident thereto

SEC. 2 Section four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC 4 Within thirty days after the filing with the secretary of state of the certificate of incorporation of said district, a governing board of trustees for said district shall be appointed Said board shall consist of one trustee to be appointed from said district at large by said board of supervisors, or if the district includes lands in more than one county, one trustee to be appointed from said district at large by each board of supervisors of each county included in such district, and of one trustee to be appointed from each municipality in said district by the governing board of such municipality, *provided*, that, if the board of trustees thereby created shall consist of less than five members then the board of supervisors shall appoint from such district at large enough additional members to make a board of five trustees If the district lies in more than one county additional representation on the board of trustees to be appointed at large by the boards of supervisors shall be determined by the areas of lands included in such district in each respective county. The governing board of such district shall be called "The Board of Trustees of _____ Mosquito Abatement District." Each trustee appointed by a municipal board shall be an elector of the municipality from which he is appointed, and each appointee of the board of supervisors shall be an elector of the district and of the county represented by said board of supervisors. All such trustees shall hold office for the term of two years from and after the second day of the calendar year succeeding their appointment, or until their successors are appointed and have qualified, *provided*, that the first board of trustees appointed under the provisions of this act shall, at their first meeting, so classifying themselves by lot that one-half of their number, if the total membership is an even number, and if uneven then that a bare majority of their number, shall go out of office at the expiration of one year and the remainder at the expiration of two years, from the second day of the calendar year succeeding their appointment.

SEC 5. Section six of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC 6. The board of trustees shall have power to take all necessary or proper steps for the extermination of mosquitoes, flies or other insects within the district, and subject to the paramount control of the municipal or other public authorities, to abate as nuisances all stagnant pools of water and other breeding places for mosquitoes, flies or other insects within the district, to take all necessary and proper steps for the extermination of mosquitoes, flies and other insects at breeding places without the district and to expend the funds of the district for the doing of such work whenever the board of trustees shall, after carefully examining into the needs therefor, by resolution find that the doing of such work is necessary for the protection of the territory within the district Such resolution shall state the reasons for the necessity of the work and briefly describe its nature and location, to purchase such supplies and materials and to employ such labor as may be necessary or proper in furtherance of the objects of this act, and if necessary or proper, in furtherance of the same, to build, construct and thereafter repair and maintain, necessary levees, cuts, canals or channels, and to acquire by purchase, condemnation or by other lawful means, in the name of the district, any necessary lands, rights of way, easements, property or material requisite or necessary for any of such purposes, to make contracts to indemnify or compensate any owner of land or other property for any injury or damage necessarily caused by the exercise of the powers of this act conferred or arising out of the use, taking or damage of such property for any of such purposes, and generally to do any and all things necessary or incident to the powers hereby granted and to carry out the objects specified herein.

SEC. 4. Section seven of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 7. The board of trustees of each mosquito abatement district shall at least thirty days before the first day of the month in which the board of supervisors of the county or counties, or city and county, in which such district is situate, is required by law to levy the amount of taxes required for county, or city and county, purposes, furnish to the board of supervisors and to the county auditor respectively, an estimate in writing of the amount of money necessary for all purposes required under the provisions of this act during the next ensuing fiscal year. The assessor of each county in which the district is wholly or partially situated, shall each year, after the county assessments have been equalized by the state board of equalization, and prior to the time when the board of supervisors of the counties meet to levy the taxes for county purposes, certify to the board of supervisors of said county a

statement of the equalized value of all taxable property within the district and situated in the county in which he is the assessor, thereupon the board of supervisors of the county in which any portion of said district is situated, shall, at the time of levying taxes for county purposes, levy a tax upon all of the taxable property of such district situated in said county sufficient to meet the requirements of said district, said tax to be known as the "_____ Mosquito Abatement District Tax"; the tax must be levied upon the property of the district situated in such county according to the ratio which the assessed valuation of the property of said district situated in such county, bears to the total valuation of the property of the district. The maximum rate thus levied must not be greater than sufficient to raise the amount estimated to be raised by the said board of trustees of the district, nor in any event shall such tax exceed ten cents on each one hundred dollars of taxable property in such district.

Whenever it appears to the board of trustees of such district that the amount of funds required during the next ensuing fiscal year shall exceed the maximum amount which the supervisors are authorized to levy for the annual district tax, as hereinabove in this section provided, then said board of trustees may in their judgment call an election and submit to the electors of the district the question of whether a tax shall be voted for raising the necessary additional funds, and notice thereof shall be published for at least four weeks prior to such election in a newspaper printed and published in such district; *provided*, that no particular form of ballot shall be required nor shall any formalities in conducting such election invalidate the same, if the election shall have otherwise been fairly conducted At such election the ballots must contain the words "Shall the district vote a tax to raise the additional sum of $_____?" The board of trustees shall canvass said votes cast at such election and if a majority of the votes cast are in favor of the imposition of said tax the board of trustees must report the same to the board of supervisors, stating the additional amounts of money required to be raised. The board of supervisors shall at the time of levying the county taxes, levy an additional tax sufficient to raise the amount voted.

All taxes levied under the provision of this section shall be computed and entered on the county assessment roll by the county auditor, and collected at the same time and in the same manner as state and county taxes, and when collected shall be paid into the county treasury for the use of the district

The funds shall be withdrawn from the county treasury upon the warrant of the board of trustees of such district signed by the president or acting president of the board, and countersigned by its secretary.

SEC 5. Section eight of said act is hereby amended to read as follows.

SEC. 8 Any territory, incorporated or unincorporated, lying adjacent and contiguous to a mosquito abatement district, may be added and annexed to such district, at any time, upon proceedings being had and taken as in this act provided The board of trustees of such district upon receiving a written petition therefor containing a description of the new territory sought to be annexed to such district, signed by the owners comprising more than one-half of the assessed value of such territory as shown by the last county assessment roll, must thereupon submit to the electors of the district and also to the electors residing in the territory sought to be annexed, the proposition of whether such proposed territory shall be annexed and added to such district The proposition to be submitted to the electors at such election, both within said district and within said territory so proposed to be annexed, shall be as follows "For annexation," or "Against annexation," or words equivalent thereto. Such election must be called and held, and notice thereof shall be published for at least four weeks prior to such election in a newspaper printed and published in such district, and also in a newspaper printed and published in such territory proposed to be annexed. The board of trustees shall canvass, separately, the votes cast within said district, and the votes cast within said territory so proposed to be annexed, and if it shall appear from such canvass that a majority of all the ballots cast in such district and a majority of all the ballots cast in such territory so proposed to be annexed are in favor of annexation, the board of trustees shall certify such fact to the secretary of state describing said property proposed to be annexed and upon receipt of such last mentioned certificate, the secretary of state shall thereupon issue his certificate reciting that the territory (describing the same) has been annexed and added to the _____ mosquito abatement district (naming it), and a copy of such certificate of the secretary of state shall be transmitted to and filed with the county clerk of the county or counties, or city and county or counties, in which such mosquito abatement district is situated From and after the date of such certificate the territory named therein shall be deemed added and annexed to and form a part of said mosquito abatement district, with all the rights, privileges and powers set forth in this act and necessarily incident thereto It the property so proposed to be annexed is included within a municipality, consent to such annexation shall first be obtained from the governing board of such municipality, and an authenticated copy of the resolution or order of such board so consenting to such annexation, shall be attached to the petition, and be made a part thereof.

SEC. 6. Section nine of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9. The district may at any time be dissolved upon the vote of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof, upon an election called by its board of trustees upon the question of dissolution, and the propostion which shall be submitted to the electors at such election shall be as follows: "Shall the district be dissolved?" Such election must be called and held, and notice thereof shall be published for at least four weeks prior to such election in a newspaper printed and published in such district. If two-thirds of the votes at such election shall be in favor of the dissolution of the district, the board of trustees shall certify such fact to the secretary of state, and upon receipt of such last mentioned certificate the secretary of state shall thereupon issue his certificate reciting that the mosquito abatement district (naming it) has been dissolved, and a copy of such certificate of the secretary of state shall be transmitted to and filed with the county clerk of the county or counties, or city and county or counties, in which such mosquito abatement district is situated. From and after the date of such certificate the district named therein shall be deemed disincorporated, and the property of the district shall thereupon vest in the county, or city and county wherein said district is situated if the district at the time of its dissolution comprises unincorporated territory alone, and if it comprises incorporated territory alone, or partly incorporated and partly unincorporated territory, then in such event its property shall be ratably apportioned amongst the several municipalities and the county or counties, or city and county or counties, in proportion to the assessed value of the property included within said district as shown upon the last county assessment roll, *provided, however*, that any real property, easements or rights of way, belonging to said district shall in such event remain the property of the municipality wherein the same is situate, if situated within incorporated territory, otherwise the same shall remain the property of the county."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 140—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the State Forester to protect such area.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the first two words "his own" and insert in lieu thereof the word "its".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the word "rules" and insert in lieu thereof the word "regulations".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 604—An act to authorize the sale and conveyance by the State Board of Control of any real estate acquired by the State for use of the California Highway Commission, and to credit the proceeds of such sale to such fund as the California Highway Commission may direct.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 605—An act declaring and establishing the roads from San Rafael to Point San Quentin, from Crescent City to the Oregon line, (coast route), Alturas to the Oregon line, near New Pine Creek, from Coleville to the Nevada state line in Mono County, from Bakersfield to Mojave, from Needles to Topock, from Shavers Wells to Coachella, from Blythe to the Colorado River, from Oxnard to the main coast highway, Bay Shore highway commencing at a point at or

near the intersection of Army street and San Bruno avenue, San Francisco, to a point in San Jose to be designated by the California Highway Commission, as State highways adopting all public highways along said routes as State highways without compensation being paid therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 113—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway district composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Smith moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "payable" strike out the word "to" and insert in lieu thereof the word "by".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Smith as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 313, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SMITH, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McDowell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1925, strike out the comma after the word "each" and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1925, strike out the following: "not to exceed in the aggre-" and strike out line 49, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In addition to the salary herein provided for the said auditor shall receive three per cent of the sum collected from the state under the provisions of section four thousand ninety-nine *a* of the Political Code for the extra duties imposed by said section. It is hereby found as a fact that the salary provided for in

this subsection does not work an increase in compensation, and it is hereby intended that the same shall apply to the present incumbent of this office."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McDowell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1054, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McDOWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Louttit moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 4, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "advised" strike out the following words, "by the county surveyor or engineer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 4, line 17, after the word "under", strike out the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 17, after the word "direction", strike out the following words, "of the said surveyor" down to and including the word "engineer" in line 18.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Louttit as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1264, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LOUTTIT, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "foreign" strike out the word "owing" and insert in lieu thereof the word "owning".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "concession" strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following words "subject to the same obligations and liabilities as are imposed by law upon all other stockholders in such corporations, and".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read, ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Smith moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 24, after the word "allowed", insert the word "as".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 43, after the word "monthly", strike out the comma and insert a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 45, after the word "date", insert the words "or dates".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 7, after the word "month", insert the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 7, line 34, strike out the words "one detective", and insert in lieu thereof the words "two detectives".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 36, strike out the words "salary is", and insert in lieu thereof the words "salaries are".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 37, after the word "annum", insert the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 39, strike out everything beginning with the words "four detectives", down to and including the words "per annum each", in line 43, page 7.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 8, line 33, after the comma after the word "deputies" insert the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 9, line 2, strike out the word "clerks", insert in lieu thereof the word "deputies".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 10, line 39, strike out the words "deputy clerk" and insert in lieu thereof "deputy clerks".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 10, line 43, strike out the words "deputy clerk" and insert in lieu thereof the words "deputy clerks".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 11, line 10, after the word "date" insert the words "or dates".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 11, line 21, after the words "population of" insert the word "fifteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 11, line 23, after the words "less than", insert the word "fifteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 11, line 38, strike out the figures "1920" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one thousand nine hundred and twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 11, line 45, after the number "16", strike out the word "supervisors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 12, line 12, strike out everything beginning with the words "during the term" down to and including the words "provided by law", in line 16, on page 12.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 12, line 17, after the number "17" strike out the words "county librarian." where they first occur in said line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 12, line 18, after the number "18" strike out the words "sealer of weights and measures." where they first occur in said line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 12, line 38, after the number "2", strike out the words "takes effect".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 6, line 7, after the word "dollars", strike out the word "each".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Smith as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 216, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

SMITH, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Dayton moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 121 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillmger, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—42

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-ONE.

Senate Bill No. 121—An act validating the formation, organization and proceedings of the Potter Valley irrigation district under the provisions of an act of the legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Dayton moved that Senate Bill No. 121 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 121 re-referred to Committee on Irrigation.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Fry moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 81—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, to be numbered 19*r*25, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 81 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J. Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A. Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 892—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act relating to immigrants and immigration, creating a Commission of Immigration and Housing, providing for the employment by said commission of a secretary, agents and other employees, authorizing the said commission to fix their compensation, prescribing the duties of said commission, providing for the investigation by said commission of all things affecting immigrants, and for the care, protection and welfare of immigrants, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions thereof," approved June 12, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 18, relating to the disposition of records.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 892 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, John-

son, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 284—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI, inclusive, of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 284 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1261—An act authorizing the establishment of port and harbor districts; providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1261 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and

Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Carter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, insert "Humboldt, Siskiyou, Mendocino, Tuolumne, Calaveras".

Motion lost.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1202 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Carter, McPherson, and Murphy—3

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, and to add a new section to said act to be numbered section 10*a*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 261 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges and the district attorney's special fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1274 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Ekswand, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, and Woodbridge—43.

NOES—Dayton, Johnson, Mixter, Murphy, Remdollar, Scudder, and Mr. Speaker—7.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts; the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18½ thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 262 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Ekswand, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 151—An act declaring the county road commencing at Beegum, in Tehama County, and extending to Peanut, in Trinity County, to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 151 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswand, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Weller, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities,

and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1245 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rutner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1277—An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1277 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 492—An act to amend section 57 and to repeal section 85 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees, and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to the disposition of funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 492 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j*, of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 397 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J.A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Roland gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 397 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 401—An act to amend section 1 and section 2 of an act entitled "An act requiring the payment into the State treasury of all moneys belonging to the State, received by the various State institutions, commissions, and officers and directing the disposition of the same," approved March 17, 1899, as amended, relating to the payment of State money into the treasury and abolishing certain special funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 401 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 599—An act to amend sections 9 and 11 and to repeal sections 12 and 16 of the "State Market Commission Act,"

approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 599 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 655—An act to authorize the city of Vallejo, Solano County, California, to enter into partition agreement between the city of Vallejo and claimants of tide land locations granted to the city of Vallejo by the State of California under State patents issued to such claimants which had the effect of conveying legal title subject to public easement and right of navigation and fisheries, and to authorize the city of Vallejo to allot to such claimants not in excess of one-half of said property and release the public right of navigation and fisheries as to such portions as may not be longer required for such purpose.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 655 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 256 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield,

Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1241—An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1241 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of waterworks and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to elections.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 734 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code entitled sections 216*b* and 216*c*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor, medicine, cakes, pies,

confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol and prescribing the penalty.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 987 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—Fry, Graves, Hawes, and Morrison—4

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Hornblower gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 987 was this day passed.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend sections 2293 and 2298 of the Political Code, and to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the library fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of Lake County, State of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act to amend section 19½23 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 8—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and estab-

lishing such districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

WRIGHT, S. V., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific highway, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 215—An act making an appropriation for the restoration, care and upkeep of the Mission San Francisco del Solano—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights, levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, southern branch on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients of the State Hospital at Agnew, California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ccc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges;

Also Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in Imperial County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 738*b*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court of Sacramento County, and repealing all parts of acts in conflict therewith;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1191—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*ll*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*tt*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara;

Also Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, to provide for the appointment of an additional superior court judge and for his compensation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School or California Farm Institute;

Also Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State Fair Grounds.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to appropriate money to pay the State's portion of the cost of improvement of the State highway adjacent to the grounds of the Whittier State School,

Also Assembly Bill No 624—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose;

Also Assembly Bill No 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal,

Also, Assembly Bill No 77—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Madera,

Also Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Merced;

Also Assembly Bill No. 716—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 768—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ON INSURANCE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 18—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations,

Also Senate Bill No 427—An act to amend section 597 of the Political Code, relating to the examination of insurance companies;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Senate Bill No 775—An act appropriating money for the purchase of additional land for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara

Also Senate Bill No 788—An act appropriating money for the erection and construction of buildings and improvements at the San Jose State Teachers College,

Also Senate Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money for the purchase and improvement of land for the San Jose State Teachers College;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DEUEL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 684—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, without recommendation as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture, and creating the "divisions of weights and measures fund";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 801—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. C. Harter against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 857—An act appropriating money for the construction of a State Armory at Griffith Park, Los Angeles;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers retired in accordance with the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, defining the operation of said act, providing for the return, to persons subject to the burdens of said act and not retired, of all moneys contributed by them to the public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of this act, defining the powers and prescribing the duties of public officers and others in connection with this act, and making an appropriation to carry the provisions of this act into effect;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 17 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to amend section 18 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the issuance of additional bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom prisons;

Also Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901;

Also Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1184*d*, relating to the furnishing of bonds by persons against whom claims are filed, and prescribing the duties of public officers in respect thereto.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 8 of article XIII thereof, relating to taxpayers' statements of property—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2 ordered on file for adoption.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Sewell:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," (approved April 7, 1911), by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

The following report was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

Mr. Speaker, and Members of the Assembly.

Your committee appointed, pursuant to a resolution passed by this body January 24, 1925, "to investigate the various courses of study in, and the expenditures of the State teachers colleges, and to make a report concerning the same, upon the reconvening of the Legislature, such report to include any suggestions or any proposals the committee may have relative to courses of study or finances in the State teachers colleges," has performed that duty and offers the following report.

Teachers colleges in their organization occupy a very different place in the educational program from any other institution. Their whole plan and excuse for existence lies in the fact that they are established for training teachers. To this end they must necessarily have an equipment and faculty suited to work, which is fundamental, and of a distinctly special nature. It is necessary that student teachers have opportunity for practice work. The colleges must be equipped with model schools. These should be "model schools" in the fullest sense. Buildings and equipment for this purpose should be at least the average of the grammar schools of the State. They are provided with pupils from the grades of the cities from the kindergarten to the eighth grade. These pupils are gladly furnished by the cities because it is considered they have opportunity for receiving training under professional teachers, the immediate work being done by the student teachers. Further, the city is relieved from a measure of the support of this number of pupils. The training school is in fact the legitimate reason for the organization of teachers colleges and

is the most important part of their work They should be supported and equipped with the very best possible opportunities.

Requirements for entrance into these colleges are the same as for the State university. The application is made on the same blank. The academic work is designed to equal that done in the university, and it is the understanding of the committee that it should be of such nature and thoroughness as to completely fulfill the requirements for each of the years of the university. The curricula consists of:

1 The professional work, that which gives to the teachers college its status, aside from the training department, consists of the following branches required by the State Board of Education: General psychology, educational psychology, sociology, educational measurements, school administration, school law, educational objectives, civic education, government of the United States, biology, music, art and physical education

2. The practice teaching, or teacher training, consists of one hour per day actual teaching for one year. This includes the supervision of play and one to two hours conference per week.

The average age of the students is about 19. The course includes at the present time two and one-half years required work. The State Board of Education has advanced this to three years, which will take effect next September

In addition to the required hours for teaching, there are observation courses, which consist in the student teachers making observation of another teacher, and following this with group gathering in which they discuss the failures and the good points of work done under observation. Your committee is of the opinion that there should be, in some instances, additions to the faculties so that the training work may reach its highest efficiency. The practice teacher should be, for a very large part of her time, under direct observation by the supervisors

Your committee believes that the curricula as planned by the State Board of Education and carried out by the administration of the different schools, is adequate for successful training and development of students looking toward the teaching profession It meets all demands so far as the academic work is needed. It is adequate for the necessary practice work. The additional half year required will greatly strengthen it.

In some instances the work becomes somewhat cramped by the fact that there come into the schools for additional training those who have had experience in teaching without having taken a full course in a teachers training school or teachers college. In these instances, the faculty finds there is much to unlearn, and bad habits to overcome, and it is reported to be uneconomic. These instances are merely temporary and would be difficult to adjust satisfactorily. They are local administration problems.

These model schools are carried on, on the campus in each of the colleges. The equipment for these "model schools" varies to an extent almost unbelievable and does not reflect the interest in education that is suggested by the reputation of this State.

Summer sessions are conducted in all the colleges This is a value that should be developed to a liberal degree and receive greater encouragement. Certain of the colleges are conducting a commendable course of extension work. This enables teachers who are unable to enter the school proper to continue improvement under supervision and gain credits toward graduation.

There is in most of the schools a system known as "follow work," in which these colleges endeavor to follow the success or failure of those who are doing active work in different sections of the country. The method is, at the present time, conference with county superintendents and superintendents coming to the colleges to report on the teachers under their supervision There is also embodied in this a checking system. These have a large value and should have some added means to enhance them.

We append a brief statement of the physical properties as well as some statistics relative to the various colleges, and their needs.

We commend the interest and efficient manner in which the administrators of these schools are carrying on the work We are desirous of recording an impression, upon the Legislature, that this educational department excels in its importance all other lines of like work Here we lay foundations for our future educational development, and send to the schools those who are to shape the destinies and encourage the growth and development of the educational system and lay the foundation for character and worth among the children of the State.

Let us not lose sight of the fact that high schools, colleges and universities rest on the foundations laid by the grades.

If we are indifferent to these institutions they are not worth while. If they are carrying out the work, which is the highest ideal of an educational system, let us equip them with faculties, buildings, and grounds sufficient, and demand the highest standard.

Your committee was instructed to make some report on the text books used in these colleges. We have found that there is a variety of texts on the different subjects in nearly every school. This is as it should be. We commend this. The teacher is best able to do her work if she is permitted to equip herself with such

implements and texts as seem to fit her peculiar surroundings, her classes, and her ability to use those to the best advantage It would be a handicap to place in a system of schools such as this, a standardized list of books to be used at each institution. No harm can accrue from a variety of texts on different subjects, and without question, the work is best enhanced by a large freedom.

It is not possible in a report of this nature to offer any such detailed report as the subject deserves.

The committee has visited each one of these institutions and offers the following general suggestions

CHICO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE.

The Chico State Teachers College is located quite close to the business center of Chico. It is doubtless one of the most fortunate of the State teachers colleges with regard to its lands The main building, although old, is very substantial, roomy, airy, and well equipped. There is, however, need for a room for a better developed library We approve all of the provisions in the budget for a $37,000 gymnasium and $5,000 for the summer school This institution is favored by the picturesqueness of its campus as well as the delightful location of its summer school, which is held at the base of Mt. Shasta. There seem to be sufficient facilities for the accommodation of its present enrollment. The building used for the training department is a two-story frame building, poorly furnished, with inadequate equipment for successful work

We commend the State for the acquisition of the Bidwell estate, adjacent to the campus, with the mansion thereon, now being used as a dormitory.

The enrollment at Chico is 460, of whom 25 per cent are men.

FRESNO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

Fresno State Teachers College was founded in 1911. It is located about one and one-half miles from the business center of the city on a tract of about fifteen acres This school is well housed and equipped Buildings are commodious and are capable of accommodating the present enrollment, and are so planned that they can be enlarged without impairing their appearance or general utility.

There is a good library, auditorium, training school assembly room with a capacity for seating 500 pupils, domestic science laboratories, art rooms, wood-working and iron-working and well organized training departments

This college is well equipped for its present needs, but for its future development it is in need of additional land, a tract of which now obtainable lying adjacent to the site. There appears to be special need for additional facilities for the training school. During the past two years there has been a handicap in this department At the present time more than forty students are doing practice teaching in the city public schools.

The college and the city are both fortunate in the organization of the Junior College department. This has added a large number of men to the enrollment from whom are recruited a large number of teachers

The city's fortunate part lies in the opportunity to have the college facilities within easy reach.

SAN JOSE STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

The San Jose Teachers College is located within a few blocks of the business center of the city and is entirely surrounded by well built residences and highly improved property. Its campus is quite large, containing 26 acres, but has been somewhat over taxed by permitting the construction of the City High School on what was originally State property. This institution is one of the best equipped of all of the State teachers colleges, but in the past few years, it has increased so that it is reaching the limit of its capacity As an illustration, the enrollment for 1920-1921 was 577, 1923-1924, 1663 and for 1924-1925 to February 12th, 2027 of whom about 15 per cent were men. This school is especially well equipped in the teachers' training department. The work here is particularly attractive and efficiently administered. There are 500 children attending the training school on the campus. We desire, particularly, to call the attention to the old frame school building on the campus used for teacher training This houses almost the entire 500 children and the committee considers that it is a fire hazard that should have immediate attention. The Junior College course is attracting a very desirable number of students, a large number of whom are men.

The permanent buildings are beautiful well arranged and admirably suited for present needs Some of the departments are housed in temporary quarters and are in need of much to bring them to a standard of efficiency We approve the recommendations made in the budget for permanent improvements

HUMBOLDT STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

Humboldt State Teachers College is located at Arcata It is the smallest in numbers of students enrolled and is located on a campus a half mile from the business center overlooking the bay, the ocean and the entire city. Here is located one good building, practically new and in an unfinished state. Portions of the class rooms have no floors and are not even enclosed It has, at the present time, a paper roof in very poor condition. The other buildings are frame and inadequate and not

sufficient for the uses to which they are put. This college has made requests for funds to complete the roof, which should not be denied, and also asks for the purchase of a certain portion of land lying immediately in front of and across the street from the main building. We recommend that the State secure this portion of land for the future protection of the institution. There is threatened a building program on this land which would greatly hinder the development of the school and the beauty of the surroundings. There is also a request for a gymnasium. The one in use at this college is a very small shed opened on one side by sliding doors and wholly inadequate for the proper training and development of teachers who are to go out to schools and carry the much needed physical training to the boys and girls of the State. The territory served by this college should be considered in the plans for its development. The increase in attendance speaks in its favor. Since 1921 the enrollment has been doubled. Last year the increase was 35 per cent. At present the enrollment is 216, of whom 42 are men. The faculty numbers 15.

A very attractive Junior College course is maintained, which adds to the strength of the curriculum.

SAN DIEGO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE.

San Diego Teachers College is located well out from the business center of the city. The campus comprises_____acres.

The college building is very much in need of repairs, which are recommended in the budget. Other requests for improvements, including paving, building are necessary and should be granted.

There is particular need for new buildings for the training school. At present the department is housed in three separate units, not adapted to "model school" work. The physical education of the college is well provided for.

The capacity of the school appears to be reached now. The needs of the future should be planned at an early date. The enrollment consists of 477 men and 607 women. This is a very unusual proportion of men, due possibly to the attractive junior college courses offered, as well as to the success of the graduates from this college.

The increased attendance of 1924 over 1923 was: men, 29 per cent; women, 53 per cent.

The training school numbers 264, consisting of grades one to seven B. A portion of the training work is done in the city schools. This department is particularly well organized and is carrying on the work in a scientific manner, which is reflected in the unusual interest taken by the faculty and student body.

SAN FRANCISCO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE.

This school is located on Haight street on a somewhat elevated position overlooking the city, the campus of which is inadequate for the complete development of this institution. In the opinion of the committee this school physically is in a pitiable condition. It is impossible in a short written report such as this to convey an idea of the very great needs of this center of education.

Its buildings are very old frame buildings and constitute a constant hazard on account of fire and are poorly heated, ventilated and lighted. There is nothing to add attractiveness to the place.

The heating plant, whose boilers were undergoing repairs during our visit, is located in the center of this wooden structure, which is considered extra hazardous under the best conditions.

Its halls are low and dark, some of the recitation rooms have been boarded up by some of the people themselves working in the school, and are portions or ends of halls and some are without outside windows. The equipment for scientific work is inadequate.

There is, however, one new building, the gymnasium, which is a credit to the institution.

The committee recommends that the State should at once prepare plans and specifications for an entire new plant with the exception of the new building heretofore mentioned, and for additional ground for a campus which is now available, and that as rapidly as money may be available, the old buildings to be razed and new buildings take their places.

We believe that any large expenditure in the way of reconstructing the old buildings is impracticable except of course such as may be necessary for immediate repairs to keep the institution running until such time as new structures can be built.

The committee further wishes to endorse the amount for permanent improvements in the present budget, providing the expenditure thereof fits into a plan for a complete new construction of the plant.

We desire to commend the cheery, hopeful and efficient manner in which the administration and faculty are carrying on here in the midst of surroundings really depressing in their nature.

The staff numbers 44. The courses are well planned and articulated, the training school well organized. This school needs your encouragement.

STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE, SANTA BARBARA.

The Santa Barbara College is located on a hill arising to a considerable height overlooking the city of Santa Barbara and the ocean.

It is very much cramped for room The soil is overlaid with large boulders and rocks, rendering it very difficult to prepare for buildings This school is very much in need of assistance in the way of physical improvements to make it possible to do efficient work. It particularly needs a gymnasium and a modern school building and some additional land There are approximately twelve acres lying adjacent which are available at this time

The school is without an auditorium Its present meetings are held in a temporary building used part of the time for a gymnasium

There is a very valuable collection of historical archives and other material which is housed in a shed adjoining the buildings. There should be some means provided to care for these

We desire to call special attention to the inadequate furnishing of the office of the president. This office consists of a portion of a porch partitioned off, and the furnishings are very inadequate, and insufficient provision is made to care for the records of the school. The office is not even furnished with a rug on the cement floor. We recommend that all of this have immediate attention

We recommend that the provisions for the appropriation for permanent improvements made in the budget be approved by the Legislature

The committee feels that the faculty and the student body of this institution are entitled to praise for the work that they have given to the school, free of charge, in the way of building a large new structure without cost to the State, excepting the material

The enrollment at Santa Barbara is about 400 The faculty numbers 34. The college is working at a very great disadvantage due to the overcrowded condition in all departments The training school particularly needs relief.

The work is well planned, the needs are apparent. The State should supply the opportunity to carry on

In addition to the special courses offered in the teacher's professional work in the seven colleges, the curricula are rich in provisions for cultural education, covering a wide range, in literature, science, mathematics, social sciences, fine and applied arts.

The State is rich in these colleges, and should and does expect a bountiful return in the way of additions to her teaching force commensurate to her investment.

Respectfully submitted.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.
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SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 352—An act to amend section 1734*b* of the Political Code by omitting therefrom the words "not later than August 31, 1921",

Also Senate Bill No. 516—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to increase the allowance for burial expenses when the injury results in death, from $100 to $150 and to make the allowance for burial expenses in addition to the death benefit for both total and partial dependency:

Also Senate Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to creation and compensation of county officers in the forty-first class,

Also Senate Bill No. 399—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known and numbered section 4041*h*, relating to levy of a special tax for pension or retirement system purposes;

Also, Senate Bill No 348—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not accurately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and provided penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to certificates and permits to work issued to pupils in full-time day schools;

Also Senate Bill No. 632—An act defining and regulating the business of dry-cleaning and dyeing, standardizing the business of, and providing for the maintenance, construction and inspection of dry-cleaning and dyeing buildings and establishments, providing ways and means for enforcing this act and fixing penalties for the violation thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 352 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 516 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 498 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 399 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 348 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 632 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relating to forest protection.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21 read, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 478—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476b, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor,' approved March 18, 1899, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4a and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State, providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 312?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 312 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—43.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Cleveland, Wemple, and Jost, as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 312.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 960—An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a division of cannery inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 960?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, in line 16 and down to line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the words beginning with "all monies" and ending with "cannery inspection fund" and substitute the following: "All monies received by the state board of health for fees shall be deposited at least once each month in the state treasury to the credit of the cannery inspection fund."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the words "board of health", strike out the period and insert the following: "and the state board of control in the manner provided for by law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "and" strike out the balance of said line and all of line 11 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and all monies so received shall be deposited by the said state board of health in the state treasury to the credit of the cannery inspection fund hereinbefore created to be used for carrying out the purposes and provisions of this act."

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 960 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dodge, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to amend section 1973½ of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of 21 years and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,' approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers, and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 7?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "hundred" insert the words, "and twenty-five".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 7 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47

NOES—None.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock p. m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 15 of article XIII thereof, relating to the taxation of publicly owned utilities.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4 read

ASSEMBLYMAN JONES IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-five minutes p. m., Hon. Isaac Jones, member from the Fifty-seventh District, was called to the chair.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 15 of article XIII thereof, relating to the taxation of publicly owned utilities

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding a new section thereto to be known as and numbered section 15 of article XIII thereof, relating to the taxation of publicly owned utilities.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4 read.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION

Messrs Adams, Anderson, D. P., Burns, Jost, and Heisinger demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Graves moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Spence moved that Assembly Bill No. 1271 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1271 re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts, and relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1286 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswarď, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 497—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to regulate private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 497 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 799—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Thomas Byrne, against the State of California.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 799 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden,

Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 800—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 800 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 803—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Bankers Life Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 803 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 804—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. Teichert and Company, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 804 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little,

Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 805—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of L. F. Sinsheimer, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 805 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Los Angeles Railway Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 806 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1184*d*, relating to the furnishing of bonds by persons against whom claims are filed, and prescribing the duties of public officers in respect thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 585 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones,

Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.
Bill read third time.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Carter the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1263 was made a special order for Friday, April 10, 1925, at ten o'clock a.m.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH CALL OF THE HOUSE.

At three o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Mr. Hartranft moved that the further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.
Motion lost.

Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9*a* and to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to disposition of funds.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 543 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1172—An act to provide for the organization and government of municipal corporations consisting of two or more municipalities, or of two or more municipalities and unincorporated territory.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1172 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy,

Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At four o'clock and eight minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Graves.

The roll of absentees was called and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 4 was refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—28

NOES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—45.

Assembly Bill No. 1269—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1269 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17 and 25 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1083 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt,

Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—Little—1

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 312 the following Senators: Gates, Hollister, and Baker, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor," approved March 18, 1899, as amended, approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4a and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State, providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases, providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Gates, Hollister, and Baker, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed

CLEVELAND,
WEMPLE,
JOST,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Johnson, Jacobson and Graves as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 312.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

Mr. Jones moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 333 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.
Motion carried.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Cloudman, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 333 was made a special order for Friday, April 10, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Little moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 310 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.
Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 read.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33, Mr. Coombs moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out all after the word "help", being the first word in line 10, page 1, of the printed amendment, to and including the word "session" in line 16, page 1, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "but for the regular or biennial sessions the expenses for officers, employees and attaches shall not exceed the sum of four hundred fifty dollars per day for the Assembly, nor the sum of three hundred dollars per day for the Senate, and at the special or extraordinary sessions such expenses shall not exceed the sum of three hundred dollars per day for the Assembly, nor the sum of two hundred dollars per day for the Senate."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Coombs as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

COOMBS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108 relating to the causes of divorce.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Lyons moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Commitee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the words "to wit" and the colon.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Lyons as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 17, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LYONS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 10—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers in counties of the thirteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 10 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to provide for the alteration of county boundary lines and for the adjustment of county debts and liabilities when such boundaries are changed, prescribing the method of holding elections and prescribing the duties of officers with respect thereto and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 79 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—45.

NOES—McDowell, Nielsen, and Mr. Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom prisons.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 484 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION.

Mr. Eksward moved that the Assembly have an evening session on Friday, April 10, 1925, at eight o'clock p.m.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3650½, relating to assessments.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Spence moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 6 of the printed bill, after the word "certificate", insert the words "or other evidence of assessment".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 7 of the printed bill, strike out the words "state board of equalization" and insert in lieu thereof "division of motor vehicles".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 11 of the printed bill, after the word "certificate" strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof the words "showing that such motor vehicle was assessed for the preceding year;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 13 of the printed bill, before the words "motor vehicle" insert the word "new".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 15 of the printed bill, after the word "year" insert the words "preceding that".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Spence as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 123, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SPENCE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 370—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 2½, 3, 5, 7, 9, 15, 17, 21¾, 22, 29,

30, 31, 38 and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended and to add 8 new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, 22*a*, and 22;

Also Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to amend section 637*a* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19—Relating to California Indians' court of claims bill, Senate No. 4301—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

LOUTTIT, Chairman.
WRIGHT, T. M.
BERNARD.
BROWNE.
SAYLOR.
MITCHELL

The above reported joint resolution ordered to engrossment.

ON ELECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 165—An act to add a new section to be numbered 21*a* to an act entitled, "An act creating a State Commission on voting machines, defining their powers, and providing for their use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote of one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, relating to the use of voting machines—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LITTLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 361—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25, and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919;

Also, Senate Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

LITTLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON OIL INDUSTRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Oil Industries, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines—has had the

same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

FOSTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Senate Bill No. 312 the following Senators: Powers, Jones and Inman, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 24—An act to amend section 421 of the Civil Code, relating to investments of insurance companies;

Also, Senate Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 361 of the Civil Code, providing for the increasing or diminishing of the number of directors or trustees of a corporation;

Also, Senate Bill No. 419—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate the issuance of stock without nominal or par value by public utility corporations now existing or hereafter organized," approved May 31, 1917;

Also, Senate Bill No. 431—An act to amend section 19*f* of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and clerks in counties of the seventh class;

Also, Senate Bill No. 578—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation;

Also, Senate Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 637 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also, Senate Bill No. 809—An act to add section 309½ to the Civil Code, relating to the authorization of the distribution of the capital stock or capital assets of a corporation among its stockholders, and the procedure therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 24 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 390 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 419 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 431 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 578 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 649 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 809 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 23—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V thereof, relating to the compensation of executive officers;

Also, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to the creation of a commission for the purpose of making a thorough, exhaustive study into the narcotic

situation in California and recommending measures for the care and rehabilitation of narcotic addicts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 23 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, a municipal corporation in the county of Santa Cruz, State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 20 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, "An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to boards of parole commissioners in cities and counties,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, relating to public works by persons convicted of failure to provide for minor children;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to supervise, regulate and control the business of dealing in poultry, to provide rules and regulations therefor and provide a penalty for violations thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 603—An act authorizing and directing the State Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Oxnard to a point to be selected by the State Highway Commission upon the State highway extending from Los Angeles to Ventura, such point to be at or near the town of El Rio, Ventura County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifteenth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to amend section 311 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may call stockholders meetings of corporations

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under 18 years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under 21 years of age who cannot adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time schools;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 93—An act defining credit unions, providing for their incorporation, powers, management and supervision;

Also: Senate Bill No. 240—An act to amend sections 1665 and 1666 of the Political Code, relating to courses of study in the elementary schools;

Also: Senate Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code, relating to filing permits for the adoption of children;

Also: Senate Bill No. 783—An act to amend section 19c of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 434—An act regulating private trade schools, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, and a bond, providing for proper equipment and for refunds of tuition where courses are not taken, prohibiting misleading advertisements and false representations and promises, providing for registers, receipts, diplomas and prescribed courses of instruction, providing for supervision of such schools by the Commissioner of Labor and granting to the said commissioner the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purposes and intent of this act, and providing penalties for violations of this act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 533—An act to enable the Electro Metals Company, a trust organization, or its trustees or officers to sue the State of California;

Also: Senate Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code, relating to filing permits for the adoption of children.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Schmidt, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Friday, April 10, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 10, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered By Rev. Berkeley Blake, Unitarian Church, Sacramento, California.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Carter, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Miss Broughton, Mr. Wiley Dorris, husband of Assemblywoman Grace S. Dorris, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mrs. Edgar C. Levey and Miss Janet T. Levey were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Mr. Bert Thomas of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Messrs Nathan S. Coombs, Department Commander of the American Legion, and David J. O'Leary, National Representative of Child Welfare and Rehabilitation Work of the American Legion, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, Mrs. Alice J. Dering, Mrs. Maud M. Gentry, Miss Grace M. Dering, and Miss Bernice V. Reid of Los Angeles, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr McDowell, Mr. Preston McKing, Jr., of San Rafael, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mr. Ralph W. Smith, former

inheritance tax attorney of the State of California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to provide for the organization and government of highway districts, and to provide for the construction, acquisition and maintenance of highways in such districts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first three lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to amend sections two thousand seven hundred fifty-four, two thousand seven hundred fifty-five, and two thousand seven hundred sixty-eight of the Political Code, relating to permanent road divisions."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 24 on page 17, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. Section two thousand seven hundred fifty-four of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

2754. When a special tax is petitioned for, the board of supervisors shall immediately order an election within such road division to determine whether the same shall be levied, and the board may in its discretion submit to the electors at such election the question whether the balance of the estimated cost of the proposed work shall be raised by a special tax in one, two, three, four, five, or six successive years, raising an equal amount each year. Such election must be called by posting notices not more than one mile apart, and not less than three such notices, along the road or roads proposed to be improved or constructed, at least fifteen days before the election, and by publishing the same at least once a week for three successive weeks in a newspaper published in the county.

SEC. 2 Section two thousand seven hundred fifty-five of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

2755. Such notices must specify the time and place or places of holding the election the amount of money proposed to be raised and the purpose for which it is to be used, including a brief description of the proposed work and materials to be used, and whether it is proposed to raise the amount in one, two, three, four, five, or six successive years. If in more than one year, the amount proposed to be raised each year.

SEC. 3 Section two thousand seven hundred sixty-eight of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2768 Before opening the bids for doing the work herein provided for, the supervisors shall appoint two inspectors, residents of the division, both of whom shall not belong to the same political party, and fix their compensation, not exceeding thirty cents an hour for the time actually spent in the performance of their duties, which compensation shall be paid out of the funds of the division. It shall be the duty of the inspectors to inspect from time to time the work being done under the contract. They shall file with the board of supervisors at least once a month written reports on the manner in which the contractor is performing the work, setting forth in detail any objections they or either of them may have to the manner in which the work is being done, with recommendations as to changes desirable and provided for in the plans and specifications They shall also estimate the amount of work of an unsatisfactory nature done since their last report and the supervisors shall make no payment on account of such alleged unsatisfactory work until the objections have been inquired into or until the contractor shall have performed the work in strict compliance with the plans and specifications.

Or in lieu of the appointment of inspectors as above provided for, the supervisors may employ an engineer who shall prepare plans and specifications and/or supervise the construction and/or perform such other services as the supervisors shall require."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code, relating to bonded indebtedness.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the words "first Monday in August" in line 4 of said bill, and insert in lieu thereof "on or before September first."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 890—An act to amend sections 2 and 7 of an act known as the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "any" and before the word "or" strike out the word "county" and insert in lieu thereof "incorporated town, incorporated city, incorporated city and county and/or county."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "such" strike out the word "county" and insert in lieu thereof "incorporated town, incorporated city, incorporated city and county and/or county."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, after the word "city" strike out the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "county" and before the word "it" add "and/or county,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "act" and add ": *provided, however*, in unincorporated areas in counties it will not be necessary to obtain a permit for the erection, construction, reconstruction, conversion or alteration of a building to be used as a dwelling."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 3, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "In" strike out all of lines 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 835—An act to amend sections 1187 and 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "may" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "shall".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving

patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 4 and insert in lieu thereof the following, "under contract of persons afflicted with tuberculosis; nor shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "treat" insert the words "under contract".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the words "upon contract" and the period, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "nor shall anything contained in this act apply to any hospital or place which shall receive or treat, upon contract, any person afflicted with tuberculosis, when such contract is made directly by the particular person to be received or treated, or by any individual for the particular person or persons to be so received or treated."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "any hospital or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "county"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend sections 2293 and 2298 of the Political Code, and to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the library fund.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first four lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to amend section four thousand three hundred seven of the Political Code, relating to county charges".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 27, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Section four thousand three hundred seven of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

4307. The following are county charges:

1. Charges incurred against the county by virtue of any of the provisions of this act.

2. The traveling and other personal expenses of the district attorney, incurred in criminal cases arising in the county, and all other expenses necessarily incurred by him in the detection of crime.

3. The expenses necessarily incurred in the support of persons charged with or convicted of crime and committed therefor to the county jail, and for other services

in relation to criminal proceedings for which no specific compensation is prescribed by law.

4. The sums required by law to be paid to the grand and trial jurors and witnesses in criminal cases

5. The accounts of the coroner of the county for such services as are not provided to be paid otherwise

6. All charges and accounts for services rendered by any justice of the peace in the examination or trial of persons charged with crime, not otherwise provided for and allowed by law.

7. The necessary expenses incurred in the support of the county hospitals, almshouses, and the indigent sick and otherwise dependent poor, whose support is chargeable to the county.

8 The contingent expenses necessarily incurred for the use and benefit of the county

9. Every other sum directed by law to be raised for any county purpose under the direction of the board of supervisors, or declared to be a county charge.

10. The fees of constables in criminal cases allowed by law.

11. The actual and necessary expenses of county auditors, clerks, district attorneys, assessors, sheriffs and tax collectors, incurred while traveling to and from and while attending the annual convention of their respective associations; *provided*, that in no event shall such expense exceed the sum of fifty dollars for each of said officers in any one year.

12 The necessary expenses other than attorney's fees incurred by county auditors and treasurers in the defense and prosecution of any action brought by, or against said officers, for the purpose of testing the validity or constitutionality of any act of the legislature providing for the payment of county funds or funds held in trust by the county

13. The traveling and other personal expenses of the sheriff incurred in criminal cases arising in the county, and all other expenses necessarily incurred by him in the detection of crime."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 33, inclusive.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of Lake County, State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

The title to this act is hereby amended by inserting a comma instead of a period after the word "California", being the last word in said title, and adding the following, "and to add a new section to said Political Code to be known as and numbered section four thousand two hundred eighty and one-half, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in said county."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the semicolon after the word "retain" insert the following: "*provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be one deputy clerk who shall be appointed by the county clerk, to serve such times as may be required by the county clerk, and who shall receive a salary of fifty dollars per month, but not to exceed six hundred dollars in any one calendar year, which salary shall be paid by said county in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salary of the county clerk,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "county", strike out the remainder of said line and all of lines 25 and 26 on said page. Also on page 2, of the printed bill, strike out from lines 1 to 4, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and his reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of the duties of his office in criminal matters, said expenses to be allowed by the board of supervisors as other county charges are allowed, *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby, allowed to the sheriff one deputy sheriff who shall be appointed by the sheriff, and who shall receive a salary of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, which shall be paid by the county in

equal monthly installments at the same time and in the same manner, and out of the same funds as the salary of the sheriff is paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, after the figure "4." strike out the remainder of said line and to and including line 13, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The auditor, one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and the fees or commissions now or hereafter allowed by law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "collector", strike out the remainder of said line and to and including line 18 of said page, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and the fees or commissions now or hereafter allowed by law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, after the semicolon after the word "annum" insert the following: "and the fees or commissions now or hereafter allowed by law: *provided*, he shall also have two deputies for a period of four months in each year beginning March first and ending June thirtieth, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each; said deputies to be appointed by the assessor, and the salaries of which shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner, and out of the same funds as the salary of the assessor;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "paid" and insert a period. Also strike out the remainder of said line 25 to and including line 27 on said page.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, after the figure "11.", strike out the remainder of said line and to and including line 40 of said page, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The superintendent of schools, two thousand two hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that he shall have one deputy for a period of two months in each year, during the time selected by such officer to assist in the office when the superintendent is visiting the schools of the county, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, which office is hereby created, and the salary of which deputy shall be paid by the county at the same time and in the same manner, and out of the same funds as that of the superintendent of schools; *provided*, that the board of supervisors shall allow the traveling expenses of the superintendent of schools necessarily incurred in the performance of said office, not to exceed the sum of three hundred dollars per year, to be allowed and paid as other claims against the county are allowed and paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 43, of the printed bill, after the figure "13." strike out the remainder of said line 43 and all of line 44, and the word "to wit" and the colon following in line 45 of said page.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "more" insert the following: "justices of the peace shall receive".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "treasury" strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a period. Also strike out the remainder of said line 27, and to and including line 30 of said page.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, after line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "court" insert the following:

"A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered 4280½ and to read as follows:

4280½. The salaries of the judges of the superior court of Lake county shall be the sum of four thousand dollars per annum, to be paid in monthly installments, one-half to be paid by said county and the other one-half to be paid by the state in the manner now provided by law for the payment of the judge of said court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "19."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 16 of the printed bill, strike out the figure "20."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "incumbent" insert the following

"If any clause, sentence, paragraph, or part of this act shall for any reason be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of the act, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered

All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act to amend section 19.23 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties oof the twenty-third class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 10 to 19, inclusive, strike out all of section 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

SEC. 2. Whenever there is reason to believe that such nuisance is kept, maintained or exists in any county or city and county, the district attorney of such county or city and county shall in writing notify the record owner or owners of the premises where said nuisance is conducted that the same are used for the purposes of gambling, lotteries or games of chance and require such person or persons to abate said nuisance within a period of ten days from and after the date of service of said notice.

Said notice may be served either:

(1) By delivering a copy to the owner or owners personally or

(2) If he be absent from his place of residence and from his usual place of business, by leaving a copy with some person of suitable age and discretion at either place and sending a copy through the mail addressed to the owner at his place of residence or

(3) If such place of residence and business cannot be ascertained or a person of suitable age and discretion there can not be found, then by affixing a copy in a conspicuous place on the property where such nuisance is maintained, and also delivering a copy to a person in charge or in possession of said premises if such person can be found and also sending a copy through the mail addressed to the owner at the place where the property is situated. Whenever any such nuisance shall exist at any place within a county or city and county and the proper notice thereof shall have been served as hereinbefore provided and such nuisance shall not have been abated within ten days from and after the time of service of such notice, the district attorney of said county or city and county in the name of the people of the State of California, must maintain an action in equity to abate and present such nuisance and to perpetually enjoin the person or persons conducting and maintaining the same, and the owner, lessee or agent of the building or place in or upon which such nuisance exists from directly or indirectly maintaining or permitting such nuisance.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 8—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the divisions of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "78" add the following

The state is divided into forty senatorial districts, which shall be designated and constituted as follows

1. The counties of Del Norte, Humboldt Trinity and Mendocino shall constitute the first senatorial district

2. The counties of Siskiyou, Shasta, Modoc, Lassen, Plumas and Sierra shall constitute the second senatorial district.

3. The counties of Nevada, Placer, El Dorado, Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Tuolumne, Mariposa and Mono shall constitute the third senatorial district.

4. The counties of Butte, Tehama, Glenn and Yuba shall constitute the fourth senatorial district

5. The counties of Solano, Yolo, Colusa and Sutter shall constitute the fifth senatorial district.

6. The counties of Sonoma, Napa and Lake shall constitute the sixth senatorial district

7. The county of Sacramento shall constitute the seventh senatorial district

8. The county of San Joaquin shall constitute the eighth senatorial district.

9. The counties of Contra Costa and Marin shall constitute the ninth senatorial district.

10. All that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships intersects the northeasterly boundary line of the county of Alameda, thence southwesterly along said dividing line to the northeasterly boundary line of the city of Piedmont, thence southeasterly and southerly following the northern and eastern boundary line of the city of Piedmont to the southeasterly corner thereof, thence southwesterly along Thirteenth avenue to the center line of Fourteenth avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Fourteenth avenue to the center line of Lincoln street, thence easterly along the center line of Lincoln or East Thirty-first street to the center line of Twenty-third avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Twenty-third avenue to the center line of Sherman street, otherwise known as the old County road, thence easterly along said old County road to the center line of High street, thence easterly along center line of the Foothill road or County road No 3378, to the center line of Grand, or Ninetieth avenue, thence southwesterly along said line of Ninetieth avenue, crossing East Fourteenth street to the center line of B, or Second street, thence easterly along said B street to the center line of Jones or Ninety-eighth avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Jones, or Ninety-eighth avenue, to the center line of County road No 1995; thence southerly along center line of County road No 1995 to the line dividing Brooklyn and Eden townships; thence westerly along said township line to the line dividing Brooklyn and Alameda townships, thence southerly and westerly along the boundary line of Alameda township to the westerly boundary line of Alameda county, thence southerly along said westerly boundary line to its intersection with the northerly boundary line of Santa Clara county, thence easterly along the boundary line dividing Alameda and Santa Clara counties to a point which is the intersection of the boundary lines of the counties of Alameda, Santa Clara, Stanislaus and San Joaquin; thence northwesterly and northerly along the boundary line between the counties of Alameda and San Joaquin to a point where the boundary line dividing the counties of Alameda and Contra Costa intersects the westerly boundary line of the county of San Joaquin, thence in a southwesterly and northwesterly direction along the boundary line between the counties of Alameda and Contra Costa to the point of beginning, shall constitute the tenth senatorial district

11. All that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the westerly boundary line of the county of Alameda is intersected by the line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships; thence easterly along said dividing line to a point in Oakland harbor where said line is intersected by the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships, thence northerly along the westerly boundary line of Brooklyn township, passing through the easterly arm of Lake Merritt and up Indian Gulch to the northwesterly boundary line of East Oakland Heights, thence southeasterly along said last boundary line to the center of Thirteenth avenue; thence northeasterly along center line of Thirteenth avenue, or County road to Moraga valley, to the center line of Fourteenth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Fourteenth avenue to the center line of Lincoln

street; thence easterly along the center line of Lincoln, or East Thirty-first street, to the center line of Twenty-third avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Twenty third avenue to the center line of Sherman street, otherwise known as old County road, thence easterly along said old County road to the center line of High street, thence along the center line of Foothill road, or County road No. 3358, to the center line of Grand, or Ninetieth avenue; thence southerly along said line of Ninetieth avenue, crossing East Fourteenth street to B, or Second street, thence easterly along said B street to the center line of Jones, or Ninety-eighth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Jones, or Ninety-eighth avenue, to the center line of County road No. 1995; thence southerly along center line of County road No. 1995 to the line dividing Brooklyn and Eden townships; thence westerly along said township line to the line dividing Brooklyn and Alameda townships; thence southerly and westerly along the boundary line of Alameda township to the westerly boundary line of Alameda county, thence northwesterly along the westerly county boundary line to the southerly boundary line of Oakland township and the point of beginning, shall constitute the eleventh senatorial district.

12 All that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the northern boundary line of the city of Berkeley intersects the northeasterly boundary line of the county of Alameda; thence westerly along said northern boundary line of the city of Berkeley to a point where the same is coincident with the center line of Eunice street; thence westerly along the center line of Eunice street to the center line of Milvia street; thence southerly along the center line of Milvia street to the center line of Adeline street; thence southerly along the center line of Adeline street to the northerly boundary line of the town of Emeryville, thence easterly, southerly and westerly following the boundary line of the town of Emeryville to the center line of San Pablo avenue; thence southerly along the center line of San Pablo avenue to the center line of Broadway, thence southerly along the center line of Broadway to the northern boundary line of Alameda township; thence easterly along the northern boundary line of Alameda township to the westerly line of Brooklyn township, the same being a point in Oakland harbor; thence northerly along the westerly boundary line of Brooklyn township, passing through the easterly arm of Lake Merritt and up Indian Gulch to the northeasterly boundary line of East Oakland Heights; thence southeasterly along last said boundary line to the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue, or County road to Moraga valley, to the southeastern corner of the city of Piedmont; thence northerly and westerly following the easterly and northerly boundary lines of the city of Piedmont to the line dividing Brooklyn and Oakland townships, thence northeasterly along the last said township line to the boundary line of Alameda county, thence northwesterly along the county boundary line to the point of beginning, shall constitute the twelfth senatorial district.

13. All that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the northerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley intersects the northeasterly boundary line of the county of Alameda; thence westerly along said northern boundary line of the city of Berkeley to a point where the same is coincident with the center line of Eunice street; thence westerly along the center line of Eunice street to the center line of Milvia street, thence southerly along the center line of Milvia street to the center line of Adeline street; thence southerly along the center line of Adeline street to the northerly boundary line of the town of Emeryville; thence easterly, southerly and westerly, following the boundary line of the town of Emeryville to the center line of San Pablo avenue; thence southerly along the center line of San Pablo avenue to the center line of Broadway, thence southerly along the center line of Broadway to the northern boundary line of Alameda township; thence westerly along the line dividing Alameda and Oakland townships to the western boundary line of the county of Alameda, thence northerly along the said county boundary line to the northern boundary line of the county of Alameda thence easterly following the northern boundary line of the county of Alameda to the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirteenth senatorial district

14 All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco embraced within and comprising the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth assembly districts as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code, shall constitute the fourteenth senatorial district

15 All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco embraced within and comprising the thirtieth and thirty-fourth assembly districts, as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code, shall constitute the fifteenth senatorial district

16 All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco embraced within and comprising the twenty-fourth and twenty-ninth assembly districts as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code, shall constitute the sixteenth senatorial district

17 All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco embraced within and comprising the twenty-fifth and twenty-sixth assembly districts, as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code, shall constitute the seventeenth senatorial district

18. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco embraced within and comprising the thirty-second and thirty-fifth assembly districts, as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code, shall constitute the eighteenth senatorial district.

19. The counties of San Mateo, Santa Cruz, San Benito and Monterey shall constitute the nineteenth senatorial district.

20. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco embraced within and comprising the thirty-first and thirty-third assembly districts, as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code, shall constitute the twentieth senatorial district.

21. The county of Santa Clara shall constitute the twenty-first senatorial district.

22. The counties of Stanislaus, Merced and Madera shall constitute the twenty-second senatorial district.

23. The counties of Kings and Tulare shall constitute the twenty-third senatorial district.

24. The county of Fresno shall constitute the twenty-fourth senatorial district.

25. The counties of Santa Barbara and Ventura shall constitute the twenty-fifth senatorial district.

26. The counties of Kern and San Luis Obispo shall constitute the twenty-sixth senatorial district.

27. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the following election precincts as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precinct numbers six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, fifty-one, fifty-two, fifty-three, fifty-four, fifty-five, fifty-six, fifty-seven, fifty-eight, fifty-nine, sixty, sixty-one, sixty-two, sixty-three, sixty-four, sixty-five, sixty-six, sixty-seven, sixty-eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-one, seventy-two, seventy-three, seventy-four, seventy-five, seventy-six, seventy-seven, seventy-eight, seventy-nine, eighty, eighty-one, eighty-two, eighty-three, eighty-four, eighty-eight, eighty-nine, ninety, ninety-one, ninety-eight, two hundred seventy-seven, two hundred seventy-eight, two hundred eighty, two hundred eighty-one, two hundred eighty-two, two hundred eighty-three, two hundred eighty-four, two hundred eighty-five, two hundred eighty-six, two hundred eighty-seven, two hundred eighty-eight, two hundred eighty-nine, two hundred ninety, two hundred ninety-one, two hundred ninety-two, two hundred ninety-three, two hundred ninety-four, two hundred ninety-five, two hundred ninety-six, two hundred ninety-seven, two hundred ninety-eight, seven hundred sixty-one, seven hundred sixty-two, seven hundred sixty-three, seven hundred sixty-four, seven hundred sixty-five, seven hundred sixty-six, seven hundred sixty-seven, seven hundred sixty-eight, seven hundred sixty-nine, seven hundred seventy, seven hundred seventy-one, seven hundred seventy-two, seven hundred seventy-three, seven hundred seventy-four, seven hundred seventy-five, seven hundred seventy-six, seven hundred seventy-seven, seven hundred seventy-eight, seven hundred seventy-nine, seven hundred eighty, seven hundred eighty-one, seven hundred eighty-two, seven hundred eighty-three, seven hundred eighty-four, seven hundred eighty-five, seven hundred eighty-six, seven hundred eighty-seven, seven hundred eighty-eight, seven hundred eighty-nine, seven hundred ninety, seven hundred ninety-one, seven hundred ninety-two, seven hundred ninety-three, seven hundred ninety-four, seven hundred ninety-five, seven hundred ninety-six, seven hundred ninety-seven, seven hundred ninety-eight, seven hundred ninety-nine, eight hundred, eight hundred one, eight hundred two, eight hundred three, eight hundred four, and eight hundred five shall constitute the twenty-seventh senatorial district.

28. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the fifty-second and fifty-sixth assembly districts as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code and all that portion of said county included within and comprising the following election precincts as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Nithsdale, Annandale numbers one, two and three, and Los Angeles city precincts numbers eight hundred six, eight hundred seven, eight hundred eight, eight hundred nine, eight hundred ten, eight hundred eleven, eight hundred twelve, eight hundred thirteen, eight hundred fourteen, eight hundred fifteen, eight hundred sixteen, eight hundred seventeen, eight hundred eighteen, eight hundred nineteen, eight hundred twenty, eight hundred twenty-one, eight hundred twenty-two, eight hundred twenty-three, eight hundred twenty-four, eight hundred twenty-five, eight hundred twenty-six, eight hundred twenty-seven, eight hundred twenty-eight, eight hundred twenty-nine, eight hundred thirty, eight hundred thirty-one, eight hundred thirty-two, eight hundred thirty-three and eight hundred thirty-four shall constitute the twenty-eighth senatorial district.

29. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the fifty-seventh and fifty-ninth assembly districts as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code and all that portion of said county included within and comprising the following election precincts as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Belvedere numbers one, two, three, four and five, and Los Angeles city precincts numbers three, four, five, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two, forty-three, forty-four, forty-five, forty-six, forty-seven, forty-eight, forty-nine and fifty shall constitute the twenty-ninth senatorial district.

30. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the fifty-third and sixty-ninth assembly districts as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code shall constitute the thirtieth senatorial district

31. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the sixty-fourth and sixty-eighth assembly districts as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code shall constitute the thirty-first senatorial district

32. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the sixty-third assembly district as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code and all that portion of said county included within and comprising the following election precincts as of January 1, 1923, to wit Los Angeles city precincts numbers three hundred forty-six, three hundred forty-seven, three hundred forty-eight, three hundred seventy-five, three hundred seventy-six, three hundred seventy-seven, three hundred seventy-eight, three hundred seventy-nine, three hundred eighty, three hundred eighty-one, three hundred eighty-two, three hundred eighty-three, three hundred eighty-four, three hundred eighty-five, three hundred eighty-six, three hundred eighty-seven, three hundred eighty-eight, three hundred eighty-nine, three hundred ninety, three hundred ninety-one, three hundred ninety-two, three hundred ninety-three, three hundred ninety-four, three hundred ninety-five four hundred one, four hundred two, four hundred three, four hundred four, four hundred five, four hundred six, four hundred seven, four hundred eight, four hundred nine, four hundred ten, four hundred eleven, four hundred twelve, four hundred thirteen, four hundred fourteen, four hundred fifteen, four hundred sixteen, four hundred seventeen, four hundred eighteen, four hundred nineteen, four hundred twenty, four hundred twenty-one, four hundred twenty-two, four hundred twenty-three four hundred twenty-four, four hundred twenty-five, four hundred twenty-six, four hundred twenty-seven, four hundred sixty-six, four hundred sixty-seven, seven hundred fifty-eight, and seven hundred sixty shall constitute the thirty-second senatorial district

33. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the fifty-eighth and seventy-second assembly districts as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code shall constitute the thirty-third senatorial district

34. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the sixty-sixth assembly district as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code and also all that portion of said county bounded as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center lines of Eleventh street and Hoover street in the city of Los Angeles, thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Hoover street to Jefferson street, Jefferson street to Grand avenue, Grand avenue to Twenty-first street, Twenty-first street to Central avenue, Central avenue to Vernon avenue, Vernon avenue to the easterly boundary line of the city of Los Angeles, thence in a northerly direction along said boundary line to the southerly charter boundary line of the city of Los Angeles where the same intersects with the center line of Alameda street, Alameda street to Fifteenth street, Fifteenth street to Central avenue, Central avenue to Pico street, Pico street to San Pedro street, San Pedro street to Eleventh street, Eleventh street to Hoover street, the place of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-fourth senatorial district.

35. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles bounded as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center lines of Eleventh street and Hoover street in the city of Los Angeles, thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Hoover street to Tenth street, Tenth street to Vermont avenue, Vermont avenue to Temple street, Temple street to Virgil street, Virgil street to Temple street, Temple street to Edgeware road Edgeware road to Marion avenue, Marion avenue to Sunset boulevard, Sunset boulevard to Hill street, Hill street to Seventh street, Seventh street to Main street, Main street to Eleventh street, Eleventh street to Hoover street, the place of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-fifth senatorial district.

36 All that portion of the county of Los Angeles embraced within and comprising the seventieth and seventy-first assembly districts as designated and constituted by section ninety of this code shall constitute the thirty-sixth senatorial district.

37. The county of Orange shall constitute the thirty-seventh senatorial district

38. The counties of San Bernardino and Inyo shall constitute the thirty-eighth senatorial district

39. The counties of Riverside and Imperial shall constitute the thirty-ninth senatorial district.

40. The county of San Diego shall constitute the fortieth senatorial district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "90" add the following:

The state is hereby divided into eighty assembly districts, respectively numbered and constituted as follows

1 The counties of Siskiyou, Shasta, Modoc and Lassen shall constitute the first assembly district

2 The counties of Del Norte, Humboldt and Trinity shall constitute the second assembly district.

3. The counties of Mendocino and Lake shall constitute the third assembly district.

4 The counties of Tehama, Glenn, Colusa and Sutter shall constitute the fourth assembly district.

5. The counties of Butte and Plumas shall constitute the fifth assembly district.

6. The counties of Sierra, Yuba, Nevada and Placer shall constitute the sixth assembly district.

7. All that portion of the county of Sacramento, composed of that part of the city of Sacramento, lying north of the center of K street, and east of the center of Thirty-first street, and all that portion of said Sacramento county included within the boundaries of "American township," "Brighton township," "Center township," "Granite township," "Mississippi township," "Natoma township," and "Sutter township," as said townships existed on the first day of January, 1923, shall constitute the seventh assembly district.

8. All that portion of the county of Sacramento not included in the seventh assembly district shall constitute the eighth assembly district.

9. The counties of Napa and Yolo shall constitute the ninth assembly district.

10. The county of Sonoma shall constitute the tenth assembly district.

11. The county of Marin shall constitute the eleventh assembly district.

12. The county of Solano shall constitute the twelfth assembly district.

13. The county of Contra Costa shall constitute the thirteenth assembly district.

14. All that portion of the county of San Joaquin not included in the fifteenth assembly district shall constitute the fourteenth assembly district.

15. All that portion of the county of San Joaquin comprising the city of Stockton shall constitute the fifteenth assembly district.

16. All that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the center line of Shattuck avenue is intersected by the center line of Fifty-first street or Vernon street, in the city of Oakland; thence easterly along the center line of Fifty-first or Vernon street to the center line of Broadway; thence northeasterly along the center line of Broadway to its intersection with the northeasterly boundary line of the city of Oakland, as the same existed prior to the annex of one thousand nine hundred nine; thence southeasterly along said boundary line of the city of Oakland as the same existed prior to the annex of one thousand nine hundred nine to its intersection with the northerly boundary line of the city of Piedmont; thence easterly following the northerly boundary line of the city of Piedmont to its intersection with the boundary line dividing Brooklyn and Oakland townships; thence northeasterly along the line dividing Brooklyn and Oakland townships to its intersection with the northeasterly boundary line of Alameda county; thence northwesterly and westerly following along the county boundary line to its intersection with the easterly boundary line of the town of Albany; thence southerly along the easterly boundary line of the town of Albany to its intersection with the center of Codornices creek; thence easterly up the center of the Codornices creek to its intersection with the center line of Milvia street; thence southerly along the center line of Milvia street to the center line of Russell street; thence easterly along the center line of Russell street to the center line of Shattuck avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Fifty-first or Vernon street and the point of beginning, shall constitute the sixteenth assembly district.

17. All that portion of the county of Alameda lying easterly of a line described as follows: Beginning at a point where the boundary line between Eden and Alameda townships intersects the westerly boundary line of Alameda county; thence easterly and northerly along the boundary line of Alameda township to a line dividing Brooklyn and Eden townships; thence easterly along the boundary line between Eden and Brooklyn townships to the southwesterly boundary line of the town of San Leandro; thence northerly and easterly along said boundary line to the center line of East Fourteenth street; thence northwesterly following along the center line of East Fourteenth street to the center line of Moss avenue, in the city of Oakland, thence northeasterly along the center line of Moss avenue and a direct extension of said center line to the northeasterly boundary line of the city of Oakland; thence following the said northeasterly boundary line of the city of Oakland in a northwesterly direction to its intersection with the northeasterly boundary line of the county of Alameda, shall constitute the seventeenth assembly district.

18. All that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the boundary line between Eden and Alameda townships intersects the westerly boundary line of the county of Alameda, thence in an easterly and northerly direction along the boundary line of Alameda township to the line dividing Brooklyn and Eden townships; thence in an easterly direction along the boundary line between Eden and Brooklyn townships to the southwesterly boundary line of the town of San Leandro; thence northerly and easterly following the said town line to the center line of East Fourteenth street, thence northwesterly following the center line of East Fourteenth street and an extension of the same to its intersection with the line dividing Brooklyn and Oakland townships, said point being in Lake Merritt; thence southwesterly along said township line to its intersection with the northerly boundary line of Alameda township, thence westerly following along the said northerly boundary line of Alameda township to its intersection with the westerly boundary line of Alameda county; thence southeasterly along said county boundary line to the point of beginning, shall constitute the eighteenth assembly district.

19. All of that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the center line of Thirteenth avenue is intersected by the center line of East Fourteenth street, in the city of Oakland, thence northwesterly along the center line of East Fourteenth street and an extension of said center line to a point where the same intersects the westerly boundary line of Brooklyn township, in Lake Merritt; thence northeasterly following along the boundary line between Brooklyn and Oakland townships to the southerly boundary line of the city of Piedmont, thence easterly, northerly and westerly following the said boundary line of the city of Piedmont to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence northeasterly along said dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships to its intersection with the northeasterly boundary line of the city of Oakland; thence southeasterly following said city boundary line to a point where the same would be intersected by a direct extension northeasterly of the center line of Moss avenue, thence southwesterly along said extension and along the center line of Moss avenue to the center line of East Fourteenth street; thence northwesterly along the center line of East Fourteenth street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue and the point of beginning, shall constitute the nineteenth assembly district.

20. All of that portion of the county of Alameda, described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the center line of Broadway is intersected by the center line of Thirteenth street, in the city of Oakland; thence southeasterly along the center line of Thirteenth street and a direct extension of said center line to its intersection with the line dividing Brooklyn and Oakland townships; thence northeasterly following along the line dividing Brooklyn and Oakland townships to a point in the southerly boundary line of the city of Piedmont; thence easterly, northerly and westerly, following the southern, eastern and northern boundary line of the city of Piedmont to its intersection with the eastern boundary line of the city of Oakland, as the same existed prior to the annex of one thousand nine hundred nine; thence northwesterly along the easterly boundary line of the city of Oakland, as the same existed prior to the annex of one thousand nine hundred nine, to its intersection with the center line of Broadway; thence southerly along the center line of Broadway to the center line of Fifty-first, or Vernon street; thence westerly following along the center line of Fifty-first street to the center line of Shattuck avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Temescal creek; thence westerly down the center of Temescal creek to the center of Grove street; thence southerly along the center of Grove street to the center of San Pablo avenue; thence southerly along the center of San Pablo avenue to the center of Broadway; thence southerly along the center of Broadway to the center of Thirteenth street, and point of beginning, shall constitute the twentieth assembly district.

21. All of that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point where the center line of Adeline street is intersected by the center line of Twenty-second street in the city of Oakland, thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second street to the center line of Grove street; thence southerly along the center line of Grove street to the center line of San Pablo avenue, thence southerly along the center line of San Pablo avenue to the center line of Broadway; thence southerly along the center line of Broadway to the center line of Thirteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of Thirteenth street and a direct extension of said center line to its intersection with the line dividing Brooklyn and Oakland townships, thence southerly along the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships to the line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships; thence westerly along the line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships to a point where a direct extension of the center line of Adeline street would intersect the same; thence northerly along said extension and along the center line of Adeline street to the point of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-first assembly district.

22 All of that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows, to wit Beginning at a point where the center line of Adeline street is intersected by the center line of Twenty-second street in the city of Oakland, thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second street to the center line of Grove street, thence northerly along the center line of Grove street to the center of Temescal creek, thence westerly down the center of Temescal creek to the town of Emeryville; thence westerly and northerly following the boundary line of the town of Emeryville to the southerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley; thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley and a direct extension of same to its intersection with the westerly boundary line of Alameda county; thence southerly along the westerly boundary line of Alameda county to its intersection with the line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships; thence easterly along the line dividing Oakland and Alameda townships to a point where a direct extension of the center line of Adeline street would intersect the same, thence northerly along said extension and along the center line of Adeline street to the center line of Twenty-second street and the point of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-second assembly district.

23 All of that portion of the county of Alameda described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point where the easterly boundary line of the town of Emeryville is intersected by the southerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley; thence southerly and easterly along the boundary line of the town of Emeryville to a corner thereof.

the same being in the Temescal creek, thence up to the center of Temescal creek to the center line of Shattuck avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Russell street, thence westerly along the center line of Russell street to the center line of Milvia street, thence northerly along the center line of Milvia street to the center line of Codornices creek, thence westerly down the center line of Codornices creek to the easterly boundary line of the town of Albany, thence northerly along the easterly boundary line of the town of Albany to the northern boundary of the county of Alameda, thence westerly and southerly along the northern and western boundary line of the county of Alameda to a point where said boundary line would be intersected by a direct extension westerly of the southerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley; thence easterly along said extension and along the southerly boundary line of the city of Berkeley to the point of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-third assembly district.

24. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center lines of Market and Jones streets, thence along the lines described as follows: Jones to the waters of the bay of San Francisco, thence easterly and southeasterly along the shore line of said bay to Market street, Market to Jones street, the point of beginning and the islands of the bay of San Francisco within the city and county of San Francisco shall constitute the twenty-fourth assembly district.

25. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center lines of Clay and Jones streets, thence along the lines described as follows: Jones to the waters of the bay of San Francisco, thence westerly along the shore line of said bay to the waters of the Pacific ocean, thence along the shore line of said ocean to Lobos creek; thence along the shore line of said creek easterly to the southerly boundary line of the Presidio reservation, thence along the southerly boundary line of the Presidio reservation to Sixth avenue, Sixth avenue to California street, California street to Van Ness avenue, Van Ness avenue to Clay street, Clay to Jones, the point of beginning, together with the islands known as the Farallone islands shall constitute the twenty-fifth assembly district.

26. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center lines of Fulton street and Ninth avenue thence along the lines described as follows: Ninth avenue to California street, California street to Sixth avenue, Sixth avenue to the southerly boundary line of the Presidio reservation, thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of the Presidio reservation to Lobos creek, thence along the shore line of Lobos creek westerly to the waters of the bay of San Francisco, thence westerly along the shore line of said bay to the shore line of the Pacific ocean, thence along the shore line of said ocean southerly to Fulton street, Fulton street to Sixth avenue the point of beginning shall constitute the twenty-sixth assembly district.

27. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center lines of Fulton and Divisadero streets thence along the center lines of the following named streets: Divisadero to California street, California street to Ninth avenue, Ninth avenue to Fulton street, Fulton to Divisadero the point of beginning shall constitute the twenty-seventh assembly district.

28. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center lines of California and Divisadero streets thence along the center lines of the following named streets: Divisadero street to Duboce avenue, Duboce avenue to Castro street, Castro to Eighteenth, Eighteenth to Valencia, Valencia to Market, Market to Laguna, Laguna to California, California to Divisadero the point of beginning shall constitute the twenty-eighth assembly district.

29. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center lines of California and Laguna streets thence along the center lines of the following named streets: Laguna to Market, Market to Jones, Jones to Clay, Clay to Van Ness avenue, Van Ness avenue to California, California to Laguna the point of beginning shall constitute the twenty-ninth assembly district.

30. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center lines of Market and Valencia streets, thence along lines described as follows: Valencia to Eighteenth, Eighteenth to Harrison, Harrison to Mariposa, Mariposa to the waters of the bay of San Francisco, thence northerly along the shore line of said bay to Market street, Market to Valencia the point of beginning shall constitute the thirtieth assembly district.

31. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center lines of Fulton and Divisadero streets, thence along the center lines of the following named streets: Divisadero street to Duboce avenue, Duboce avenue to Castro street, Castro to Twenty-sixth, Twenty-sixth to Corbett avenue, Corbett avenue to Burnett avenue, Burnett to Palo Alto avenue, Palo Alto avenue to Stanyan street, Stanyan to Fulton, Fulton to Divisadero the point of beginning shall constitute the thirty-first assembly district.

32. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows Commencing at the point of intersection of the center of Fulton and Stanyan streets, thence along lines described as follows Stanyan to Palo Alto avenue, Palo Alto avenue to Burnett avenue, Burnett avenue to Portola drive, Portola drive to Twenty-sixth street, Twenty-sixth street to Hoffman avenue, Hoffman avenue to Thirtieth street, Thirtieth street to Fowler avenue, Fowler avenue to Sussex street, Sussex street to Hamburg, Hamburg to Flood avenue, Flood avenue to Phelan avenue, Phelan avenue to Ocean avenue, Ocean avenue to Ashton avenue, Ashton avenue to Holloway avenue, Holloway avenue to Junipero Serra boulevard, Junipero Serra boulevard to the northerly boundary line of San Mateo county, thence westerly along said boundary line to the waters of the Pacific ocean, thence northerly along the shore line of said ocean to Fulton street, Fulton to Stanyan the point of beginning shall constitute the thirty-second assembly district

33. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the center of Eighteenth and Castro streets, thence along the center of the following named streets Castro to Twenty-sixth, Twenty-sixth to Hoffman avenue, Hoffman avenue to Thirtieth street, Thirtieth street to Mission, Mission to Cortland avenue Cortland avenue to Folsom street, Folsom to Twenty sixth, Twenty-sixth to Florida, Florida to Mariposa, Mariposa to Harrison, Harrison to Eighteenth, Eighteenth to Castro the point of beginning shall constitute the thirty-third assembly district.

34. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows Commencing at the point of intersection of the center of Mariposa and Florida streets, thence along lines described as follows Florida to Twenty-sixth, Twenty-sixth to Folsom, Folsom to Cortland avenue, Cortland avenue to San Bruno avenue, San Bruno avenue to the northerly boundary line of San Mateo county, thence easterly along the said boundary line of San Mateo county to the waters of the bay of San Francisco, thence northerly along said shore line of the bay of San Francisco to Mariposa street, Mariposa to Florida, the point of beginning, shall constitute the thirty-fourth assembly district.

35 All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded as follows Commencing at the point of intersection of the center of Thirtieth and Mission streets thence along lines described as follows: Mission to Cortland avenue, Cortland avenue to San Bruno avenue, San Bruno avenue to the northerly boundary line of San Mateo county, thence westerly along the said boundary line of San Mateo county to Junipero Serra boulevard, Junipero Serra boulevard to Holloway avenue, Holloway avenue to Ashton avenue, Ashton avenue to Ocean avenue, Ocean avenue to Phelan avenue, Phelan avenue to Flood avenue, Flood avenue to Hamburg street, Hamburg to Sussex, Sussex to Fowler avenue, Fowler avenue to Thirtieth street, Thirtieth street to Mission the point of beginning shall constitute the thirty-fifth assembly district.

36. The county of San Mateo shall constitute the thirty-sixth assembly district.

37. The counties of Santa Cruz and San Benito shall constitute the thirty-seventh assembly district.

38. All that portion of the county of Santa Clara not included in the thirty-ninth assembly district shall constitute the thirty-eighth assembly district.

39 All that portion of the county of Santa Clara embraced within the following precincts as constituted at the general election in 1910, to wit: Agnew, that part of Alameda precinct lying north of the center line of Park avenue, Alviso, Berryessa, Burbank, that part of Crandalville precinct number one lying outside of the city limits of the city of San Jose, as established in one thousand nine hundred eleven, Cupertino, East San Jose number two, Fremont, Jefferson, Mayfield, Milpitas (numbers one and two), Mountain View (numbers one and two), Mount Hamilton, Orchard, Palo Alto (numbers one to five, inclusive), Purissima, San Jose (numbers one to twelve, inclusive), Santa Clara (numbers one to four, inclusive), Saratoga, Stanford, Stockton, Sunnyvale (numbers one and two), and University (numbers one and two), shall constitute the thirty-ninth assembly district.

40 The county of Stanislaus shall constitute the fortieth assembly district.

41. The counties of El Dorado, Amador, Calaveras, Alpine, Tuolumne, Mariposa, Mono and Inyo shall constitute the forty-first assembly district.

42 The counties of Merced and Madera shall constitute the forty-second assembly district

43. The counties of Monterey and San Luis Obispo shall constitute the forty-third assembly district.

44. All that portion of the county of Fresno embraced in the following description shall constitute the forty-third assembly district Commencing at the northeast corner of section thirty-four, township twelve south, range nineteen east, Mount Diablo meridian, thence in a southerly direction to the center of the right of way of the Southern Pacific railroad; thence southeasterly along the line of the said right of way to the city limits of the city of Fresno thence in a westerly, southerly and easterly direction along said city limits to a point where said city limits intersect the line of the right of way of the Southern Pacific railroad, thence southeasterly along the line of said Southern Pacific right of way to the city limits of the city of Fowler; thence in an easterly and southerly direction following the line of said city limits to a point where said city limits intersect the line of said right of way of the Southern Pacific railroad, thence southeasterly along the line of said right of

way to the city limits of the city of Selma thence along the line of said city limits in a southerly and easterly direction to a point where said city limits intersect the right of way of the Southern Pacific railroad, thence along said right of way in a southerly direction to the southwest corner of section nine, township sixteen south, range twenty-two east, Mount Diablo meridian; thence east to the southeast corner of section twelve, township sixteen south, range twenty-two east, Mount Diablo meridian thence south to the boundary line between the county of Fresno and the county of Tulare, thence along the boundary line dividing the county of Fresno from the counties of Tulare, Kings, Monterey, San Benito, Merced and Madera to the point of beginning shall constitute the forty-fourth assembly district

45. All that portion of the county of Fresno included in and comprising the city of Fresno shall constitute the forty-fifth assembly district

46 All that portion of the county of Fresno not included in the forty-fourth and forty-fifth assembly districts shall constitute the forty-sixth assembly district.

47 The county of Tulare shall constitute the forty-seventh assembly district.

48. The county of Kings shall constitute the forty-eighth assembly district

49 The county of Kern shall constitute the forty-ninth assembly district.

50 The county of Santa Barbara shall constitute the fiftieth assembly district

51. The county of Ventura shall constitute the fifty-first assembly district.

52 All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to-wit La Liebre, Del Sur, Lancaster numbers one and two, Neenach, Antelope, Wilsonia, Llano, Little Rock, Palmdale, Acton, Sterling, Saugus numbers one and two, Newhall, Chatsworth, Sunland, San Fernando numbers one, two and three, Calabasas, Topanga, Lankershop numbers one and two, Burbank, Moreland, Burbank City numbers one, two, three, four and five Glendale city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven and twenty-eight, Eagle Rock one, two, three, four and five, San Rafael, Glorietta Heights, La Crescenta, La Canada, Verdugo and Los Angeles city precincts numbers seven hundred thirty-nine, seven hundred forty, seven hundred forty-one, seven hundred forty-two, seven hundred forty-three, seven hundred forty-four, seven hundred forty-five, seven hundred forty-six seven hundred forty-seven, seven hundred forty-eight, seven hundred forty-nine, seven hundred fifty, seven hundred fifty-one, seven hundred fifty-two, seven hundred fifty-three, seven hundred fifty-four, seven hundred *fifty-five and seven hundred fifty-nine, shall constitute the fifty-second* assembly district

53 All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to-wit. Decker Malibu, Beverly Glen, Sherman numbers one and two, Crescent, La Brea, numbers one, two and three, Beverly Hill city, Arnaz, West Adams numbers one and two, Smith, Angeles Mesa numbers one and two, Machada, Ballona, Sawtelle city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight, National Military Home, numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight, Culver City, and Los Angeles *city precincts numbers four hundred twenty-eight, four hundred twenty-*nine, four hundred thirty, four hundred thirty-one, four hundred thirty-two, four hundred thirty-three, four hundred thirty-four, four hundred thirty-five, four hundred thirty-six, four hundred thirty-seven, four hundred thirty-eight, four hundred thirty-nine, four hundred forty, four hundred forty-one, four hundred forty-two, four hundred forty-three, four hundred forty-four, four hundred forty-five four hundred forty-six, four hundred forty-seven, four hundred forty-eight, four hundred forty-nine, four hundred fifty, four hundred fifty-one, four hundred fifty-two, four hundred fifty-three, four hundred fifty-four, four hundred fifty-five, four hundred fifty-six, four hundred fifty-seven, four hundred fifty-eight, five hundred thirty-three, five hundred thirty-four, five hundred thirty-five, five hundred thirty-six, five hundred thirty-seven, five hundred thirty-eight, five hundred thirty-nine, six hundred fifty-six, six hundred fifty-seven, six hundred fifty-eight, seven hundred fifty-six and seven hundred fifty-seven shall constitute the fifty-third assembly district.

54 All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbers three hundred forty-six, three hundred forty-seven, three hundred forty-eight, three hundred seventy-one, three hundred seventy-five, three hundred seventy-six, three hundred seventy-seven, three hundred seventy-eight, three hundred seventy-nine, three hundred eighty, three hundred eighty-one, three hundred eighty-two, three hundred eighty-three, three hundred eighty-five, three hundred eighty-six, three hundred eighty-seven, three hundred eighty-eight, three hundred eighty-nine, three hundred ninety, three hundred ninety-one, three hundred ninety-two, three hundred ninety-three, three hundred ninety-four, three hundred ninety-five, three hundred ninety-six, three hundred ninety-seven, three hundred ninety-nine, four hundred, four hundred one, four hundred two four hundred three, four hundred four, four hundred five, four hundred six, four hundred seven, four hundred eight, four hundred nine, four hundred ten, four hundred eleven, four hundred twelve, four hundred thirteen, four hundred fourteen, four hundred fifteen, four hundred sixteen,

four hundred seventeen, four hundred eighteen, four hundred nineteen, four hundred twenty, four hundred twenty-one, four hundred twenty-two, four hundred twenty-three, four hundred twenty-four, four hundred twenty-five, four hundred twenty-six, four hundred twenty-seven, four hundred sixty-six, four hundred sixty-seven, seven hundred fifty-eight and seven hundred sixty shall constitute the fifty-fourth assembly district

55 All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbers three, four, two hundred ninety-two, two hundred ninety-three, two hundred ninety-four, two hundred ninety-five, three hundred eighty-four, seven hundred eighty, seven hundred eighty-one, seven hundred eighty-two, seven hundred eighty-three, seven hundred eighty-four, seven hundred eighty-five, seven hundred eighty-six, seven hundred eighty-seven, seven hundred eighty-eight, seven hundred eighty-nine, seven hundred ninety, seven hundred ninety-one, seven hundred ninety-two, seven hundred ninety-three, seven hundred ninety-four, seven hundred ninety-five, seven hundred ninety-six, seven hundred ninety-seven, seven hundred ninety-eight, seven hundred ninety-nine, eight hundred, eight hundred one, eight hundred two, eight hundred three, eight hundred four, eight hundred five, eight hundred six, eight hundred seven, eight hundred eight, eight hundred nine, eight hundred ten, eight hundred eleven, eight hundred twelve, eight hundred thirteen, eight hundred fourteen, eight hundred fifteen, eight hundred sixteen, eight hundred seventeen, eight hundred eighteen, eight hundred nineteen, eight hundred twenty, eight hundred twenty-one, eight hundred twenty-two, eight hundred twenty-three, eight hundred twenty-four, eight hundred twenty-five, eight hundred twenty-six, eight hundred twenty-seven, eight hundred twenty-eight, eight hundred twenty-nine, eight hundred thirty, eight hundred thirty-one, eight hundred thirty-two, eight hundred thirty-three, eight hundred thirty-four, Nithsdale, Annandale numbers one, two and three, shall constitute the fifty-fifth assembly district

56 All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Linda Vista, Devils Gate, Mount Lowe, Altadena numbers one, two and three, Pasadena city, numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two, forty-three, forty-four, forty-five, forty-six, forty-seven, fifty-four, fifty-five, fifty-six, fifty-seven, sixty-one, sixty-two, sixty-three, sixty-four, sixty-five, sixty-six, sixty-seven, sixty-eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-one, seventy-two, seventy-three, seventy-four, seventy-five, seventy-six, seventy-seven, seventy-eight, seventy-nine, eighty, eighty-one and eighty-two shall constitute the fifty-sixth assembly district.

57. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts as of January 1, 1923 to wit: Duarte numbers one and two, Monrovia city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, and ten, Altadena numbers four, five and six, La Manda numbers one, two and three, Sierra Madre city numbers one, two, three and four, Arcadia city numbers one, two and three, San Marino city, Pasadena city numbers forty-eight, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-one, fifty-two, fifty-three, fifty-eight, fifty-nine, sixty, eighty-three and eighty-four, South Pasadena city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven twelve, thirteen, fourteen and fifteen, Alhambra city numbers one, two, three, four five, six seven eight nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty and twenty-one shall constitute the fifty-seventh assembly district

58 All that portion of Los Angeles county included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Spadra numbers one and two, Bomono city numbers one two, three, four five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two and twenty-three, Claremont numbers, one, two, and three, San Dimas numbers one, two and three, Covina numbers one two, three and four, Rowland numbers one two, three and four, La Verne numbers one and two, La Verne city numbers one and two, Glendora, Glendora city numbers one, two and three, Charter Oak, Covina city numbers one, two, three and four, Azusa city numbers one, two and three, Azusa, Whittier city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen and seventeen, East Whittier numbers one, two and three, shall constitute the fifty-eighth assembly district

59 All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Mira Monte numbers one, two, three, four and five, Huntington Park city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six and seven, Vernon city numbers one and two, Fruitland, Bell numbers one, two three and four, Middletown, Bandini, Laguna numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight and nine, Babbitt numbers one and two, Belvedere numbers six, seven and eight, Midwick, Monterey city numbers one, two, three, four, five and six, Montebello numbers one, two, three,

four and five, Rivera numbers one and two, Los Nietas numbers one and two, El Monte numbers one, two and three, El Monte city numbers one and two, San Anita numbers one and two, Baldwin Park numbers one and two, San Gabriel numbers one, two, three and four, San Gabriel city numbers one, two and three, Temple, and Los Angeles city precincts numbers one hundred twenty, one hundred twenty-one, one hundred twenty-two, one hundred twenty-three, six hundred ninety, six hundred ninety-one, six hundred ninety-two and six hundred ninety-three, shall constitute the fifty-ninth assembly district.

60. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Belvedere numbers one, two, three, four and five, and Los Angeles city precincts numbers five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two, forty-three, forty-four, forty-five, forty-six, forty-seven, forty-eight, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-one, fifty-two, fifty-three, fifty-four, fifty-five, seven hundred seventy, seven hundred seventy-one, seven hundred seventy-two, seven hundred seventy-three, seven hundred seventy-four, seven hundred seventy-five, seven hundred seventy-six, seven hundred seventy-seven, seven hundred seventy-eight and seven hundred seventy-nine, shall constitute the sixtieth assembly district.

61. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbers fifty-six, fifty-seven, fifty-eight, fifty-nine, sixty, sixty-one, sixty-two, sixty-three, sixty-four, sixty-five, sixty-six, seventy-three, seventy-four, seventy-five, seventy-six, seventy-seven, seventy-eight, two hundred eighty-one, two hundred eighty-two, two hundred eighty-three, two hundred eighty-four, two hundred eighty-five, two hundred eighty-six, two hundred eighty-seven, two hundred eighty-eight, two hundred eighty-nine, two hundred ninety, two hundred ninety-one, two hundred ninety-six, two hundred ninety-seven, two hundred ninety-eight, two hundred ninety-nine, three hundred one, three hundred two, three hundred three, three hundred four, three hundred five, three hundred six, three hundred seven, three hundred eight, three hundred nine, three hundred ten, three hundred seventeen, three hundred eighteen, three hundred nineteen, seven hundred sixty-one, seven hundred sixty-two, seven hundred sixty-three, seven hundred sixty-four, seven hundred sixty-five, seven hundred sixty-six, seven hundred sixty-seven, seven hundred sixty-eight and seven hundred sixty-nine, shall constitute the sixty-first assembly district.

62. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbers two hundred fifty, three hundred eleven, three hundred twelve, three hundred thirteen, three hundred fourteen, three hundred fifteen, three hundred sixteen, three hundred twenty, three hundred twenty-one, three hundred twenty-two, three hundred twenty-three, three hundred twenty-four, three hundred twenty-five, three hundred twenty-six three hundred twenty-seven, three hundred twenty-eight, three hundred twenty-nine three hundred thirty, three hundred thirty-one, three hundred thirty-two three hundred thirty-three, three hundred thirty-four, three hundred thirty-five, three hundred thirty-six, three hundred thirty-seven, three hundred thirty-eight, three hundred thirty-nine, three hundred forty, three hundred forty-one, three hundred forty-two, three hundred forty-three, three hundred forty-four, three hundred forty-five, three hundred forty-nine, three hundred fifty, three hundred fifty-one, three hundred fifty-two, three hundred fifty-three, three hundred fifty-four three hundred fifty-five, three hundred fifty-six, three hundred fifty-seven, three hundred fifty-eight, three hundred fifty-nine, three hundred sixty, three hundred sixty-one, three hundred sixty-two, three hundred sixty-three, three hundred sixty-four, three hundred sixty-five, three hundred sixty-six, three hundred sixty-seven, three hundred sixty-eight, three hundred sixty-nine, three hundred seventy, three hundred seventy-two, three hundred seventy-three, three hundred seventy-four, three hundred ninety-eight, four hundred ninety-six, four hundred ninety-seven, four hundred ninety-eight and four hundred ninety-nine shall constitute the sixty-second assembly district

63. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbered four hundred fifty-nine, four hundred sixty, four hundred sixty-one, four hundred sixty-two, four hundred sixty-three, four hundred sixty-four, four hundred sixty-five, four hundred sixty-eight, four hundred sixty-nine, four hundred seventy, four hundred seventy-one, four hundred seventy-two, four hundred seventy-three, four hundred seventy-four four hundred seventy-five, four hundred seventy-six, four hundred seventy-seven, four hundred seventy-eight, four hundred seventy-nine, four hundred eighty, four hundred eighty-one, four hundred eighty-two, four hundred eighty-three, four hundred eighty-four, four hundred eighty-five, four hundred eighty-six, four hundred eighty-seven, four hundred eighty-eight, four hundred eighty-nine, four hundred ninety, four hundred ninety-one, four hundred ninety-two, four hundred ninety-three, four hundred ninety-four, four hundred ninety-five, five hundred, five hundred one, five hundred two, five hundred three, five hundred four, five hundred five, five hundred six, five hundred seven, five hundred eight, five hundred nine, five hundred ten, five hundred eleven, five hundred twelve,

five hundred thirteen, five hundred fourteen, five hundred fifteen, five hundred sixteen, five hundred seventeen, five hundred eighteen, five hundred nineteen, five hundred twenty, five hundred twenty-one, five hundred twenty-two, five hundred twenty-three, five hundred twenty-four, five hundred twenty-five, five hundred twenty-six, five hundred twenty-seven, five hundred twenty-eight, five hundred twenty-nine, five hundred thirty, five hundred thirty-one and five hundred thirty-two shall constitute the sixty-third assembly district.

64. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbered five hundred forty, five hundred forty-one, five hundred forty-two, five hundred forty-three, five hundred forty-four, five hundred forty-five, five hundred forty-six, five hundred forty-seven, five hundred forty-eight, five hundred forty-nine, five hundred fifty, five hundred fifty-one, five hundred fifty-two, five hundred fifty-three, five hundred fifty-four, five hundred fifty-five, five hundred fifty-six, five hundred fifty-seven, five hundred fifty-eight, five hundred fifty-nine, five hundred sixty, five hundred sixty-one, five hundred sixty-two, five hundred sixty-three, five hundred sixty-four, five hundred sixty-five, five hundred sixty-six, five hundred sixty-seven, five hundred sixty-eight, five hundred sixty-nine, five hundred seventy, five hundred seventy-one, five hundred seventy-two, five hundred seventy-three, five hundred seventy-four, five hundred seventy-five, five hundred seventy-six, five hundred seventy-seven, five hundred seventy-eight, five hundred seventy-nine, five hundred eighty, five hundred eighty-one, five hundred eighty-two, five hundred eighty-three, five hundred eighty-four, five hundred eighty-five, five hundred eighty-six, five hundred eighty-seven, five hundred eighty-eight, five hundred eighty-nine, five hundred ninety, five hundred ninety-one, five hundred ninety-two, five hundred ninety-three, five hundred ninety-four, five hundred ninety-five, five hundred ninety-six, five hundred ninety-seven, five hundred ninety-eight, six hundred, six hundred two, six hundred three, six hundred four, six hundred five, six hundred six, six hundred seven, six hundred eight, six hundred nine and six hundred ten shall constitute the sixty-fourth assembly district.

65. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbered two hundred two, two hundred three, two hundred four, two hundred five, two hundred six, two hundred seven, two hundred eight, two hundred nine, two hundred ten, two hundred eleven, two hundred twelve, two hundred thirteen, two hundred fourteen, two hundred fifteen, two hundred sixteen, two hundred seventeen, two hundred eighteen, two hundred nineteen, two hundred twenty, two hundred twenty-one, two hundred twenty-two, two hundred twenty-three, two hundred twenty-four, two hundred twenty-five, two hundred twenty-six, two hundred twenty-nine, two hundred thirty, two hundred thirty-one, two hundred thirty-two, two hundred thirty-three, two hundred thirty-four, two hundred thirty-five, two hundred thirty-six, two hundred thirty-seven, two hundred thirty-eight, two hundred thirty-nine, two hundred forty, two hundred forty-one, two hundred forty-two, two hundred forty-three, two hundred forty-four, two hundred forty-five, two hundred forty-six, two hundred forty-seven, two hundred forty-eight, two hundred forty-nine, two hundred fifty-one, two hundred fifty-two, two hundred fifty-three, two hundred fifty-four, two hundred fifty-five, two hundred fifty-six, two hundred fifty-seven, two hundred fifty-eight, two hundred fifty-nine, two hundred sixty, two hundred sixty-one, two hundred sixty-two, two hundred sixty-three, two hundred sixty-four, two hundred sixty-five, two hundred sixty-six, two hundred sixty-seven, two hundred sixty-eight, two hundred sixty-nine, two hundred seventy, two hundred seventy-two, two hundred seventy-three and two hundred seventy-four shall constitute the sixty-fifth assembly district.

66. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbered one hundred thirty-three, one hundred thirty-four, one hundred thirty-five, one hundred thirty-six, one hundred thirty-seven, one hundred thirty-eight, one hundred thirty-nine, one hundred forty, one hundred forty-one, one hundred forty-two, one hundred forty-three, one hundred forty-four, one hundred forty-five, one hundred forty-six, one hundred forty-seven, one hundred forty-eight, one hundred forty-nine, one hundred fifty, one hundred fifty-one, one hundred fifty-two, one hundred fifty-three, one hundred fifty-four, one hundred fifty-five, one hundred fifty-six, one hundred fifty-seven, one hundred fifty-eight, one hundred fifty-nine, one hundred sixty, one hundred sixty-one, one hundred sixty-two, one hundred sixty-three, one hundred sixty-four, one hundred sixty-five, one hundred sixty-six, one hundred sixty-seven, one hundred sixty-eight, one hundred sixty-nine, one hundred seventy, one hundred seventy-one, one hundred seventy-two, one hundred seventy-three, one hundred seventy-four, one hundred seventy-five, one hundred seventy-six, one hundred seventy-seven, one hundred seventy-eight, one hundred seventy-nine, one hundred eighty, one hundred eighty-one, one hundred ninety, one hundred ninety-one, one hundred ninety-two, one hundred ninety-three, one hundred ninety-four, one hundred ninety-five, one hundred ninety-six, one hundred ninety-seven, one hundred ninety-eight, one hundred ninety-nine, two hundred, two hundred one, five hundred ninety-seven, five hundred ninety-nine, six hundred one, six hundred twenty, six hundred twenty-one, six hundred twenty-two, six hundred twenty-three, six hundred twenty-four and six hundred twenty-five shall constitute the sixty-sixth assembly district.

67. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbered sixty-seven, sixty-eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-one, seventy-two, seventy-nine, eighty, eighty-one, eighty-two, eighty-three, eighty-four, eighty-five, eighty-six, eighty-seven, eighty-eight, eighty-nine, ninety, ninety-one, ninety-two, ninety-three, ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six, ninety-seven, ninety-eight, ninety-nine, one hundred, one hundred one, one hundred two, one hundred three, one hundred four, one hundred five, one hundred six, one hundred seven, one hundred eight, one hundred nine, one hundred ten, one hundred eleven, one hundred twelve, one hundred thirteen, one hundred fourteen, one hundred fifteen, one hundred sixteen, one hundred eighteen and one hundred nineteen shall constitute the sixty-seventh assembly district.

68. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Los Angeles city precincts numbered one hundred twenty-nine, one hundred thirty, one hundred thirty-one, one hundred thirty-two, six hundred eleven, six hundred twelve, six hundred thirteen, six hundred fourteen, six hundred fifteen, six hundred sixteen, six hundred seventeen, six hundred eighteen, six hundred nineteen, six hundred twenty-six, six hundred twenty-seven, six hundred twenty-eight, six hundred twenty-nine, six hundred thirty, six hundred thirty-one, six hundred thirty-two, six hundred thirty-three, six hundred thirty-four, six hundred thirty-five, six hundred thirty-six, six hundred thirty-seven, six hundred thirty-eight, six hundred thirty-nine, six hundred forty, six hundred forty-one, six hundred forty-two, six hundred forty-three, six hundred forty-four, six hundred forty-five, six hundred forty-six, six hundred forty-seven, six hundred forty-eight, six hundred forty-nine, six hundred fifty, six hundred fifty-one, six hundred fifty-two, six hundred fifty-three, six hundred fifty-four, six hundred fifty-five, six hundred sixty-eight, six hundred sixty-nine, six hundred seventy, six hundred seventy-one, six hundred seventy-two, six hundred seventy-three, six hundred seventy-four, six hundred seventy-five, six hundred seventy-six, six hundred seventy-seven, six hundred seventy-eight, six hundred seventy-nine, six hundred eighty, six hundred eighty-one, six hundred eighty-two, six hundred eighty-three, six hundred eighty-four, six hundred eighty-five, six hundred eighty-six, six hundred eighty-seven, six hundred eighty-eight, six hundred eighty-nine, six hundred ninety-four, and six hundred ninety-five shall constitute the sixty-eighth assembly district.

69. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Lasher, Canyon, Santa Monica city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two and twenty-three, Venice city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen and fourteen, Ocean Park Heights, Centinela, Inglewood numbers one, two, three, four, five, six and seven, Hyde Park city, Sexton, Arbor Vitae, Wisburn numbers one, two, three and four, Lawndale numbers one and two, Redondo Beach city numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight and nine, Hermosa Beach city numbers one, two and three, Manhattan Beach numbers one and two, El Porto, El Segundo numbers one, two and three, Ross, and Los Angeles city precincts numbered six hundred fifty-nine, six hundred sixty and six hundred sixty-one shall constitute the sixty-ninth assembly district.

70. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Catalina, Avalon city, La Rambla, Lomita, Torrence numbers one and two, Cotton, Gardena numbers one, two, three and four, Green Meadows numbers one and two, Moneta numbers one and two, Howard numbers one, two, three, four and five, and Los Angeles city precincts numbered six hundred sixty-two, six hundred sixty-three, six hundred sixty-four, six hundred sixty-five, six hundred sixty-six, six hundred sixty-seven, six hundred ninety-six, six hundred ninety-seven, six hundred ninety-eight, six hundred ninety-nine, seven hundred, seven hundred one, seven hudred two, seven hundred three, seven hundred four, seven hundred five, seven hundred six, seven hundred seven, seven hundred eight, seven hundred nine seven hundred ten, seven hundred eleven, seven hundred twelve, seven hundred thirteen, seven hundred fourteen, seven hundred fifteen, seven hundred sixteen, seven hundred seventeen, seven hundred eighteen, seven hundred nineteen, seven hundred twenty, seven hundred twenty-one, seven hundred twenty-two, seven hundred twenty-three, seven hundred twenty-four, seven hundred twenty-five, seven hundred twenty-six, seven hundred twenty-seven, seven hundred twenty-eight, seven hundred twenty-nine, seven hundred thirty, seven hundred thirty-one, seven hundred thirty-two, seven hundred thirty-three, seven hundred thirty-four, seven hundred thirty-five, seven hundred thirty-six, seven hundred thirty-seven and seven hundred thirty-eight shall constitute the seventieth assembly district.

71. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Florence numbers one, two, three, four, five, six and seven, Watts city numbers one, two, three, four, five and six, San Antonia numbers one, two and three, Tweedy, Lugo, Willowbrook numbers one, two and three, Compton city numbers one and two, Dominguiz, Lynwood city, Wilmington, Cerritos numbers one and two, Long Beach city precincts

numbered one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, forty, forty-one, forty-two, forty-three, forty-four, forty-five, forty-six, forty-seven, forty-eight, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-one, fifty-two, fifty-three, fifty-four, fifty-five, fifty-six, fifty-nine and sixty-three shall constitute the seventy-first assembly district.

72. All that portion of the county of Los Angeles included within and comprising the following election precincts, as of January 1, 1923, to wit: Clearwater, Bellflower numbers one, two and three, Hynes, Artesia numbers one and two, Bixby, Signal Hill, Burnet, Alamitos numbers one, two, three, four and five, Naples, La Mirada, Downey numbers one, two, three and four, Norwalk numbers one and two, and Long Beach city precincts numbered sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, thirty-nine, fifty-seven, fifty-eight, sixty, sixty-one, sixty-two, sixty-four, sixty-five and sixty-six shall constitute the seventy-second assembly district.

73. All that portion of the county of San Bernardino now comprised within the following townships, to wit, Chino, Ontario, Upland, Cucamonga, Etiwanda, and San Bernardino, shall constitute the seventy-third assembly district.

74. All that portion of the county of San Bernardino not included within the seventy-third assembly district, as fixed and defined in this act, shall constitute the seventy-fourth assembly district.

75. The county of Orange shall constitute the seventy-fifth assembly district.

76. The county of Riverside shall constitute the seventy-sixth assembly district.

77. The county of Imperial shall constitute the seventy-seventh assembly district.

78. All that portion of the county of San Diego included and being within the city of San Diego, and included within the following described boundary lines, to wit:

Beginning at the most northerly point of the pueblo lands of San Diego county as finally confirmed to the president and trustees of the city of San Diego, according to the patent therefor and the map thereof, recorded in book of patents No. 1 at page 190 et seq., in the office of the recorder of San Diego county; being also the most northerly point of said city, and running thence southeasterly along the northeasterly boundary line of the pueblo and city of San Diego, to the southeast corner of pueblo lot one thousand three hundred forty-nine according to map of the pueblo lands of San Diego, San Diego county, California, made by James Pascoe, city engineer, May, 1870, on file in the office of the clerk of the city of San Diego, California; thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of pueblo lots one thousand three hundred forty-nine, one thousand one hundred twenty-seven, one thousand one hundred twenty-six, one thousand one hundred twenty-five and one thousand one hundred twenty-four to the southwest corner of said pueblo lot one thousand one hundred twenty-four, thence southerly along the easterly boundary lines of pueblo lots one thousand one hundred thirty-two, one thousand one hundred thirty-four, and one thousand one hundred forty-five all according to said map of the pueblo lands of San Diego, to an intersection with the east and west center line of Date street, according to map of Horton's addition to San Diego, recorded in the office of the recorder of San Diego county in deed book 13, page 522 et seq.; thence easterly along said center line of Date street produced to an intersection with the northerly projection of the center line of Sixth street according to map of Bay View homestead filed in the office of the recorder of San Diego county, California, January 29, 1873, and numbered 150, thence southerly along the center line of said Sixth street, according to said map of Horton's addition and Bay View homestead and said center line produced to an intersection with the shore line of the bay of San Diego, at the line of ordinary high tide water which is the boundary line of said pueblo and city of San Diego, thence in a general northerly direction along the shore of the bay of San Diego at the line of said ordinary high water tide, the ordinary high water line of the Pacific ocean and the shore line of False bay (otherwise known as Mission bay), the same being the westerly boundary line of said pueblo and city of San Diego, to the place of beginning shall constitute the seventy eighth assembly district.

79. All that portion of the county of San Diego included within the corporate limits of the city of San Diego and not included within the seventy-eighth assembly district shall constitute the seventy-ninth assembly district.

80. All that portion of the county of San Diego not included within the seventy-eighth and seventy-ninth assembly districts shall constitute the eightieth assembly district.

SEC. 3. Any precinct, or portion of any precinct, not specifically described herein as constituting a portion of either a senatorial or assembly district, shall be attached to and constitute a part of the senatorial or assembly district adjacent thereto and situate within the same county or city and county, having, as shown by the last federal census a less population than any other such district adjacent thereto.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific highway, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the fifth and sixth lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following, "Pacific highway, to be a state highway".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 8 to 17, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SEC 2. The California highway commission is hereby directed to negotiate an agreement with the United States forest service, the bureau of public roads and the counties of Mendocino and Glenn for a survey and location of said road or such sections of road as lie within or adjacent to the California national forest boundaries

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights, levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, southern branch on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients at the State hospital at Agnew, California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*eee*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in Imperial County.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 738*b*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court of Sacramento County, and repealing all parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1191—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*vv*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer county.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara; to provide for the appointment of an additional superior court judge and for his compensation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School or California Farm Institute.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State Fair Grounds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to appropriate money to pay the State's portion of the cost of improvement of the State highway adjacent to the grounds of the Whittier State School.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "act" strike out "to appropriate money to pay the state's portion of the cost of improvements of State highway adjacent to the grounds of" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to appropriate money to be used to augment, develop and improve the water supply and the water system of the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with the word "of" in line 1 of the printed bill, strike out the remainder of line 1 and all of lines 2 to 6, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "the sum of thirteen thousand two hundred ninety-eight dollars and forty-six cents remaining from an appropriation made by an act entitled "An act appropriating money to augment, develop and improve the water supply and the water system of the Whittier State School," approved May 24, 1921, is hereby re-appropriated to be used for the completion of the development and improvement of the water system at the Whittier State School".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and

to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "printed" insert the word "final".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "recommendations" insert the following: "for a public policy for the development and conservation of the water resources of the state.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, lines 24 and 25, of the printed bill, strike out the words "legislative session" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "first day of January".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Five hundred thousand" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two hundred fifty thousand".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

An act to amend section seven hundred fifty-eight of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section seven hundred fifty-eight of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

758. The third district court of appeal may employ and appoint the following officers of the court, whose salaries shall be as follows

One clerk at three thousand three hundred dollars per annum; one deputy clerk at two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one phonographic reporter as *provided in section seven hundred fifty-nine*, and one bailiff at two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, each of the first and second district courts of appeal may appoint the following officers of their respective courts whose salaries shall be as follows: One clerk at three thousand six hundred dollars per annum, one chief deputy clerk at two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; one deputy clerk at two thousand four hundred dollars per annum; two phonographic reporters as provided in section seven hundred fifty-nine; and two bailiffs at two thousand four hundred dollars each per annum, one phonographic reporter and one bailiff to be assigned to each division of this court.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 77—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Madera.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "is" strike out the word "six" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Merced.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "is" strike out the word "six" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 716—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Two thousand seven hundred eight-" and on line 2 of the printed bill strike out "een dollars and eighty-eight cents ($2,718.88)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Two hundred forty-two dollars and sixty-five cents ($242.65)".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 768—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first twelve lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments to be levied upon the property of the State of California known as the University of California, Southern Branch property, on Heliotrope drive and Willow Brook avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" insert the following:

"Out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated there is hereby appropriated the sum of fifteen thousand seven hundred sixty-two and fifty one-hundredths dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of paying those certain assessments for the improvement of Heliotrope drive and Willow Brook avenue, which are to be levied against that certain property of the State of California known as the University of California, Southern Branch property, situated on Heliotrope drive and Willow Brook avenue in said city of Los Angeles.

Sec. 2 The state controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the treasurer of the city of Los Angeles, State of California, for the said sum of fifteen thousand seven hundred sixty-two and fifty one-hundredths dollars, and the state treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same and to take from the said treasurer of the city of Los Angeles a receipt showing the said assessments paid in full."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 2½, 3, 5, 7, 9, 15, 17, 21¾, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38 and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, and to add seven new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, 22*a*, and 22.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 14 of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one *a* and twenty-two *a*."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 7 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "game district one "P", fish and game district one "Q", fish and".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to amend section 637*a* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out that portion of the line preceding the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "in fish and game district four and in fish and game district four and three quarters".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 145—An act to amend section 1431 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to change of place of trial in justice's courts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 18—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 427—An act to amend section 597 of the Political Code, relating to the examination of insurance companies.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 215—An act making an appropriation for the restoration, care and upkeep of the Mission San Francisco del Solano.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 684—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 165—An act to add a new section to be numbered 21*a* to an act entitled "An act creating a State commission on voting machines, defining their powers, and providing for their use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote of one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and

for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, relating to the use of voting machines.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 361—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25, and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, at the end of line 5, insert the words "prior to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the words "That in my opinion," and commence the word "my" with a capital.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the word "that" and insert in lieu thereof "in my opinion".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the word "that" and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 3, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the word "that".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the words "offer; that my" and insert in lieu thereof the words "office. My"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4 of the printed bill, place lines 43 to 46, inclusive, in parentheses.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not later than" and insert in lieu thereof the words "at least".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 5, at the end of line 33, of the printed bill, insert the word "a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 5, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the hyphen.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 6, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "declaration" and insert in lieu thereof the word "declarations".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 6, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "left with" and insert in lieu thereof the words "delivered to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN

On page 6, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the apostrophe and the word "certificates".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 6, lines 26 and 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "not set forth party candidacies nor party affiliations" and insert in lieu thereof the words "omit all reference to party candidacy or affiliations from their declarations and certificates".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 7, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "declaration" and insert in lieu thereof the word "declarations".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 7, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "candidacies" and insert in lieu thereof the word "candidacy".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 7, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "that" and insert in lieu thereof the words "in my opinion".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN

On page 7, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the word "that" and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 7, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the comma and the word "that" and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 7, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and the word "that" and insert in lieu thereof a period and commence the word "my" with a capital.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO

On page 7, line 40, of the printed bill, after the word "certificate" insert the words "which is presented".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE

On page 7, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "candidate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 8, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "office" and insert in lieu thereof the word "offices".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 8, lines 8, 9, 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out everything after the word "county" in line 8.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 8, line 21, of the printed bill, commence the word "the" with a capital.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 8, lines 26 to 31, inclusive, of the printed bill, strike out everything after the word "shall" in line 26 to and including the word "and" in line 31.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 8, lines 34 and 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "file one copy with the secretary of state and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 9, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "ballot" and insert a comma after the word "district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 10, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "certificate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 11, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "certificate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 11, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "certificate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 11, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "certificate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 11, line 11, of the printed bill, after the words "another party" insert the word "by".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 11, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "certificate".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 12, line 39, of the printed bill, after the word "signed" insert the words "and acknowledged" and strike out all said line 39 after the word "him".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 12, line 40, of the printed bill strike out the words "the county in which he resides".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 27, of the amended printed bill, strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 27, of the amended printed bill, strike out every word beginning with and including the word "or" down to and including the word "such" on line 30.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 line 1, of the amended printed bill, strike out every word beginning with and including the word "precinct" down to and including the word "act" and the period on line 5.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 27, of the amended printed bill, after the comma and the word "acts" insert the following "or a registered, qualified elector of a precinct adjoining the precinct for which he is appointed and in which he acts".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "it" and all of the balance of line 4 and all of lines 5 to 11 inclusive and all of line 12 up to and including the period after the word "such" and insert in lieu thereof the following "It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation selling or offering for sale any lubricating oil, lubricant or gasoline to display upon or in front of any premises occupied or controlled by such person, firm or corporation as owners, lessee, executor, administrator, trustee or receiver, any sign, label or other distinguishing marks which describes any lubricating oil, lubricant or gasoline for internal combustion engines not actually sold, offered for sale or delivery at the location at which the sign, label or other distinguishing marks is displayed or to display any label upon any container or distributing device which label names or describes any lubricating oil, lubricant or gasoline for internal combustion engines not actually contained therein or dispensed therefrom but offered for sale or sold as such."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for carrying out of its purposes—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following constitutional amendment was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—Proposed amendment to article XII of the constitution, relative to a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 22 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relative to the election of the Railroad Commission.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read.

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the county of Los Angeles in said State upon certain trusts and conditions—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1095?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "California" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, following line 26, insert the following:

"(c) That said grant shall not operate to deprive the owner or owners of privately owned lands adjacent to said tide or submerged lands of the full use, enjoyment and occupation of such property, or any right of access, egress or ingress over said tide or submerged lands, or to grant or convey to the county of Los Angeles, California, or to any county board or commission of said county, any control, jurisdiction or title to said tide lands that would deprive said owners of the free and unrestricted use of said privately owned lands and water inlets lying above or below the line of mean high tide."

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1095 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden Davis, Dillinger, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker —41.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No 1095 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, thence to Laws, thence north over the road recently constructed by Mono County, to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific railroad crosses such state line to be a State highway—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 100?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title, after the word "county," insert the following: "thence to Laws, thence north over the road recently constructed by Mono county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and", and insert in lieu thereof the word "to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, at the end of line 2 insert the following: "thence to Laws, thence north over the road recently constructed by Mono county.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "be", insert the following: "constructed and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "state" and insert in lieu thereof the word "California".

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 100 by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 21½, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith and creating the oleomargarine enforcement and dairy control fund—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 878?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on March 17, commencing with line 27, strike out all of lines 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 21½. All fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be credited to an "oleomargarine enforcement fund", which fund is hereby created, and shall be used by the department of agriculture of the State of California to carry out the purposes of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 6 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "the", insert the words "oleomargarine enforcement and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 29, of the printed bill, after the word "enforcement", insert the words "and dairy control".

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. West moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

SENATE MESSAGES—(RESUMED).

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 899—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Real Estate Commission—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment. L

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 899?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 17 1925, on line 32, strike out the word "shall" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may"

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 899 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden Davis, Deuel, Dorris Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 899 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act relating to the liquidation of banks by the Superintendent of Banks, empowering him to levy assessments against the members and stockholders of any bank in process of liquidation by him to an amount which he may determine to be necessary to promptly pay the creditors of such bank in full; to enforce such assessments by suit and empowering the superior court to determine the equities of the members and stockholders of any such bank to any surplus which may remain after the payment of the creditors of such bank in full and to award and distribute the same accordingly," approved May 17, 1917—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 726?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "county" and insert in lieu thereof the word "country".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 726 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 726 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the twelfth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 616?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 20 and 21 and insert in lieu thereof the following "per annum, *provided*, that".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 23, of the amended bill, after the word "allowed", insert the following "each year".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 616 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 616 ordered to enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of ten o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Adams, Broughton, Foster, Brock and Finney demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Bernard, Reindollar, Melville, Jones and Roland, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the demand for previous question.

The roll was called, and the demand for previous question lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Rumner, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—24.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, West, Williamson, and Woodbridge—38.

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Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 24, of the printed bill, insert the following paragraph:

"Before any trainer of wild animals shall be permitted to work upon said animal and the training thereof, the humane officer or officers shall first enter the enclosure wherein said animal is caged and shall determine what method of kindness, consideration and love shall be used in the training thereof but this shall not be considered as feeding said animal improper foodstuffs."

The question being on the motion to amend Assembly Bill No. 1263.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Carter, Reindollar, Crittenden, Lyons and McDowell, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to amend Assembly Bill No. 1263 by Mr. Williamson.

The roll was called, and the motion to amend Assembly Bill No. 1263 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Fry, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDonough, Melville, Runner, Schmidt, Spalding, Williamson, and Woodbridge—20.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, and Wright, T. M.—42.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE.

Assembly Bill No. 1263—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to the business of training animals, providing for the registration of trainers, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1263 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—34

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roland, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, and Woodbridge—38

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Bernard gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1263 was this day refused passage.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jones moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 333 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was refused reconsideration by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Morrison, Nielsen, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—34

NOES—Bernard, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, and Mr. Speaker—33.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Bill No. 333 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. West.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 878 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley,

Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Davis, Dodge, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Smith, Spence, Walters, and Williamson—25

Assembly Bill No. 878 ordered to enrollment.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Little waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 310 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 310 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Roland moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 397 was passed, be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Coombs moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Byrne, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 4 was made a special order for today at four o'clock p.m.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 313 was made a special order for Monday, April 20, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Hornblower moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 987 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Hornblower moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Hornblower, Hawes, Levey, Schmidt and Jacobson the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion for a call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for a call of the House ordered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—40.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Campbell, Cloudman, Deuel Dillinger, Dorris, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Spalding, Walters, and Mr. Speaker—20.

Time, eleven o'clock and fifty minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 read.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Heisinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and in lieu thereof insert the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ten" and in lieu thereof insert the word "nine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, after the comma, following the word "districts" strike out all matter to the word "provided" in line 36 and in lieu thereof insert the following "the counties shall be apportioned as nearly equal in population and territory as may be; *provided, however*, that the counties of the fourth to the ninth class both inclusive shall contain each not less than two assembly districts, counties of the tenth to the thirtieth class both inclusive each one assembly district; *provided further*, no district shall contain more than four adjoining counties."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 45, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "city" strike out all matter to line "49".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Heisinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HEISINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At twelve o'clock m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Graves.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 987 reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobsen, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—44.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—32.

Assembly Bill No. 987 ordered on file for passage.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until three o'clock p. m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At three o'clock p. m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 754—An act to amend sections 17, 23, 30, and 32 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, relating to dwellings and areas of courts and window area and height of rooms—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 778—An act to repeal section 13 of "the State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity licenses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 221—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands;

Also: Senate Bill No. 184—An act to amend sections 7, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon." (Approved May 23, 1921.);

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported Senate concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to validate municipal bonds, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Also Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section, to be numbered 752*c*;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 879—An act making an appropriation for the survey of a proposed highway from the State highway at Earlimart, Tulare County, to connect with the State highway from Lost Hills, Kern County, to Cholame, San Luis Obispo County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 743—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON INSURANCE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1055—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1132—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices, providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ccc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, to provide for the appointment of an additional superior court judge and for his compensation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 2322*k*, relating to infested or infected fruit, nuts and vegetables;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 626*v* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School or California Farm Institute;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicles; to provide for certain exemptions, to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in Imperial County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 738*b*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court of Sacramento County, and repealing all parts of acts in conflict therewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1191—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*rr*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, southern branch on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State Fair Grounds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ss*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara;

Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients at the State Hospital at Agnew, California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act to amend section 19*x*23 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the twenty-third class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to promote the development of the California canned fruit industry and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned fruit by establishing and defining certain standards for canned fruit of the varieties herein named, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture in relation hereto, including the collection of fees, creating a board of appeal and defining its powers and duties in relation hereto and fixing the compensation of the members thereof, prescribing penalties for violations hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 915—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitoes, flies and other insects; and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein,' approved May 29, 1915;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act to amend section 19*x*41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the forty-first class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 4 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 7*a*, to an act entitled "An act providing for the organization and regulation of reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges, to be known as 'the Reciprocal or Interinsurance Act of the State of California,' and repealing the act entitled 'An act providing for reciprocal and interexchange of indemnities, prescribing regulations therefor and fixing a license fee, and repealing an act entitled "An act defining certain classes of contracts for the exchange of indemnity, prescribing regulations therefor and fixing a license fee approved December 24, 1911" approved May 26, 1917 as amended," approved June 3, 1921, relating to assets of insurance companies;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19—Relating to California Indians' Court of Claims Bill, Senate No. 4301—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

This is to advise you that I have signed the following bills.
Assembly Bills Nos. 186, 940, 107, 498 and 101.
Senate Bills Nos. 225, 106, 54 and 777.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1170 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends the Street Improvement Act of 1903. Section 29 of the present act provides that when the street superintendent executes the deed to the purchaser of property which has been subject to the sale on account of delinquency, the deed is prima facie evidence of the truth of all of the matter recited therein. This section as proposed to be amended by this bill would make the deed prima facie evidence of the truth of all matters recited therein, but the deed instead of being prima facie evidence if title in the grantee would convey to the grantee "absolute title" to the lands described therein, free from all incumbrances except the lien for public improvement assessments. It does not seem that absolute title should be conveyed in such manner. A proviso in section 29 to the effect that "it shall have the same standing with reference to the liens for state, county and other taxes as does the lien for municipal taxes," is somewhat ambiguous.

It does not appear that there is any general need or request for the amendment to the present act in this particular, and for the reasons set forth I am returning the bill without my approval.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1171 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends the present street act and provides for a levy of assessments to meet the cost of street work and for the sale of property in the event of delinquency in the payment of assessments against it. The bill provides that delinquent taxes shall be collected and redemption shall be made in the manner provided in the case of State and county taxes as the law pertaining thereto existed on the first day of January, 1895. The law in that regard, as it existed on January 1, 1895, is no longer in effect. It was changed as noted by the Supreme Court in the case of Coleman vs. County of Los Angeles, 180 Cal. 714.

The statute may incorporate by clear reference the whole of a portion of another statute which is in existence, but the bill in question receives no vitality from reference to a law which does not exist. If this bill should become a law it would probably leave the amended act without provision for the collection of delinquent taxes or for the redemption of property sold for delinquency. Under these circumstances, it would appear to be for the best interests of municipalities that this bill should be returned without approval.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1203 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill provides that in case of sales for delinquent taxes by an irrigation district such sale shall not be made for a sum less than the "reasonable market value of said property." The present law provides that the sale shall not be made for less than the "amount of the delinquent assessments, interest, penalties and costs."

To require the sale to be made for the "reasonable market value" would raise a question as to what was a reasonable value. These titles at best are tax titles, and hence are a hazardous investment. The Irrigation Districts Association of California does not approve this bill.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following joint resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Messrs. Levey, Burns, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Rosenshine, Fry, Schmidt, Williamson, and Miller, J A: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20—Relative to requesting the presence of the United States Fleet at San Francisco during the Diamond Jubilee Celebration of the admission of California into the Union.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILL.

Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section number 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Smith moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "three", and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 8, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out beginning with the words "one deputy" everything down to and including the words "per annum" in line 52 on page 8, and insert in lieu thereof the following "three deputies whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand one hundred sixty dollars per annum each".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Smith as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 216, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SMITH, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

SENATE MESSAGES—(RESUMED).

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 999—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 999?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended March 14, 1925, strike out the words "California Reform School tract as per map" and strike out all of lines 6 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "the 124.389 acres of land designated as "Lands to be conveyed to State Reform School" as shown on map recorded in Book 724, pages 266 and 267 of Deeds, records of Los Angeles county, within a strip of land thirty feet wide, lying northerly of and adjacent to King road, as shown on map recorded in Book 2016, pages 155 to 157 of Deeds, records of said county."

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Sewell moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and thirty minutes p.m

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—40

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to repeal section 18 and to reenact said section 18 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1085 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Smith gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1085 was this day passed.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19—Relating to California Indians' court of claims bill. Senate No. 4301.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 19

Relating to California Indians' court of claims bill, Senate No. 4301.

WHEREAS, The State legislature, at the request of the Indian Board of Cooperation, Incorporated of California, and the Indian auxiliaries thereof, has on two occasions memorialized California Congressmen, the Commissioner of Indian affairs and the Secretary of the Interior to secure the passage of a bill conferring jurisdiction upon the United States Court of Claims to hear and to adjudicate all claims that might be presented thereto by the tribes and bands of Indians of California, and

WHEREAS, A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the court of claims to hear and determine all claims of whatsoever nature which any tribes or bands of Indians of California may have against the United States for lands formerly occupied and claimed by them in California and to render a judgment against the United States government for any amount found due said tribes or bands of Indians was given unanimous approval by Secretary of Interior, the Commissioner of the Indian Affairs, the House and Senate committees on Indian Affairs and was unanimously passed by the Senate of the United States at the SIXTY-SIXTH Congress, and

WHEREAS, The late Honorable Franklin K. Lane as Secretary of the Interior, in his letter to the Sixty-sixth Congress under date of February 9, 1920, said "as these bands or tribes of Indians in California have prima facie, a meritorious claim against the United States, and the said bill properly protects their interests and the interests of the government as well, I recommend that it receive your favorable consideration"; and

WHEREAS, The House and Senate committees on Indian Affairs in their recent reports to the Sixty-eighth Congress with reference to Senate Bill No. 4301 have said concerning same to their respective bodies "Your committee has carefully investigated the claims of these Indians and are convinced that they have shown sufficient proof to grant them the right to have their day in court. This measure protects the government in all of these claims and allows any and all offsets which can be shown to have been given these Indians. Your committee unanimously recommends the enactment of this bill. The legislation meets with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior", and

WHEREAS, Senator Hiram W. Johnson and Congressman John E. Raker, supported by other California Congressmen, the Indian Board of Cooperation and Congressional Hearings (entitled "Indian Tribes of California," dated March 23, 1920, and April 28 and 29, 1922) have succeeded in gaining the unanimous approval and passage of Senate Bill No. 4301 by both houses of the Sixty-eighth Congress ending March 4, 1925, and

WHEREAS, The passage of Senate Bill No. 4301 during the last days of the Sixty-eighth Congress failed to gain the signature of the President of the United States; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly, That our Representatives in Congress be and are hereby memorialized to regain the passage by Congress of the court of claims bill, Senate No. 4301, and to secure the endorsement of the President of the United States thereto; and be it further

Resolved, That the Governor of the State of California, upon passage of this resolution, shall forward a copy thereof to each of our Representatives in Congress, to the chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs of the Senate and to the chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs of the House of Representatives, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, to the Secretary of the Interior and to the President of the United States.

Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of

Mariposa, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation for a survey.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1057 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 578 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE.

At four o'clock p. m., Mr. Sewell moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

The question being on the motion to dispense with the call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Mueller, Byrne, Jacobson, Williamson, and Hawes the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to dispense with the call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion to dispense with the call of the House carried by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—45.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Browne, Easley, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Louttit, Mixter, Murphy, Runner, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—18.

The roll of absentees was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 999 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 999 ordered to enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of four o'clock p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FOUR.

Assembly Bill No. 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 4 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Brock, Graves, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Roland, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, and Wright, S. V.—11.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1124—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1124 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 445 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 5 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 7*a*, to an act entitled "An act providing for the organization and regulation of reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges, to be known as 'the Reciprocal or Interinsurance Act of the State of California,' and repealing the act entitled 'An act providing for reciprocal and interexchange of indemnities, prescribing regulations therefor and fixing a license fee, and repealing an act entitled "An act defining certain classes of contracts for the exchange of indemnity, prescribing regulations therefor, and fixing a license fee," approved December 24, 1911,' approved May 26, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, relating to assets of insurance companies.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 252 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Insurance.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 252 re referred to Committee on Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers retired in accordance with the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended; defining the operation of said act; providing for the return, to persons subject to the burdens of said act and not returned, of all moneys contributed by them to the public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of this act; defining the powers and prescribing the duties of public officers and others in connection with this act, and making an appropriation to carry the provisions of this act into effect.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Foster moved that Assembly Bill No 883 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 883 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No 901—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds; and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Foster moved that Assembly Bill No. 901 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 901 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Burns moved that Assembly Bill No. 941 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 941 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to promote the development of the California canned fruit industry and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned fruit by establishing and defining certain standards for canned fruit of the varieties herein named, defining the powers and duties of the director of the Department of Agriculture in relation hereto, including the collection of fees, creating a Board of Appeal and defining its powers and duties in relation hereto and fixing the compensation of the members thereof, prescribing penalties for violations hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 751 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Denel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield,

Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Graves, and Murphy—3

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance of the provisions and benefits of an act passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise; to empower and direct the board designated as the State Board for Vocational Education to cooperate with the federal board for vocational education in carrying out the provisions of said federal act; to prescribe its powers and duties in carrying out the provisions of this act; to provide for a plan of cooperation between the State Board for Vocational Education and the Industrial Accident Commission; to provide for the appointment of a custodian of all moneys received by the State from appropriations made by the Congress of the United States and from other sources for the purpose of promoting vocational rehabilitation; to create a vocational rehabilitation fund and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, relating to appropriation for vocational rehabilitation

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 65 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Block, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Anderson, R. J.—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet, or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development, or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 15, 1915, as amended, relating to improvement

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hartranft moved that Assembly Bill No. 735 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 735 re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Assembly Bill No. 996—An act to create a public park district to be known as "the Angeles park district;" to provide for the acquisition, control and management of public parks, playgrounds and parkways within and without said district, and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Weller moved that Assembly Bill No. 996 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 996 re-referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act to amend sections 3959 and 3966 of the Political Code, relating to county boundary lines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1224 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 857—An act appropriating money for the construction of a State armory at Griffith Park, Los Angeles.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 857 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Jost—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith,

including in such repeal an act entitled the same as the title of this act to and including the word "herewith" in this title, which act was approved June 23, 1923.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Duval moved that Assembly Bill No. 602 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 602 re-referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1280 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 915—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation and dissolution of mosquito abatement districts in any part of the State, to facilitate the extermination of mosquitos, flies and other insects; and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein," approved May 29, 1915.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 915 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1187—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2554, relating to the duties of certain employees of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners and their dismissal and eligibility.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1187 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Brock, Browne, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47

NOES—Eksward—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1271 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Brock, Browne, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of household articles and authorizing the use of concealed materials for the same.

Bill read third time

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McPherson moved that Assembly Bill No. 657 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 657 re-referred to Committee on Manufactures.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following concurrent resolutions were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to approving sixteen certain amendments to the charter of the city of Long Beach, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighth day of April, 1925.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mrs. Dorris: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the work of the American Legion.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Foster moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 22, of the amended bill, after the comma following the word "twenty-sixth" insert the following "twenty-ninth,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Foster as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 639, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

FOSTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

RECESS.

At six o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock p.m. the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Merriam in the chair.
Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 26—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in Tamalpais forest fire district,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 166—An act to provide for the eradication of citrus white fly in California by providing for the establishment by proclamation of citrus white fly districts, declaring all host plants of the citrus white fly within such citrus white fly districts to be a public nuisance: providing for the destruction or treatment of such host plants, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and of the county horticultural commissioners in relation to the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton Channel;

Also Assembly Bill No. 747—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Fruit Growers of California, Incorporated, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 874—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and Charles H. Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 18—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith,

Also Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to pay the claim of the California cooperative canneries, incorporated, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 294—An act appropriating money for the erection of buildings for boys requiring special custodial care, for service connections, furnishings and equipment for the same at the Preston School of Industry;

Also Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 515 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the deputy superintendent of public instruction;

Also Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2526*a*, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1188—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act appropriating money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors, and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to the appointment of employees.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend sections 1, 15 and 18 and to add a new section, to be numbered 19, to "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls; to provide for the maintenance and management of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 14, 1913, as amended. Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 295—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1620*a*, relating to the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1013—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Veterans' Welfare Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 580, Statutes 1921, page 969, as amended by chapter 404, Statutes 1923, page 902, approved June 16, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 840—An act to amend section 17 of the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to appointment of sealers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties to make the willful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, Statutes 1921, page 815, as amended by chapter 405, Statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 400—An act to amend section 412, and to repeal section 413 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of said appointees, not otherwise provided for during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 50—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back with recommendation, and that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill 760—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporters, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office by authorizing the appointment of two additional stenographers in such office, and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of such additional stenographers during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Also Senate Bill No. 761—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies, and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 727—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to the creation of a committee for the study of the blind, for the purpose of investigating institutions for the care of the blind in California, to recommend measures for the education and rehabilitation of the blind, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported Senate concurrent resolution ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER, Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 485—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission, and for their compensation and traveling expenses; providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof, to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1105—An act to amend sections 1083, 1094, 1095, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120, 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

LITTLE, Chairman.
SCUDDER.
DUVALL.
CARTER
JOHNSON.
SCOFIELD.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 320—An act to amend subdivision 7 of section 4041, Political Code, in order to empower boards of supervisors to provide more adequate medical, surgical, X-ray, laboratory, nursing and general hospital service for the needy sick—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 599—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere" to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or

for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act." by amending sections Nos. 58, 59, 61, 63, 64 and 73 thereof, relating to operators and chauffeurs licenses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to arson

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Joint Resolution No. 27—Relating to California Indians Court of Claims Bill, U. S. Senate No. 4301.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 27 read, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Senate Bill No. 541—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court,

Also: Senate Bill No. 562—An act to provide for the sale and leasing of certain State lands;

Also: Senate Bill No. 608—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the Commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey; and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey;

Also: Senate Bill No. 805—An act to appropriate money to pay the expenses of certain sewer improvements of benefit to the southern branch of the University of California, situated in the county of Los Angeles,

Also: Senate Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pearl E. Green, against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 541 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 562 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 608 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 805 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 806 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 185—An act to create the State Park Commission; to define its powers and duties; to make an appropriation therefor and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 197—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of the Santa Ynez River, through what is commonly known as the Lompoc Valley, from erosion, by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 232—An act to appropriate money to pay the expense of making the exchange of certain lands as provided by chapter 229, statutes of California, 1923;

Also Senate Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 445 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the Inheritance Tax Department;

Also: Senate Bill No. 367—An act creating a commission for the reform of criminal procedure and appropriating funds therefor;

Also Senate Bill No. 395—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of The First National Bank, of Los Angeles, against the State of California;

Also Senate Bill No. 468—An act making an appropriation for research work as to citrus by-products by the University of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 185 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No. 197 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands

Senate Bill No. 232 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 303 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 367 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 395 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 468 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a guardian for the Marshall monument and grounds; prescribing his duties and appropriating money therefor," approved March 31, 1891, as amended, relating to the salary of said guardian;

Also. Senate Bill No. 5—An act to provide for the cooperation with the United States government in establishing and operating a forest experiment station in the State of California and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 47—An act appropriating money for the installation of a water system at Marshall's monument grounds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 79—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof of the State Armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles;

Also: Senate Bill No. 180—An act to establish an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 4 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Senate Bill No. 5 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 47 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 79 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No 180 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, thence to Laws, thence north over the road recently constructed by Mono County, to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific railroad crosses such state line to be a State highway—and appointed Senators Fellom, Gray, and Maloney, as a Committee on Conference to meet a like Committee from the Assembly.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Campbell, Foster and Burns as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 100.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 471—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c*, 4236*d* 4236*e*, 4236*f* 4236*g* 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k* 4236*l*, 4236*m* 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p* inclusive of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 471?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" following the word thousand and the words "hundred eighty" on line 14 and in lieu thereof insert the words "four hundred eighty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-five"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "seven hundred fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "six hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6 line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the words "seven hundred twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "nine hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 2 following the word annum, and all of lines 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and all of line 8 down to and including the word "therein".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "one", add the word "chief" and strike out the words "who shall be a stenographer" in line 13

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 7, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "three hundred eighty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "and", add the words "who shall perform such".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 471 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—41.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 471 ordered to enrollment.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At eight o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Homer R. Spence, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 1131 of the Political Code, relating to the conduct of elections—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 120?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "have" insert the word "been".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 120 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 120 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 653?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 5, of the last amended bill, after the word "bottles" insert ", and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the last amended bill, strike out the word "and".

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 653 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Denel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartianft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 7, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend sections 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, relating to the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 446?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 8, line 28, of the printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the words "tax collector" and in lieu thereof insert the words "treasurer of the county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" after the word "thirty-one" and in lieu thereof insert the words "and thirty-three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the first word which is "too".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the next to the last word which is "next" and insert in place thereof the word "second".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 446 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartianft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—47

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 446 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 971—An act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of regional or county planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 971?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city planning commissions" and insert in lieu thereof the words "legislative bodies."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "having such planning commissions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "land" insert the words "which is situated within the boundaries of any territory having a regional or county planning commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, after the word "refer" insert the words "a blue print or other copy of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, between the word "the" and the word "map", insert the words "copy of the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the words "unanimous vote" and insert in lieu thereof the words "four-fifths vote of such board".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the word "deposit" and insert in lieu thereof the word "file"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the words "county recorder", and insert in lieu thereof the words "clerk of the board of supervisors".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 3, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the word "deposit" and insert in lieu thereof the word "filing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "deposited" and insert in lieu thereof the word "filed".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 971 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, and Mr Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 971 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 948—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the fourteenth class, and fixing their mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put, Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 948?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the amended bill, after the word law, strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following "including the fees which have been and are now allowed said clerk by the United States bureau of naturalization".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 39 of the amended bill, strike out the words "and four" and all of lines 40 and 41, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and three deputies at a salary of one thousand three hundred twenty dollars each per annum.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 34, of the amended bill, after the comma, after the word attorney, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the amended bill, strike out all of line 52.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 6, inclusive

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 948 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—48

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 948 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 489?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "that" insert the words "except where otherwise specially provided".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 489 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 489 ordered to enrollment.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At nine o'clock and two minutes p.m., Honorable Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 39 and 55 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 615 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosen-

shine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 239—An act to amend an act known as the "Water Commission Act" and entitled "An act to regulate the use of water which is subject to such control by the State of California, and in that behalf creating a State Water Commission; specifying and providing for the appointment of the members of said commission; fixing the terms of office and compensation of the members of said commission; fixing the powers, duties and authority of said commission and its members; providing for the filling of vacancies in the membership of said commission; providing for the removal from office of the appointed members of said commission; providing for the cooperation of courts with said commission; providing that certain courts shall take judicial notice of certain acts of the State Water Commission, specifying the duties of all persons summoned as witnesses before said commission or any of its members; appropriating money for carrying out the provisions of this act; providing for the payment of the indebtedness and expenses of said commission, its members and employees; declaring what water is unappropriated, providing for the utilization of water and the works necessary to such utilization to the full capacity of streams or of such portion or portions of such capacity as the public good may require; declaring what water may be appropriated; declaring that the nonapplication for ten consecutive years of any portion of the waters of any stream to lands riparian to such stream shall be conclusive presumption that the use of such nonapplied water is not needed on said riparian lands for a useful or beneficial purpose; declaring that such nonapplied water shall be deemed to be in the use of the State and subject to appropriation; declaring the duties of those who desire to appropriate water; declaring the periods for which water may be appropriated and the conditions under which water may be appropriated; providing for the payment of fees and charges by the applicants for permission to appropriate water and by the appropriators of water; providing for the ascertainment and adjudication of water rights; providing for the bringing of actions by certain persons, or, upon the direction of the State Water Commission, by the Attorney General, for the quieting of title to water rights; specifying certain duties of the claimants, possessors or users of water or water rights; declaring water rights forfeited under certain conditions; regulating the appropriation of water; excepting cities, cities and counties, municipal water districts, irrigation districts and lighting districts from certain provisions of this act; defining certain words and terms used in this act; repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act; declaring how this act shall be known; making legislative declaration concerning those parts of this act which may not be declared unconstitutional," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by amending sections 7, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 39 thereof and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10*a*, relating to water investigations, records of diversion and use, and distribution of water.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 239 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47

NOES—Carter—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 386—An act to amend section 6, 11 and 16 of an act entitled "An act to promote the drainage of wet, swamp and overflowed lands and to promote the public health in the communities in which they lie; providing for the issuance of bonds and levying of assessments on lands benefited, to pay the costs and expenses thereof," approved May 18, 1919, as amended and to add to said act a section relating to reassessments, to be numbered 24*b*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 386 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 334—An act to amend section 17*b* of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the filing of reports of the probation committee.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 334 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 682—An act to regulate the sanitation and maintenance of auto camps, to provide for the licensing, inspection and supervision of the same, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 682 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell McPherson, Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine Rumner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, and Wright, T M.—44

NOES—Anderson, R J, Bernard, Carter, Mueller, Murphy, Smith, and Mr Speaker—7

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, entitled sections 216*b* and 216*c*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor, medicine, cakes, pies, confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol, and prescribing the penalty.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Murphy moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 1 of the title, strike out the words "two new sections" and in lieu thereof insert the following "a new section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, at the end of line 1 and the beginning of line 2 of the title, strike out the word "sections" and in lieu thereof insert the following: "section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 2 of the title, strike out the words "and two hundred sixteen c"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, commencing with the second word "Section" in line 1, strike out all down to and including the word "amended" in line 2, and, in lieu thereof, insert the following: "A new section is hereby added to the Penal Code, to be numbered and designated as section two hundred sixteen *b* thereof.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 12 to 23, both inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Murphy as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 987, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

MURPHY, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 801—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E C. Harter, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 801 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker —52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend sections 1610 and 1696 of the Political Code, relating to public schools;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not accurately speak, read or write the English language, to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and provided penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to certificates and permits to work issued to pupils in full-time day schools;

Also: Senate Bill No. 352—An act to amend section 1734*b* of the Political Code by omitting therefrom the words "not later than August 31, 1921";

Also Senate Bill No. 564—An act to amend section 1543*a* of the Political Code, relating to the payment of interest on unpaid orders or demands against any school district;

Also Senate Bill No. 689—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations,"

approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921, relating to interest on bonds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia Exposition, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in the State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act appropriating money for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1258—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1289—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1013—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Veterans' Welfare Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 580, Statutes 1921, page 969, as amended by chapter 404, Statutes 1923, page 902, approved

June 16, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 642—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 637*a*, relating to poultry, game, and animals used for food purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

DUVAL, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 13—An act making an appropriation for the encouragement of county agricultural fairs and providing for the distribution of the moneys hereby appropriated—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No 125—An act making an appropriation for the erection and construction of a new grandstand at the State agricultural grounds at Sacramento, California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No 20—Relative to the enforcement of the Alien Land Law—has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No 172—An act authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish and maintain a seed inspection service and laboratory in Los Angeles, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

DUVAL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 784—An act to allow unincorporated cities, towns and districts to equip and maintain a fire department—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

MIXTER, Vice Chairman.
JOHNSON.
WEMPLE.
WRIGHT, S. V.
DORRIS.
NIELSEN.
JOST.
NOYES.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, thence to Laws, thence north over the road recently constructed by Mono County, to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific railroad crosses such state line to be a State highway—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Fellom, Gray, and Maloney, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

CAMPBELL.
FOSTER.
BURNS.
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Spence, Easley and Walters as a Committee on Free Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 100.

ADJOURNMENT.

At ten o'clock p.m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Monday, April 13, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, April 13, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—80.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Weller, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF THE ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. Peter J. Kramer, principal, Franklin Union School of Franklin, Sacramento County, and the following pupils were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Helen Kunsting, Ida Frey, Emma Backer, Esther Ehrhardt, Richard Forsch, Lawrence Nicolaus, August Lippert, Martha Rau, Margaret Perry, Martha Burkhart, Otto Kammer, Erna Forsch, Frances Smith, Marie Benhardt, Marie Rau, Toby Kammer, Henry Backer, Carl Mehlhaff, Gideon Kammer, Ronald Mohr, Milon Johnston, Carlisle Kramerer, and Fred Frey.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Saylor, Mrs. Fredrick Athem, Mrs. J. Damon, Mrs. E. Doyle, Mrs. E. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rogers, Mrs. Harpold, Mrs. Bradley Armstrong, Mrs. Andrew H. Irving, Mrs. M. W. McMillan, and Mrs. H. N. Herrick, of Berkeley, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers and agents; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide penalties for the violation thereof, to create the office of Commissioner of Corporations and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1268—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the issuance of writs of attachment;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 272—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 401 relating to the return of files of cases relating to real property and which have been transferred for trial, to the court in which the action was begun.

Also Senate Bill No. 406—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to prohibit the promotion of prosecution of such suits, and to provide a penalty for a violation of this act;

Also Senate Bill No 369—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 802—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 640*a*, for the prevention of the fraudulent operation of slot machines or coin receptacles, or making or furnishing devices to defraud owners of the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,

Also Senate Bill No. 804—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be known as section 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California,

Also Senate Bill No 379—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code, to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code, to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods, to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor, to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures, to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 517—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish, to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State fish exchange, to license those engaged in marketing fish, to create a State fish exchange fund and a revolving fund, to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industry and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to validate municipal bonds, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 669—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section, to be numbered 752*c*.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1055—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1132—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to

prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 26—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in Tamalpais Forest fire district.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "California" appearing in lines 8 and 9 of the printed bill, add the following "The state board of forestry with the approval of the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "control" and insert in lieu thereof the following "forestry".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 166—An act to provide for the eradication of citrus white fly in California by providing for the establishment by proclamation of citrus white fly districts, declaring all host plants of the citrus white fly within such citrus white fly districts to be a public nuisance; providing for the destruction or treatment of such host plants, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and of the county horticultural commissioners in relation to the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the third and fourth lines of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "all host plants of the citrus white fly" and insert in lieu thereof the words "certain plants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "known to be infested with the citrus white fly," and insert in lieu thereof the words "where citrus white fly is known to exist"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "fly" insert the following: "or eggs, larvae or pupae thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "flies", insert the following: "or eggs, larvae or pupae thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "affect" insert the words "the validity of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "of", insert the following: "one hundred"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton Channel.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. The sum of four hundred nineteen thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of acquiring rights of way and providing necessary land upon which to construct levees in order to improve the navigability of the San Joaquin river by widening and deepening the same to a depth of twenty-six feet from Suisun bay to the junction of the Stockton channel and the San Joaquin river, *provided, however*, that before any expenditure shall be made from said appropriation the city of Stockton shall first have voted bonds in the sum of three million dollars for said improvement and shall have made an expenditure for said improvement in a sum not less than four hundred nineteen thousand dollars. All moneys herein appropriated shall be expended in accordance with law, in carrying out the provisions of this act."

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 747—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Fruit Growers of California, Incorporated, against the State of California

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Commencing with line 3 of the printed bill, insert the words and figures "two hundred sixty-eight dollars ($268.00)."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 874—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and Charles H. Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 7 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "county" and add the following: "and making an appropriation therefor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following: "The sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended by the state reclamation board in the construction of a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee

of the Sutter by-pass, connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and Charles H Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento river in Sutter county

SEC 2. The state reclamation board, in its discretion, is hereby authorized and directed to construct a bridge or fill as herein provided, such construction to be under the supervision and direction of the officers or employees of said board in charge of construction work"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "for" strike out the words "townsite and".

Amendment adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 18—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to pay the claim of the California Cooperative Canneries, Incorporated, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 294—An act appropriating money for the erection of buildings for boys requiring special custodial care, for service connections, furnishings and equipment for the same at the Preston School of Industry.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 532—An act to amend section 515 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2526*a*, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading

Assembly Bill No 1188—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act appropriating money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors, and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to the appointment of employees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend sections 1, 15 and 18 and to add a new section, to be numbered nineteen, to "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls; to provide for the maintenance and management of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 14, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 295—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1620*a*, relating to the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 840—An act to amend section 17 of the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to appointment of sealers.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following "seventeen of the "weights and meas-", and strike out lines 2 and 3 of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following "nineteen *a* four of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants in counties of the fourth class".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", add the following: "Section nineteen *a* four of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

19*a*4. In counties of the fourth class there shall be one probation officer whose salary shall be three thousand dollars per annum; one assistant probation officer whose salary shall be two hundred dollars per month, four assistant probation officers at a salary of one hundred fifty dollars per month each, and one assistant probation officer, who shall also be a competent stenographer, at a salary of one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, and one clerk at a salary of one hundred dollars per month."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1105—An act to amend sections 1083, 1094, 1095, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120, 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, after the words "eighty-three" strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*a*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, after the words "ninety-five", strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*a*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-six" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "thirty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 9, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 9, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the words "statewide elections, including primary elections," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "general election."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 10, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "thereon" insert the following: "When the county clerk or registrar of voters cancels the registration of *any person for failure to vote as herein provided, he shall mail a notice to said* person at the address given on said registration or at the address given upon the last application for transfer which shall have been submitted by said person as provided by section one thousand ninety-seven of the Political Code, stating that said registration has been by him cancelled for said cause, and that the voter will be required to re-register as provided by law before he shall again be entitled to vote."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 10, lines 42 and 43, of the printed bill, strike out the words "except as provided in the second paragraph of this section" and insert in lieu thereof the following: ", provided his said registration shall not have theretofore been cancelled as provided by section one thousand one hundred six."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1162—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, beginning with line 3, strike out all the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

"1858 The superintendent of public instruction shall apportion state school moneys, and the superintendent of schools of each county or city and county shall apportion state and county school moneys as follows

First—State elementary school funds and county elementary school funds respectively, shall be apportioned on the basis of seven hundred dollars from each, for every teacher unit determined as herein provided After the apportionment of state elementary school funds to the respective counties on the basis of teacher units and after the apportionment of the special sums provided in subdivision eighth of this section, the remainder of such funds shall be apportioned to the counties in proportion to the average daily attendance in the elementary schools of each county during the preceding school year After the apportionment of state elementary school funds and county elementary school funds within each county on the basis of teacher units and after the apportionment of the special funds provided in subdivision eighth of this section, the remainder of each such fund shall be apportioned to the districts within the county in proportion to the average daily attendance in the elementary schools of each district during the preceding school year

Second—One teacher unit shall be credited to each school district for the first thirty-five or less number of pupils in average daily attendance and one additional teacher unit for each additional thirty-five pupils or fraction of thirty-five pupils

in average daily attendance, and one additional teacher unit for each three hundred pupils in average daily attendance, in the elementary schools of the district as shown by the annual school report of the district for the next preceding school year.

Third—In each school district where a separate class is established for the instruction of the deaf, or the blind, or the crippled, as provided in section one thousand six hundred eighteen of this code, an additional teacher unit shall be credited to such district for each nine deaf, or blind or crippled children, or fraction of such number not less than five actually attending such class as shown by the school report of the school district for the next preceding school year.

Fourth—One teacher unit shall be credited to the county, or city and county at large for each five hundred pupils or a major fraction thereof in average daily attendance in the aggregate in those school districts of the county or city and county in each of which there were less than three hundred pupils in average daily attendance as shown by the annual school report of the county or city and county for the next preceding school year.

Fifth—One teacher unit shall be credited to any newly organized district where school was not maintained during the school year in which it was organized.

Sixth—If in any school year any existing school district shall be suspended by the board of supervisors upon the recommendation of the county superintendent of schools, one teacher unit shall be credited to such district for the year in which such district was suspended.

Seventh—The county superintendent of schools shall ascertain the total number of teacher units for his county or city and county by adding together the number of teacher units, computed as provided in the preceding subdivisions of this section. He must make an annual report of the schools of his county or city and county, under oath, to the superintendent of public instruction not later than August first of each year and must therein report the number of teacher units ascertained or allowed to his county or city and county as herein provided.

Eighth—There shall be apportioned to each school district maintaining special classes as provided for in paragraph three of section one thousand six hundred eighteen of this code an amount equal to the excess of the current operating cost per pupil in average daily attendance in such classes during the preceding school year over and above the cost per pupil in average daily attendance in all the elementary schools of said district during such year: *provided*, that such apportionment shall not be more than one hundred dollars from the state funds and one hundred dollars from the county funds for each unit of attendance upon such special classes for crippled children.

Ninth—The amount apportioned to each district shall be credited to the funds of such district, the amount apportioned on the basis of teacher units credited to each county or city and county on the aggregate average daily attendance of pupils in those districts each of which had less than three hundred pupils in average daily attendance for the next preceding school year shall constitute an emergency and supervision fund under the control of the superintendent of schools of the county or city and county and shall be used by him as provided by law.

Tenth—A minimum full day's attendance on the regular full-time elementary day school as hereby established is, for a pupil of the first, second, or third grade, two hundred minutes, and for a pupil of the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh or eighth grade, two hundred forty minutes, of actual attendance for any given day upon school sessions exclusive of intermissions. When a pupil is absent from the first, second, or third grade of a regular full-time day school, for any day, session, or part of a session, five per cent of a day's absence must be recorded for each full ten-minute period of absence; and when a pupil is absent from any other grade of said elementary school for any day, session or part of a session, five per cent of a day's absence must be recorded for each full twelve-minute period of absence: *provided, however*, that such record may not for any one day exceed one hundred per cent. The actual attendance of a pupil upon a regular full-time day school for any given length of time shall be the number of days school was actually taught during such time less the sum of his absences. Attendance upon evening schools and special day and special evening classes of day schools of elementary and secondary grade shall be kept according to regulations prescribed by the state board of education. A full day's attendance upon such schools or classes shall be four sixty-minute hours. Units of average daily attendance in elementary schools shall be construed to be the quotient arising from dividing the total number of days of pupils' attendance in the regular full-time day and evening elementary schools including the special day and evening classes of the elementary schools of the district for the school year by the number of days school was actually taught in the regular elementary day schools of the district during said year; and units of average daily attendance in secondary schools shall be construed to be the quotient arising from dividing the total number of days of pupils' attendance in the regular full-time secondary schools, the evening secondary schools, the special day and evening classes of secondary schools, and the part-time vocational courses of the district for the school year by the number of days school was actually taught in the regular secondary day schools of the district during said year: *provided*, that where a high school maintains during the school year four terms of school of at least twelve weeks each, and where the course of instruction

is so arranged that students may complete a full year's work in any three of these terms, the total number of days of pupils' attendance, as specified above, shall be divided by the greatest number of days school was actually taught in any three of the four terms but in no case shall said divisor be less than one hundred seventy-five; *provided further* that in making up the aggregate attendance, if the number of days of attendance of any pupil for the fiscal year exceeds the above-mentioned divisor, the number of days which may be included on account of such pupils' attendance shall equal said divisor

Eleventh—Subject to the provisions of this code, the state board of education shall adopt uniform regulations governing the keeping of attendance in all secondary schools. In adopting regulations governing the keeping of the attendance of pupils upon the part-time vocational courses provided for in section one thousand seven hundred fifty-e of this code, the state board may, in its discretion, provide that the time spent by a pupil in practical vocational work shall be counted in making up each six-hour minimum daily unit of attendance.

Twelfth—Where a school in a district maintaining more than one school is closed for a part of the term by order of a city or county board of health or of the state board of health, on account of contagious disease, or where such school has been closed on account of fire, flood or other public disaster, the average daily attendance of said school shall be estimated separately and added to the average daily attendance of the other schools of the district. The units of average daily attendance of said school shall be determined by dividing the total number of days of pupils' attendance upon such school including the special day and evening classes and the part-time vocational courses by the number of full-day sessions actually maintained in such school during the year, *provided*, that where such number is less than one hundred twenty days the divisor shall be one hundred twenty.

Thirteenth—Whenever in any school year, prior to the receipt by the school districts of any county, or city and county of this state of their state, county, or city and county, or special or high school fund, the school districts of that county, or city and county shall not have sufficient money to their credit to pay the lawful demands against them the county or city and county superintendent shall give the treasurer of said county or city and county, an estimate of the amount of school money that will next be paid into the county or city and county treasury, stating the amount to be appropriated to each district. Upon the receipt of such estimate it shall be the duty of the treasurer of said county, or city and county, to transfer from any fund not immediately needed to pay the claims against it, to the proper school fund an amount not to exceed ninety per cent of the amount estimated by the superintendent, and he shall immediately notify the superintendent of the amount so transferred. The funds so transferred to the school fund shall be retransferred by the treasurer to the fund from which they were taken, from the first money paid into the school fund after the transfer."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend sections 1610 and 1696 of the Political Code, relating to public schools

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 21, 25, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921, relating to interest on bonds.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1013—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Veterans' Welfare Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 580, Statutes 1921, page 969, as amended by chapter 404, Statutes 1923, page 902, approved June 16, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "entitled" strike out all of the remainder of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following "An act to provide for the burial of ex-union soldiers, sailors and marines dying without leaving sufficient means to defray burial expenses," approved March 15, 1889, as amended, *by adding a new section thereto.*

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "act" strike out all of the remainder of said bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: entitled "An act to provide for the burial of ex-union soldiers, sailors and marines dying without leaving sufficient means to defray burial expenses" approved March 15, 1889, as amended, *is hereby amended by adding a new section thereto, to be numbered* six *and to read* as follows:

Sec. 6. When it is found that, notwithstanding the provisions of section one of this act relative to place of burial, the body of any deceased person which the county is authorized by this act to bury, has in fact been so buried by the county prior to January 1, 1925, in a cemetery or burial ground or portion thereof used exclusively for the burial of the pauper dead, the board of supervisors shall cause such body *to be removed and re-interred in a manner which will comply with the provisions* of said section one.

When it is found that the body of any deceased person which the county is authorized by this act to bury, has been so buried by the county prior to January 1, 1925, in such a location that it is impossible or impracticable to provide suitable and proper maintenance for the grave as required by section four of this act, the board of supervisors may cause such body to be removed and re-interred in some other grave in the same cemetery or burial ground which can be *maintained* as required by said section four, and shall thereafter so maintain such grave.

If the board of supervisors determines so to reinter more than one of such bodies in one lot or plot they may in their discretion provide also for future burials by purchasing such lot or plot of sufficient size to accommodate a number of bodies, not more than fifty per cent in excess of the number to be removed thereto from prior burials. The pro rata cost of each grave so provided for future use shall be deemed a part of the expense of the future burial therein, which shall not exceed the amount stated in section one of this act.

The cost of each such reinterment shall not exceed the sum of one hundred dollars.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia Exposition, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "Philadelphia", (being the first word in said line) insert the following "sesqui-centennial international".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "Philadelphia" insert the following: "*sesqui-centennial international*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "Philadelphia" insert the following "sesqui-centennial international"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "Philadelphia" insert the following "sesqui-centennial international"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act appropriating money for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "annually not later than the fifteenth day of January of each year and to fix the price" and insert in lieu thereof the following "during the month of January of each year, and from time

to time thereafter to fix the price, subject to the approval of the state board of control."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the words "prison labor" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the labor of prisoners and guards".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out all of Sec. 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "3" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "prior to the fifteenth day of June of each year".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "4" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "6" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 637*g*, relating to poultry, game, and animals used for food purposes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill, strike out all of the second and third lines and insert in lieu thereof as follows: "five hundred thirty-six *c*, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 2 of the printed bill, strike out the following: "six hundred thirty-seven *g*" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five hundred thirty-six *c*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 4 of the printed bill, commencing with and including that line, strike out all of the balance of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

"536*c*. It shall be the duty of every commission merchant, broker, dealer, factor or consignee to whom any kind of farm products are consigned for sale to deposit and maintain the moneys received for such farm products in a separate and distinct fund so designated as to indicate its source or origin, and any commission merchant, broker, dealer, factor or consignee, or any officer or agent of such commission merchant, broker, dealer, factor or consignee, who shall intermingle funds received by him for farm products entrusted or consigned to him for sale with any other fund or funds owned or controlled by him, or who shall permit the same to be intermingled, or who shall withdraw any moneys from said fund except in the performance of his trust, is guilty of embezzlement."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 778—An act to repeal section 13 of "the State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity licenses.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 26, 1925, strike out the word "repeal" and insert in lieu thereof the word "amend".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended March 26, 1925, strike out the word "repealed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, as amended March 26, 1925, strike out the semicolon and all of lines 3 to 6, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to read as follows

Sec 13. Said board may also issue a certificate to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted recognized by this act or any preceding practice act in the State of California to any applicant, without any examination, authorizing the holder thereof to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted in the State of California, upon payment of a registration fee of one hundred dollars, upon the following terms and conditions and upon satisfactory proof thereof, viz The applicant shall produce a certificate entitling him to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted, as provided in this act or any preceding practice act of the State of California, issued either by the medical examining board, or by any other board or officer authorized by the law to issue a certificate entitling such applicant to practice a system or mode for treating the sick or afflicted either in the District of Columbia or in any state or territory of the United States, or if such certificate shall have been lost, then a copy thereof, with proof satisfactory to the board of medical examiners of the State of California that the copy is a correct copy Said certificate must have been issued to such applicant within a period of ten years immediately preceding the filing of the application herein at the office of the board in the city of Sacramento, State of California, and the requirements from the college from which such applicant may have graduated, and the requirements of the board which was legally authorized to issue such certificate permitting such applicant to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted shall not have been at the time such certificate was issued, in any degree or particular less than those which were required for the issuance of a similar certificate to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted in the State of California at the date of the issuance of such certificate, or which may hereafter be required by law and which may be in force at the date of the issuance of any such certificate, *and provided, further*, that said applicant shall furnish from the board which issued said certificate, evidence satisfactory to the board of medical examiners of the State of California showing what the requirements were of the college and of the board, issuing such certificate at the date of such issuance If, after an examination of such certificate, and the production on the part of the applicant of such further reasonable evidence of the said requirements as may be deemed necessary by the board of medical examiners of the State of California and any other or further examination or investigation which said board may see fit to make on its own part, it shall be found that the requirements of the board issuing such certificate were, when said certificate was issued, in any degree or particular less than the requirements provided by the law of the State of California at the date of the issuance of such certificate or that the applicant has not been a resident of the state from which the application is based for a period of one year subsequent to the issuance of such certificate he will not be entitled to practice within the State of California without an examination An oral examination shall not be deemed to be of equal merit with a written examination and no certificate shall be issued in the case where a written examination was given in California and an applicant was given an oral examination in another state at the same time. The board is hereby authorized to enter into a contract or contracts of reciprocity with other states wherein the standard of such states is not in any degree or particular less than were the requirements in the State of California in the same year, for the issuance of a certificate to practice a system or mode of treating the sick or afflicted, such certificate to be similar in scope of practice as the certificate issued in the other state, *provided, however*, that the board may, in its discretion, accept an application based on a written examination and certificate issued by an extra state board of medical examiners, within ten years of application to the board of medical examiners of California, if it is made to appear, and the board shall so find, that such extra state board maintained and required a standard in no particular or degree less than that required for a similar examination and certificate in the State of California on the date of such examination and certificate Each such application hereunder shall be verified and shall contain a statement showing: (*a*) the full name of the applicant, (*b*) all institutions at which he has studied and the period of such study, and all institutions from which he has graduated, (*c*) a statement of whatever certificate or certificates to practice medicine and surgery may have been issued to him, together with the date of such certificate and a description of the same, and, if required by the board, the certificates themselves, or satisfactory proof of their issuance, (*d*) a statement of all places in which said applicant has practiced medicine and surgery, (*e*) such other general information as to his past practice, as may be required by the said

board. The said board shall make such independent investigation of the character, ability and standing of the applicant as it may deem proper and necessary

If it is determined that such applicant is so qualified to practice medicine and surgery within the State of California, and that his reputation and standing in the community in which he has previously practiced is good, the said applicant shall be entitled to receive a "physician and surgeon certificate." Each applicant on making such application shall pay to the secretary of the board, a fee of one hundred dollars, which shall be paid to the treasurer of the board, of which sum ninety dollars shall be returned to him should he not receive a certificate hereunder All certificates issued pursuant to this section shall be marked across the face thereof "reciprocity certificate" Any person granted a "reciprocity certificate" to practice any system or mode for treating the sick or afflicted recognized by this or any preceding medical practice act in this State, such certificates not being of equal scope with the certificates known and designated as the "physician and surgeon certificate," will not be eligible for the "physician and surgeon certificate" as designated in this act without a full and complete compliance with the terms and provisions of sections nine, ten, and eleven hereof, *provided*, that this act shall not be construed as affecting or limiting the powers or duties of the "board of osteopathic examiners of the State of California" under the "osteopathic act" approved November 7, 1922"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 221—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 184—An act to amend sections 7, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon." (Approved May 23, 1921.)

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 320—An act to amend subdivision 7 of section 4041, Political Code, in order to empower boards of supervisors to provide more adequate medical, surgical, X-ray, laboratory, nursing and general hospital service for the needy sick.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the first five lines of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to amend section four thousand forty-one of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO."

Beginning with line 1 on page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 25 on page 3, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. Section four thousand forty-one of the Political Code be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows.

4041 The boards of supervisors, in their respective counties shall have jurisdiction and power, under such limitations and restrictions as are prescribed by law

1. To supervise the official conduct of all county officers, and officers of all districts and other subdivisions of the county and particularly those charged with the assessing, collecting, safekeeping, management, or disbursement of the public revenues; to see that they faithfully perform their duties, direct prosecutions for delinquencies, and, when necessary, require them to renew their official bond, make reports and present their books and accounts for inspection

2. To divide the counties into townships, election, school, road, supervisor, sanitary, and other districts required by law, change the same, and create others, as convenience requires.

3 To establish, abolish, and change election precincts, and to appoint inspectors, clerks, and judges of election, canvass all election returns, declare the result and order the county

clerk to issue certificates thereof, *provided*, that no election precinct shall be established or abolished, or the boundaries of any election precinct changes within ninety days prior to any election.

4 To acquire and take by purchase, condemnation or otherwise land for the uses and purposes of public roads, highways boulevards, turnpikes and other public ways, and to lay out, maintain, control, construct, repair, and manage public roads, boulevards, highways, turnpikes and other public ways, and to incur a bonded indebtedness for any such purposes, *provided*, that no such indebtedness shall be incurred for any of such purposes until after the question of the issue of bonds therefor shall have been submitted to the qualified electors of the county, at a special election called for that purpose, and two-thirds of the electors of the county voting at such election shall have voted in favor of issuing such bonds, said election to be called and held and said bonds, if authorized, to be issued, sold and made payable in the manner and form prescribed by section four thousand eighty-eight of this code Said board shall also have power to make and enforce rules and regulations for the protection management, control and use of such public boulevards, roads, highways, turnpikes and other public ways Such boards shall also have power to expend from the general fund of the county such moneys as may be necessary to pay the whole or any part of the cost of the improvement of that portion of any street, highway, lane, alley, court, or other public place within any incorporated city of the county, upon which abuts any real property of the county used for public purposes, not exceeding the amount, however, which, but for such public ownership and use, would be properly chargeable to and assessed against such real property under the provisions of the law governing such work or improvement, *provided*, no liability shall be created against the county in connection with any such work or improvement unless, prior to the commencement thereof, or to the letting of any contract therefor, the board shall, by resolution, determine and declare the amount to be so expended and direct that such sum be set apart and reserved out of any moneys in the general fund available for such purpose, to be used exclusively for paying the cost of such work or improvement

4*a* To construct, operate, manage or maintain summer bridges or ferries under such rules and regulations and at such times and places as they may deem necessary, such bridges or ferries to be paid for out of the county general fund

5 To lay out, maintain, control, construct, repair and manage public ferries, wharves, chutes, and other shipping facilities and bridges within the county, unless otherwise provided by law, and to grant franchises and licenses to collect tolls thereon

6 To purchase, receive by donation, lease or otherwise acquire water rights or real or personal property necessary for the use of the county, for a court house, jail, hospital, historical museum, art gallery, art institute, stadium and almshouse, and an exposition building or buildings, public pleasure ground, public parks, and other public purposes, and also property upon which to sink wells to obtain water for sprinkling roads and other county purposes, and to improve, preserve, take care of, manage and control the same, *provided*, that no purchase of real property shall be made unless a notice of the intention of the board of supervisors to make such purchase, describing the property to be purchased, the price to be paid therefor, from whom it is proposed to be purchased, and fixing the time when the board will meet to consummate such purchase, has been published for at least three weeks in some newspaper of general circulation published in the county, or if none be published in the county, then that has been posted at least three weeks prior to the time when the board meets to consummate such purchase, in at least three public places in each supervisorial district

7 To construct or lease, build or rebuild, furnish or refurnish or repair hospital and almshouses, courthouse, jail, historical museum, county free library building, branch library building, art gallery, art institute, exposition building or buildings for exhibiting and advertising farming, mining, manufacturing, live stock raising, and other resources of the county, stadium and such other public buildings as may be necessary to carry out the work of the county government, and to provide all necessary officers, employees, attendants, and supplies for the proper maintenance of the same, *provided*, that a suitable graduate or graduates in medicine shall be appointed to attend to the indigent sick or dependent poor, or to the patients in such hospitals and almshouses provided with respect to county free libraries that are now or may be hereafter maintained either under the provisions of this section or under the provisions of an act of the legislature of the State of California entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and the maintenance of county free libraries," approved February 16, 1911, the provisions of said act shall control except as to section twelve thereof and said libraries shall be maintained under either the provisions of this section or said section twelve at the option of the board of supervisors, *provided, further*, that the board shall be authorized and empowered to secure by agreement for the needy sick and dependent and partially dependent citizens in cases of emergency and generally, hospital care including medical, surgical, X-ray, laboratory, nursing and general hospital service at cost from persons, firms and corporations then and there maintaining and operating hospitals in the county or city and county Such hospitals shall be only those whose organization and management show that they are qualified to render and are actually rendering services to the sick, economically and efficiently and the books for the operation and conduct of which reflect accurately in monthly statements the per diem cost of medical, surgical, X-ray, laboratory, nursing and general hospital service to patients Whenever the cost of construction of any bridge, wharf, chute, or other shipping facilities, or of any hospital, almshouse, courthouse, jail, historical museum, county free library building, branch library building, art gallery, art institute, exposition building or buildings, stadium or other public buildings, or the cost of any repairs thereto or furnishing thereof shall exceed the sum of

five hundred dollars, such work shall be done by contract, and any contract therefor shall be void unless the same be let as hereinafter provided

The board of supervisors shall adopt plans and specifications, strain-sheets and working details therefor, and must advertise for bids for the performance of the said work in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county for at least twenty days In case there is no newspaper published in said county, then such notice shall be given by posting in three public places for at least twenty days All bidders shall be afforded opportunity to examine such plans and specifications, strain-sheets and working details, and said board shall award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, and the person, firm or corporation to whom the contract shall be awarded must perform the work in accordance with the said plans and specifications, strain-sheets and working details, unless the same be modified by a unanimous vote of the members of the board of supervisors, and in every such case if the cost of the work be reduced by reason of the modification, compensation must be made to the county therefor, and the person, firm, or corporation, to whom the contract shall be awarded must execute a bond to be approved by the said board for the faithful performance of such contract,

Provided, that for the construction of any bridge, wharf, chute, or other shipping facilities, or any repairs thereto if the board of supervisors shall be advised by the county surveyor or engineer that the work can be done for a sum less than the lowest responsible bid, it shall then be their privilege to reject all bids and to order the work done or structure built by day's work, under the supervision and direction of the said surveyor or engineer,

Provided, that the road commissioners or road overseers in their respective districts shall employ all labor required, and

Provided, further, that in cases of great emergency, caused by flood, fire, earthquake, or act of God, by the unanimous consent of the whole board, they may proceed at once to replace or repair any and all bridges and structures without adopting the plans and specifications, strain-sheets, or working details or giving notice for bids to let contract, the work to be done by day labor under the direction of the board, or by contract, or by a combination of the two, if wholly or in part by contract, the contractor to be paid the actual cost of material and labor expended by him in doing the work, plus fifteen per cent to cover all profits, supervision, use of machinery, and tools, and other expenses,

Provided, that no more than the lowest current market prices shall be paid for material,

Provided, however, that in counties employing a purchasing agent that furnishings, materials and supplies used in the work mentioned in this subdivision costing not more than one thousand dollars, may be purchased by said purchasing agent in accordance with the provisions of subdivision twenty-one of this section without the formality of obtaining bids, letting contracts, preparing specifications, and doing the other things required by this section for purchases costing more than five hundred dollars

8 To provide a farm in connection with the county hospital or almshouse and make regulations for working the same

9 To purchase, acquire, construct, equip and maintain all necessary tanks, reservoirs, pumps, apparatus, motor vehicles and other machinery necessary or proper to facilitate the performance of the work in the county

9a To purchase, lease, construct or otherwise acquire, own, operate, manage and control, in any county in the state, cement manufacturing plant, and to sell the products of the same in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as to them shall be deemed proper; *provided*, that the State of California and municipal or public corporations of the state shall have a preferred right at the same price as the products are offered to private persons to purchase the same, and to purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire real or personal property to be used in connection with such plant, *provided, however*, that no such plant shall be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired, neither shall said works be constructed on real or personal property purchased or acquired until notice of the intention to make such purchase or construct such works shall have been given for a period of thirty days by publication in a newspaper of general circulation published within the county or, if there be none, then by posting a notice for said period in a conspicuous place in three public places in the county, such notice shall contain a description of the property to be purchased or works to be constructed, a statement of the amount of money to be invested, the terms upon which it is to be invested and the time when the proposition will come before the board of supervisors to be acted upon

To sell at public auction, at the court house door or at such other place within the county as the board may, by four-fifths vote, order, after five days' notice, given either by publication in a newspaper published in the county or by posting in three public places in the county, and convey to the highest bidder for cash any property belonging to the county not required for public use, paying the proceeds into the county treasury for the use of the county, *provided*, if in the unanimous judgment of the board, the property does not exceed in value the sum of seventy-five dollars, or if it be the product of the county farm, the same may be sold at private sale without advertising, by any member of the board empowered for that purpose by a majority vote of the board, such sale to be reported to and confirmed by such board of supervisors

11 To examine and audit, at least every twelve months the accounts of all officers having the care, management, collection or disbursement of moneys belonging to the county or money received or disbursed by them under authority of law

12 To examine, settle, and allow all accounts legally chargeable against the county, except salaries of officers, and such demands as are authorized by law to be allowed by some other person or tribunal, and order warrants to be drawn on the county treasurer therefor

13 To levy taxes upon the taxable property of their respective counties for all county purposes, and also upon the taxable property of any district, for the construction and repair of roads and highways and other district purposes, *provided*, that no tax shall be levied upon any district until the proposition to levy the same has been submitted to the qualified electors of such district and received a majority of all the legal votes cast upon such proposition

14 To maintain, regulate and govern public pounds, fix the limits within which animals shall not run at large, and appoint pound-keepers, who shall be paid out of the fines imposed and collected from the owners of impounded animals, and from no other source.

15 To equalize assessments

16 To direct and control the prosecution and defense of all suits to which the county is a party and by a two-thirds vote of all the members, may employ counsel to assist the district attorney in conducting the same

17 To insure the county buildings and other property in the name and for the benefit of the county.

18. To establish a salary fund, and such other county funds as they may deem necessary for the proper transaction of the business of the county, and to transfer moneys from one fund to another, as the public interest may require

19 To fill, by appointment, all vacancies that may occur in any office filled by the appointment of the board of supervisors and elective county or township officers, except in those of judge of the superior court and supervisor, the appointee to hold office for the unexpired term, or until the next general election

20. To employ the copyists necessary to reproduce any of the county records and indices thereto that may have been lost or destroyed by conflagration, public calamity or otherwise, or that may be in danger of destruction by age, obliteration, or constant use in any of the county offices

21 To employ a purchasing agent, whose duty shall be to purchase for the county and the offices thereof all stationery, clothing, bedding, groceries, provisions, drugs, medicines, and all other supplies to purchase machinery, implements, material and all other personal property, material, or supplies, the same to be purchased only upon a proper requisition therefor, also employ for said purchasing agent such assistants as may be necessary for him to properly fulfill his duty, *provided*, that the purchasing agent may engage independent contractors to perform sundry services for the county with or without furnishing material where the aggregate cost does not exceed fifty dollars, such services to be ordered upon proper requisition as herein provided

22 Whenever a board of supervisors shall employ a purchasing agent as herein provided for it shall not be necessary for them to advertise for bids for furnishing county supplies as provided in section four thousand forty-eight of the Political Code, with the exception of advertising

23 To make and enforce such rules and regulations for the government of their body, the preservation of order, and the transaction of business, as may be necessary and the supervisors may attend annual state meetings of the state supervisors association and shall be allowed their actual expenses, in going to, attendance upon and returning from any such state association meetings and their actual and necessary traveling expenses when traveling outside their counties on official business.

24 To adopt a seal for the board, a description and impression of which must be filed in the office of the county clerk and of the secretary of state.

25 To license, in the exercise of their police powers, and for the purpose of regulation, as herein provided, and not otherwise, all and every kind of business not prohibited by law, and transacted and carried on within the limits of their respective jurisdictions, and all shows, exhibitions, and lawful games carried on therein, to fix the rate of license tax upon the same, and to provide for the collection of the same by suit or otherwise, *provided*, that every soldier, sailor or marine of the United States who has received an honorable discharge or a release from active duty under honorable conditions from such service and who is unable to obtain a livelihood by manual labor, shall have the right to hawk, peddle and vend any goods, wares or merchandise, except spirituous, malt, vinous or other intoxicating liquor, without payment of any license, tax or fee whatsoever, whether municipal, county or state, and the board of supervisors or legislative body shall issue to such soldier, sailor or marine without cost, a license therefor, *provided, however*, no license can be collected, or any penalty for the nonpayment thereof enforced against any commercial traveler whose business is limited to the goods, wares and merchandise sold or dealt in in this state at wholesale

26 To provide for the destruction of gophers, squirrels, other wild animals, noxious weeds, and insects injurious to fruit or fruit trees, or vines, or vegetable or plant life

27. To provide for the prevention of injuries to sheep by dogs, and to tax dogs and direct the application of the tax

28 To provide, by ordinances, not in conflict with the general laws of the state, for the protection of fish and game, and may shorten the season for taking or killing of fish and game, within the dates fixed by the general state laws, but shall not lengthen the same

29 To provide for the working of prisoners confined in the county jail, under judgment of conviction of misdemeanors, under the direction of some responsible person, to be appointed by the sheriff whose compensation shall not exceed one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, upon the public grounds, roads, streets, alleys, highways, or public buildings, or in such other places as may be deemed advisable, for the benefit of the county

29*a* To provide for the care and maintenance of the indigent sick or dependent poor of the county, and for such purpose to levy the necessary property or poll taxes, or both.

30. To provide for the burying or cremation of the indigent dead.

31. To make and enforce, within the limits of their county, all such local police, sanitary and other regulations as are not in conflict with general laws

32. To adopt such rules and regulations, within their respective counties, with regard to keeping and storing of every description of gunpowder, hercules powder, giant powder or other explosives or combustible material, as the safety and protection of the lives and property of individuals may require

33 To levy a special tax not to exceed two cents on the one hundred dollar of the assessed valuation of all property within the county to be used for advertising, exploiting and making known the resources of the county for the purpose of inducing immigration to, and increasing the trade and commerce of, said county, or for the purpose of exhibiting or advertising the agricultural, mineral, or other resources of the county, *and provided, however*, that if said rate of two cents will not raise five thousand dollars in any one year the boards of supervisors may appropriate from the general fund of the county an amount sufficient to make up the deficiency existing between the amount raised as the result of the two cent levy and five thousand dollars, *and provided, further*, that such tax shall be in addition to any tax which may now or hereafter be authorized to be levied for the purpose of creating a fund to be used for collecting, preparing and maintaining an exhibition in any domestic or foreign exposition, *and provided, further*, that nothing herein contained shall prevent any county from creating a bonded indebtedness under the provisions of section four thousand eighty-eight of the Political Code of California for the purpose of obtaining funds with which to build, construct or furnish an exposition building or buildings for exhibiting and advertising its resources

33*a* To levy a special tax not to exceed five cents on the one hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of all property within the county, to be used for the erection of public comfort stations

34 To enforce, by ordinance, within the limits of their counties all such regulation concerning the size of wagons and vehicles of all kinds to be used on the roads or highways, and the width of tires on the same, as are not in conflict with general laws

35 To grant licenses and franchises for the construction, keeping and taking tolls on roads, bridges, ferries, wharves, chutes, booms and piers, and to grant franchises along and over the public roads and highways for all lawful purposes, upon such terms and conditions and restrictions as in their judgment may be necessary and proper, and in such manner as to prevent the least possible obstruction and inconvenience to the traveling public

36 To grant, on such terms, conditions and restrictions as in their judgment may be necessary and proper, licenses and franchises for taking tolls on public roads or highways, whenever in their judgment the expense necessary to operate or maintain such public roads or highways as free public highways is too great to justify the county in so operating or maintaining them It shall always be a condition attached to the granting of such licenses and franchises, that such roads or highways shall be kept in reasonable repair by the person or persons to whom such licenses or franchises may be granted, *provided*, that the provisions of any general law applicable to the granting of franchises by municipal corporations and counties throughout the state shall be complied with in the granting of any franchise by the board of supervisors

37 To enact ordinances and regulations for the construction, alteration, repair and control of all public roads and highways in the county, unless otherwise provided by law.

38 To levy a special road fund tax, not to exceed two (2) mills on the one dollar of assessed valuation, on all the property in such counties outside of any incorporated city or town Such tax shall be in addition to all taxes otherwise provided for, and the fund so created shall be expended for the construction and maintenance of the main public roads or county highways in the several road districts, in proportion to the amount collected from such districts; *provided*, that in addition to the tax mentioned in this subdivision the board of supervisors shall have the power and it shall be their duty, upon the petition of a majority of the property owners of any road district, to levy a special road fund tax not to exceed two mills on the one dollar of assessed valuation on all the property in such road district, to be expended in the maintenance of the public roads of such district To levy a special sanitary tax, not to exceed one-half (½) mill on the one dollar of assessed valuation, on all the property in such counties, outside of any incorporated city or town Such tax shall be in addition to all taxes otherwise provided for, and the fund so created shall be used to prevent the introduction of dangerous, infectious or communicable diseases and to eradicate them if introduced, and for the purpose of general sanitation.

39 To encourage, under such regulations as they may adopt, the planting and preservation of shade and ornamental trees on the public roads and highways, and on and about the public grounds and buildings of the county, and pay to persons planting and cultivating the same, for every living tree thus planted, at the age of four years, a sum not exceeding one dollar

39*a* To assume and discharge such municipal functions of the cities and towns within the county as may be authorized by any county charter framed under the provisions of section seven and one-half of article eleven of the constitution of the State of California

40 To provide by ordinance for the organization and government of districts, to protect and preserve the banks of rivers and streams and lands lying contiguous thereto from injury by overflow or the washing thereof, and to provide for the improvement of said rivers and streams, and prevent the obstruction thereof, and to provide for the assessment, levy and collection within such districts of a tax therefor To appropriate a sum not exceeding two cents per one hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of their county in

any one year, in addition to any sum which may be chargeable to the county for the repayment of money expended by the state for protection against fire in such county, for the purpose of protecting forest, brush and grass lands therein, against fire or other injury, and of aiding the state and federal authorities in forestry work.

40*a*. To provide for the sale, at not less than cost, of copies of such maps as may be prepared by the surveyor or engineer for the use of the assessor under the provisions of section four thousand two hundred eighteen of the Political Code of California, as may be deemed desirable by the board of supervisors

40*b* To appropriate and expend money from the general fund of the county for the construction of work, improvements, levees or check-dams to prevent the overflow and flooding of streams and rivers in the county, and to construct such works, improvements, levees or check-dams outside the county for said purposes upon streams or rivers which flow in or through more than one county

40*c* To levy a special tax which shall produce not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars to be used for the purpose of compiling a war history of the county

41 To do and to perform all other acts and things required by law not in this title enumerated, or which may be necessary to the full discharge of the duties of the legislative authority of the county government

42 To plant shade and ornamental trees on the public roads and highways, and on or about the public grounds and buildings of the county and providing for the care of the same. The cost of the planting and caring for such trees to be paid for out of the county general fund

43. To place in the custody and control of the county historical society or the trustees or other directors thereof, any records, landmarks or other property, real or personal of the county, having only historical value. Such trustees and directors shall at all times be appointed by such historical society with the consent and approval of the board of supervisors and shall receive no compensation from such county and such board of supervisors may prescribe whatever suitable or reasonable conditions that they see fit as a condition to the delivering of such property."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 599—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees; fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending sections numbered 58, 59, 61, 63, 64 and 73 thereof, relating to operators and chauffeurs licenses.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "twenty-one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighteen".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not accurately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to certificates and permits to work issued to pupils in full-time day schools.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 352—An act to amend section 1734*b* of the Political Code by omitting therefrom the words "not later than August 31, 1921."

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 564—An act to amend section 1543*a* of the Political Code, relating to the payment of interest on unpaid orders or demands against any school district.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 689—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 784—An act to allow unincorporated cities, towns and districts to equip and maintain a fire department

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 8, line 9 of the amended bill, after the period following the figures "25", strike out the word "Provided" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "This act is and shall be construed to be a re-enactment and a continuation of an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department and to assess and collect taxes from time to time, for such purpose and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended; *provided*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 21, of the amended bill, strike out the following "and one-half"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 21, after the word "one" as it appears the second time in the line, and before the words "per cent", insert the words "and one-half"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 754—An act to amend sections 17, 23, 30, and 32 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, relating to dwellings and areas of courts and window area and height of rooms.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Rosenshine:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses to the regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a professorship of nursing education

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO April 7, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 918—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 918?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 18, of the amended printed bill, strike out every word beginning with and including the word "In" down to and including the word "court" on line 27, and insert in lieu thereof the following "In case of sale on an increased bid made at the time of confirmation to a purchaser not procured by the agent holding the contract, the court shall allow a commission on the full amount for which the sale is confirmed one-half of said commission on the original bid to be paid to the agent whose bid was returned to the court for confirmation and the balance of the commission on the purchase price to the agent, if any, who procured the purchaser to whom the sale is confirmed"

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 918 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A Mitchell, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes Olivа Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, West, Wright, S V, Wright, T. M, and Mr Speaker—51

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No 918 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed; defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof; authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish stations for the inspection and certification of cotton seed, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California; prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture, and prescribing penalties for the violation of this Act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 168?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 13, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "if" strike out all of the remainder of the said line and strike out all of lines 14 to 24, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "All moneys collected under the provisions of this act shall be credited to the cotton seed certification fund, which fund is hereby created, and shall be held subject to the uses of the department of agriculture for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Add a new section to the printed bill, to be numbered 15 and to read as follows:

SEC. 15. If any clause, sentence, paragraph or part of this act shall for any reason, be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered. The legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act irrespective of the fact that any clause, sentence, paragraph, or part thereof be declared unconstitutional.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Add a new section to the printed bill to be numbered 16 and to read as follows:

SEC. 16. All acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 168 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None

Assembly Bill No. 168 ordered to enrollment

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 452?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "his" and insert in lieu thereof the word "this".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2 of the printed bill, following line 49, insert subdivision *l* of subdivision *Third* as follows:

"(*l*) Any standard for the granting of any of the aforementioned credentials, when adopted, shall remain in force for not less than two years."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4 line 36, of the printed bill strike out the word "else"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 452 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 452 ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Eksward moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "annum", strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, following the word "thousand", strike out the words "three hundred eighty," and insert in lieu thereof "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "annum", strike out the semicolon and the balance of the line and all of line seventeen and the words "per annum" on line 18.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 7, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "12", strike out balance of line 5 and all of lines 8, 9, 10 and 11 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The surveyor, three thousand five hundred dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of this class there shall be, and there is hereby allowed to the surveyor, one deputy, whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, and one stenographer whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Eksward as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 66, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

EKSWARD, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 607 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Murray—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 237—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 237 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Jones—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the

House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work, and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 238 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51

NOES—Jones—1

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 802—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Dan Murphy and R. J. Dillon, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 802 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Breck, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 732—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious diseases, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposal of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 732 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A, Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Womple, West, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—53

NOES—Cleveland—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to amend sections 2322, 2322*a*, 2322*b*, 2322*c*, 2322*d*, 2322*e*, 2322*f*, 2322*g*, 2322*h*, 2322*i* and 2322*j* of the Political Code, relating to agriculture

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 417 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson Jost, Louttit, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Womple, Wright, S V Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "thereto", insert the following "or an ordinance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "county", insert the following "operating under a freeholder's charter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "thereof" and insert in lieu thereof, the following "or other officer thereof whose duty it may be to prosecute criminal cases arising from violations of the ordinances thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city prosecutor", and insert in lieu thereof, the following "prosecuting officer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city prosecutor", and insert in lieu thereof, the following "prosecuting officer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city prosecutor", and insert in lieu thereof, the following "prosecuting officer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city prosecutor", and insert in lieu thereof, the following "prosecuting officer".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "city prosecutor", and insert in lieu thereof, the following "prosecuting officer".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1284, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Graves, Mrs. Woodbridge was granted leave of absence for the remainder of the day.

Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1242 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act to amend section 19*x*23 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the twenty-third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1288 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M. and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hawes moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "month", strike out the comma and the words "said deputy" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and "one deputy auditor, for a period of ninety days in any one year at a salary of four dollars per diem, such deputies".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 33 and 34 and insert in lieu thereof the following. "dollars per month, he shall also have during the months of March, April and May of each year one deputy tax collector at a salary of one hundred dollars per month; during the months of October, November and December of each year one deputy tax collector at a salary of one hundred dollars per month, the salaries of said deputies to be paid by said county in equal monthly".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hawes as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1290, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HAWES, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights, levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, southern branch on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1211 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1254—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients at the State hospital at Agnew, California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1254 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 259—An act to increase the number of judges of the superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Santa Barbara, to provide for the appointment of an additional superior court judge and for his compensation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 259 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School or California Farm Institute.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the Bill, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "Farm".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Farm".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Wright, S. V., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 579, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WRIGHT, S. V., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 596 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State Fair Grounds.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1225 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 6 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j*, of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Roland moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 397 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Bernard moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 1263 was refused passage be reconsidered.

The roll was called.

MOTION FOR CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote Mr. Carter moved a call of the House.

The question being on motion for a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Carter, Schmidt, Jacobson, Williamson and Noyes, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Carter for a call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for a call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Spalding, Weller, West, Wilhamson, and Wright, T. M—32.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Louttit, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Spence, and Mr. Speaker—34

The question being on the motion for reconsideration of Assembly Bill No. 1263.

The roll was called, and reconsideration of Assembly Bill No. 1263 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Byrne, Carter, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—37.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Duval, Foster, Graves, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Scofield, Spence, and Mr. Speaker—31.

Assembly Bill No. 1170—An act to amend section 29 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and places within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment

of property therein to pay the expenses of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

Assembly Bill No. 1171—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor: Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

Assembly Bill No. 1203—An act to amend section 44 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and also to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, relating to sales for delinquent taxes of such districts.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Hartranft—1

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 17—Proposed amendment to article IV of the constitution, relative to legislative reapportionment.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 read.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Heisinger, the consideration of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 was made a special order for Wednesday, April 15, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 read.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 716—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No 768—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments to be levied upon the property of the State of California known as the University of California, Southern Branch property, on Heliotrope drive and Willow Brook avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 835—An act to amend sections 1187 and 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens,

Also Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to amend section 637*a* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to appropriate money to be used to augment, develop and improve the water supply and the water system of the Whittier State School;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific highway, to be a State highway.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 431—An act to amend sections 73 and 142 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to superior courts—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this thirteenth day of April, 1925, at nine o'clock and thirty minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 693—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

BROWN, Chairman
WILLIAMSON.
SCHMIDT.
McDONOUGH
HORNBLOWER.
DORRIS
BURNS

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 472—An act to prohibit the employment of aliens by contractors and subcontractors on public work being done under the authority of the State, or any officer or department thereof, or under the authority of any county, city and county, city, or town, or any officer or department thereof, except in cases of extraordinary emergency, caused by fire, flood, or danger to life or property, or except to work upon public military or naval defenses or works in time of war, and except when it can be shown to the satisfaction of the proper constituted authorities that at the time of employment citizens of this State and of the United States were not available for employment, providing that where citizens are unavailable for employment and aliens are employed and citizens later become available, they shall be given the positions held by the noncitizens, and providing penalties for the violation of any of the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

BROWNE, Chairman.
WILLIAMSON.
SCHMIDT
McDONOUGH.
HORNBLOWER.
DORRIS
BURNS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 439—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Blythe in the county of Riverside to a point on the boundary line between the State of California and the State of Arizona, to be selected by the State Highway Commission, and also a connecting highway on the present Mecca to Blythe State highway to a point on the present San Bernardino to Yuma State highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 30—An act appropriating money for the improvement of the State highway between a point near the town of Hume, Fresno County, and the floor of the Kings River Canyon at or near Cedar Grove Hotel in said county—has

had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No 15—An act to provide for the survey and construction of a State highway from Governors Camp in the California Redwood Park, to the coast road at the point where said coast road crosses the divide between Waddell Creek and Scott Creek, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 438—An act declaring the public highway extending from the city of El Centro to the city of Calexico in Imperial County to be a State highway;

Also: Senate Bill No 161—An act to provide that a certain highway in Santa Cruz County shall become a State highway on approval of such highway by the California Highway Commission,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to provide for the treatment and surgical care of deformed, crippled or injured children by the State of California, in its general hospitals and institutions, and providing funds therefor—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 242?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "It", being the first word in said line, and insert in lieu thereof the words "Upon the direction of the commissioner of institutions it"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "having", said word being the last word in line 2, and also strike out the word "made", being the first word in line 3, and insert in lieu thereof the words "to make"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "therefor".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 242 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster Fry, Graves, Hartianft, Heisinger, Jacobsen, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, T. M, and Mr Speaker—52

NOES—None

Assembly Bill No. 242 ordered to enrollment.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33—Proposed amendment to article IV, sections 23 and 23*a* of the constitution, relative to the salaries of the members of the Legislature, the expenses thereof, the appointment of officers, employees or attaches, and their compensation.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 read.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33.

MOTION FOR CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Schmidt moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Schmidt, Hornblower, Lyons, Murray and Browne, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Schmidt for a call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for call of the House carried by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Wemple, West, and Williamson—43.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Murphy, Runner, Spalding, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—18.

Time, two o'clock and forty minutes.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—73.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr. Hornblower moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, after the word "annum" strike out the period and insert the following ", *and provided further*, that in counties of this class there shall be and hereby is allowed to the district attorney, one deputy, to be appointed by him, who shall receive a salary of six hundred dollars per annum, said salary to be paid by said county, in equal installments at the same time and in the same manner as the salary of the district attorney is paid"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dillinger as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 73, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

DILLINGER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to David Starr Jordan.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Wright, T. M., asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 23 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamsen, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 23 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No 23.

Relative to David Starr Jordan.

WHEREAS, The National Education Association, at its meeting in San Francisco in July, 1923, had for its outstanding purpose the finding of some peaceful means of adjusting international differences, and

WHEREAS, In pursuance of this purpose delegates from all nations were invited, representatives from more than twenty nations responding to the invitation and participating in the deliberations of the convention, and

WHEREAS, At this convention there was organized the World Federation of Education Associations, an international non-partizan, non-sectarian, non-racial,

organization, having for its object the abolition of war with all its frightful destruction, and the substitution of reason and justice in the place of force, and

WHEREAS, Through the generosity of Mr. Raphael Herman a prize of $25,000 was offered, under the auspices of the World Federation of Education Associations, for the best plan to accomplish this purpose, and

WHEREAS, From over 6,000 plans submitted the prize was awarded to a Californian, Dr. David Starr Jordan, Chancellor Emeritus of Stanford University, and

WHEREAS, The citizens of Santa Clara County, the home of Dr. Jordan, have arranged to give him a public reception on Tuesday, April 14th, at San Jose, in recognition of his constructive services in the cause of world peace Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly concurring, That we extend felicitations to Dr Jordan on this significant occasion.

We join in honoring Dr. *Jordan—the Man—the California Citizen—the World* Citizen.

As a man he has come to be universally recognized as possessing those qualities of heart and mind that we regard as the ideal of American character.

As a Citizen of California his years of labor in his own chosen profession and in the advancement of the State's welfare, have placed the young men and women of California, and the entire State, under obligations that can never be fully voiced.

As a World Citizen, his broad vision and his humanitarian impulse have induced him to devote years of study to this greatest of international problems—the riddance of this mighty scourge of war, and the eventual achievement of international amity and good-will.

With the citizens of Santa Clara County we unite in their expression of affection, respect and honor for this "Grand Old Man" of California.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded by the Secretary of the Senate to Dr. Jordan and to the committee having in charge the public reception.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 967—An act to amend sections 1 and 10S of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon: to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 77—*An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be* numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Madera;

Also Assembly Bill No 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, *to be numbered 737ab*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Merced.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal,

Also Assembly Bill No 496—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the

water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

Also Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755, and 2768 of the Political Code, relating to permanent road divisions.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108 relating to the causes of divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors,

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of Lake County, State of California, and to add a new section to said Political Code to be known as and numbered section 4280½, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in said county.

Also Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to pay the claim of the California Cooperative Canneries, Incorporated, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28, and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921, relating to interest on bonds;

Also Assembly Bill No. 294—An act appropriating money for the erection of buildings for boys requiring special custodial care, for service connections, furnishings and equipment for the same at the Preston School of Industry.

Also Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to validate municipal bonds, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 515 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the deputy superintendent of public instruction;

Also Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to amend sections 2, 3, and 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section, to be numbered 752*c*;

Also Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors, and marines, and to

provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to the appointment of employees.

Also Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend sections 1610 and 1696 of the Political Code, relating to public schools.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1055—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1188—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act appropriating money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act appropriating money for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend sections 1, 15, and 18 and to add a new section, to be numbered 19, to "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls, to provide for the maintenance and management of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 14, 1913, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Scudder:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 4463 and 4464, and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED)

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*g*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 654 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Burns, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller,

Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Oliva, Roberts, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—40

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Denel, Dodge, Dorris, Hawes, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—33.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Reindollar gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 654 was this day refused passage.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and seven minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Schmidt.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Easley, Ekswaid, Foster Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—58.

NOES—Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Graves, Hartmanft, Louttit, Murphy, Runner, Spalding, Weller, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—20

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 33 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 33.

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 23*a* of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to compensation of members of the Legislature.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting therefor hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said state be amended by amending section 23*a* of article IV to read as follows

SEC. 23*a*. The Legislature may provide for additional help, but for the regular or biennial sessions the expenses for officers, employees and attaches shall not exceed the sum of $450 per day for the Assembly, nor the sum of $300 per day for the Senate, and at the special or extraordinary sessions such expenses shall not exceed the sum of $300 per day for the Assembly, nor the sum of $200 per day for the Senate. The law providing for the officers, employees and attaches and their compensation, shall remain in force subject to change, amendment or repeal by the Legislature, *provided*, that after the regular session in 1927 no increase shall be made in the compensation of any officer, employee, or attache, after he shall have been elected or appointed. The Legislature shall provide for the selection of all officers, employees and attaches of both houses, and each house may fix the compensation of its officers, employees and attaches and, so far as advisable, shall require such selection to be under the provisions of the law governing civil service.

Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 33 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crit-

tenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to provide for the organization and government of highway districts, and to provide for the construction, acquisition and maintenance of highways in such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 644 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 835—An act to amend sections 1187 and 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 835 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend sections 2293 and 2298 of the Political Code, and to repeal section 2300 of the Political Code, relating to the library fund.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jost moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 20, of the amended bill, strike out the word "detection" and insert in lieu thereof the word "prosecution".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Jost as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 496, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JOST, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1191—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*vv*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1191 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to appropriate money to pay the State's portion of the cost of improvement of the State highway adjacent to the grounds of the Whittier State School.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1002 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 624 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton,

Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fly, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 41, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections to be numbered 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r* and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Dorris moved that Assembly Bill No. 1249 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1249 re-referred to Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment.

Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dodge moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 6, of the amended bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 7, of the amended bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Dodge as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 92, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DODGE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 716—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 716 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P, Anderson, R J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Eksward, Finney, Foster Fry Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—50

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 570 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillmger, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Sayler, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—54

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to amend section 637*a* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 997 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—Broughton and Dorris—2

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to

regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect." approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code entitled section 216*b*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor, medicine, cakes, pies, confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol and prescribing the penalty;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof,

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of Lake County, State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1227 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekseward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Weller: An act to amend section 193 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for manslaughter.

Also: An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges, or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

By Mr. Sewell: An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys,

courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto

By Mr Dillinger An act to provide for the appointment of a committee to investigate the teachers retirement system with special reference to the sources of revenue for the California public teachers retirement salary fund, and for the making of a report to the Legislature, and making an appropriation therefor.

By Mr Rosenshine An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses to the regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a professorship of nursing education

By Mr. Scudder An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 4463, 4464 and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 100 the following Senators Swing, Dennett, and Handy, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No 312—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor," approved March 18, 1899, as amended, approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4a and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State, providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases, providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Powers, Jones and Inman, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following. That the Senate concur in the Assembly amendments and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly on April 6, 1925, add the following

SEC. 3 A new section is hereby added to said act to be numbered section seven and to read as follows:

SEC. 7. This act is hereby declared to be an urgency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety within the meaning of section one of article four of the constitution of the State of California, and shall take effect immediately.

The facts constituting such urgency are as follows:

Foot and mouth disease exists among the deer in the Stanislaus National Forest and until it is completely eradicated it is liable to be transmitted to domestic animals from time to time. If any legal obstacles prevent the maintenance of adequate quarantine or the destruction of infected animals the disease will spread among other animals to such an extent as to cause serious injury to the live stock industry of this state. Such a condition would also result in severe injury to general business from the establishment of embargoes by other states.

JOHNSON,
JACOBSON,
GRAVES,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, thence to Laws, thence north over the road recently constructed by Mono County to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad crosses such state line to be a State highway—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Swing, Dennett, and Handy, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments, and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of lines 8, 9, and 10, on page 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 2. The said highway shall be constructed and maintained under the supervision and direction of the California Highway Commission."

SPENCE,
EASLEY,
WALTERS,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough,

McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in progress of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Miss Broughton moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 26, of the printed amended bill, strike out the period and insert a semicolon and the following: "*provided, however*, in counties of the sixteenth class the county sealer shall receive compensation at the rate of $175 per month during the time actually employed as sealer."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Miss Broughton as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 639, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

BROUGHTON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No 967—An act to amend sections 1 and 108 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner

thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr Smith moved that Assembly Bill No. 967 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 967 re-referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Weller: Assembly Bill No. 1297—An act to amend section 193 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for manslaughter.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

By Mr Sewell: Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, by adding a new section

thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Dillinger: Assembly Bill No 1299—An act to provide for the appointment of a committee to investigate the teachers retirement system with special reference to the sources of revenue for the California public teachers retirement salary fund, and for the making of a report to the Legislature; and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Rosenshine: Assembly Bill No 1300—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses to the regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a professorship of nursing education.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

By Mr. Scudder: Assembly Bill No. 1301—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 4463, 4464 and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Sewell: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 36—Proposed amendment to article XI of the constitution relative to a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully recedes from its amendments to Assembly Bill No 653—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law, of California", approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No 312

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 100

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. F. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Assembly Bill No. 100 ordered to reprint, and enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 310—An act to add a new section to the Political Code of the State of California to be numbered 1607*a* and to provide for the custody and disbursement of funds arising from school activities not conducted at public expense.

Also, Senate Bill No. 615—An act to amend sections 39 and 53 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

Also: Senate Bill No. 682—An act to regulate the sanitation and maintenance of auto camps, to provide for the licensing, inspection and supervision of the same, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. F. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 962—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products and fixing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1094—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific Ocean, unless such dwellings or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act relating to employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State; prohibiting false statements regarding the conditions of such employment and providing penalties for the violation hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to provide for the disposition of certain material of the former geological survey of California delivered to the president of the University of California pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 27, 1874;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the tenth class

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 152—An act to amend sections 2, 5½, and 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the board of regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,'" approved June 12, 1913, as amended, relative to registration of nurses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 174—An act appropriating money to provide for the grading, paving, curbing, guttering and drainage of those portions of Normal street, Normal-Campus intersection, Campus street, Campus-Meade intersection

and Meade avenue, in San Diego, California, fronting on property of the San Diego State Teachers College

Also Assembly Bill No 959—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a* to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts,

Also Assembly Bill No 1180—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H Mortimer Smith against the State of California

Also Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation printing, binding, publishing and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof," approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following

Assembly Joint Resolution No 9—Relating to records of service in the Army;

Also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13—Relative to the improvement of the San Joaquin River and Stockton Channel by the United States, and asking the United States to appropriate sums of money for dredging, deepening, widening, and otherwise improving the said channels.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported joint resolutions ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 115—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3236, relating to preference on public contracts and furnishing supplies;

Also Senate Bill No 175—An act to provide for the regulation and use of aircraft in the State of California, to create a Director of Civil Aeronautics, to define his powers and duties and to provide for the creation and organization of an Aircraft Department under his jurisdiction, to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the registration, numbering, and use of aircraft, and the licensing of operators thereof," approved June 3, 1921,

Also Senate Bill No. 340—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the payment of wages earned in seasonal labor and prescribing the powers and duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation thereto," approved May 28, 1913, relating to wages earned in seasonal labor;

Also Senate Bill No 414—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 453*hh*, defining and regulating the business of land value insurance, declaring the conditions on which land value insurance may be done and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act,

Also Senate Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 628*a*, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend sections 4, 7, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing refining or distributing gasoline distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 18, relating to delinquencies, penalties for delinquencies, and refunds in payment over assessment on gasoline, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this act.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 115 read first time, and referred to Committee on Manufactures.

Senate Bill No. 175 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 340 read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor and Capital.

Senate Bill No. 414 read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 523 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 601 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 616—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose;

Also Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grade of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent said assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to completion of work by city.

Also Senate Bill No 757—An act providing for and relating to damages resulting from or caused by the acquisition of a water supply or taking diverting and transporting of water from a watershed and from the lands, streams and waters therein, to and for use in and by municipal corporations and providing for compromise, arbitration and settlement and payment of claims for any such damage and empowering and authorizing municipal corporations and persons, firms and corporations furnishing water to or for use in municipal corporations to pay, compromise, arbitrate and settle any and all damage caused, or claimed to have been caused, by the acquiring of such land or water, or the taking, diverting or transporting the same for the purposes aforesaid, fixing the time for the presentment of such claims and relating generally to such damages.

Also Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 129 of the Civil Code, relating to the domicile and place of residence of the parties in an action for divorce.

Also Senate Bill No 808—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District', to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 616 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 671 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 757 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 774 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 808 read first time, and referred to Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 816—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or

any municipal corporation, in the State of California to donate and grant to the regents of the University of California, as a public trust for the State of California, any real property owned by it, or which it may hereafter acquire, within or without its corporate limits, for a site upon which the regents of the University of California may erect university buildings or maintain grounds in connection therewith; and also authorizing and empowering any of the same to use such part of its funds as deemed necessary toward the acquisition of such a site, also authorizing the incurring of indebtedness for any of the purposes aforesaid, and validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purpose, and all of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of bonds for any such purpose:

Also: Senate Bill No. 817—An act to validate certain bonds of certain irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Also: Senate Bill No. 705—An act to amend section 627 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 816 read first time, and referred to Committee on Teachers Colleges.

Senate Bill No. 817 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 705 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 152—An act appropriating money to meet the deficiency in the appropriation of salaries of Senators and Assemblymen for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 152 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 470—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of director of said department; providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof; providing for the furnishing of information in certain cases by said director to the Commissioner of Corporations and the Surveyor General; providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the Department of Petroleum and Gas; creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act; and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties, to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

This is to advise your honorable bodies that I have signed the following bills.

Senate Bills Nos. 260, 65, 148 and 11

Assembly Bills Nos. 1206, 563 and 646.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 144 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and provides that where a plaintiff after procuring the entry of a default, neglects for five years to cause judgment to be entered, the court must on motion of the defendant, dismiss the action. This bill ignores the distinction between the class of cases where it is proper to enter a several judgment against one or more of the defendants, leaving the action to proceed against the others. If the proposed amendment should become a law, circumstances might arise which would make it possible for an injustice to be done the plaintiff in certain cases.

I have submitted this bill to a number of eminent jurists who are of the opinion that it would result in more harm than good.

There does not appear to be any interest in this bill.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 820 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and provides that where a claim for wages has been filed by the officer levying the writ of attachment or execution, and the same is disputed by the filing of a verified statement, the official must mail to the claimant whose claim is disputed a notice to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring a civil action to establish the same within ten days from the date on which said notice was mailed. I doubt if the provisions in this bill for the notice by mail for ten days to the laborer would be sufficient in all cases. Suppose that the attachment or execution were levied in San Francisco, and the work for the debtor is done in Imperial County, the laborer might not receive the notice by mail in ten days, but notwithstanding, under the proposed law, his claim to priority is forever lost whether he receives the notice or not. It is the general policy of the law in judicial proceedings to allow an additional day for each 25 miles of distance when a notice is sent by mail. (Code of Civil Procedure 1013.)

There appears to be no general demand for this bill and several valid objections have been filed.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Finney:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend sections 1 of "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 1192—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act declaring the conditions upon which an irrigation district may be dissolved, prescribing the procedure therefor, and the winding up of the affairs of the district when dissolved," approved May 18, 1919, relating to provisions for the dissolution of such districts—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this thirteenth day of April 1925, at four o'clock and forty-five minutes p m

ROBERTS, Chairman

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 95—An act to amend section 1634 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to clerks of justice courts in cities or towns of the second and one-fourth, second and one-half, second and three-fourths and third classes;

Also Assembly Bill No 381—An act regulating the securing by priests, ministers, or other persons, of wine for use for sacramental purposes by their congregations, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 683—An act to amend section 1357 of the Political Code, relating to the procuring of ballots by absent voters,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this thirteenth day of April, 1925, at two o'clock and thirty minutes p m

ROBERTS, Chairman

RECONSIDERATION LAPSED.

Motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1085 was passed lapsed on failure of motion being made to continue same.

Assembly Bill No. 1085 ordered to Senate

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a m., Tuesday, April 14, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, April 14, 1925

At nine o'clock a m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—77.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Scudder, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Oliva, Mr. August Oliva of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Levey, Mr. Leo J. Rabinowitz of San Francisco, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Rosenshine was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mrs. Saylor, Mrs. Woodbridge was granted leave of absence for the day.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MINES AND MINING

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1295—An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

DILLINGER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 916—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736a, relating to the salaries of justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 917—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the chief justice and associate justices of the Supreme Court;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation, and that they be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 718—An act regulating the buying, receiving as a pledge and shipping of builders' tools, and requiring every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, to secure from every person who sells or pledges builders' tools satisfactory written evidence of his rights to sell or pledge the same; establishing a prima facie presumption that any such tools bought or received in pledge, without such written evidence, were so bought or so received in pledge, with knowledge that they were stolen; and also

requiring every such person, firm or corporation to keep a register of all such tools bought or received as a pledge, and to deliver daily, except on legal holidays, a copy thereof to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department, or to the sheriff of the county, and prescribing a penalty for violation of the act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1019—An act to amend section 241 of the Civil Code, relating to appointment of guardians by will or deed,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1174—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachments of real and personal property,

Also Senate Bill No 127—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 107—An act recognizing and declaring valid Tia Juana River Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings on formation and organization thereof,

Also Senate Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the salary of the sealer of weights and measures in counties of the fifth class,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions;

Also Senate Bill No 384—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same,

Also: Senate Bill No. 286—An act authorizing the State Board of Control to grant to or consent to the condemnation by the city of Oakland of a right of way for a public street and highway over and across the lands of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind,

Also, Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend sections 2 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to definitions of real estate salesmen and brokers and penalties for violations of this act.

Also, Senate Bill No. 278—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 10, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 96, 98, 100, 102 114, 130, 138, 147, 153, 154, 155 and 159, relating to the use operation and equipment of vehicles, the registration of vehicles and the fees to be paid therefor, notices to be given upon exporting or dismantling motor vehicles and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provisions of the act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Approving sixteen certain amendments to the charter of the city of Long Beach, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighth day of April, 1925—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 185—An act to create the State Park Commission; to define its powers and duties, to make an appropriation therefor and to establish a contingent fund

and a revolving fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

(Signed out)

NOYES, Chairman.
BERNARD
HEISINGER.
BROWNE
MURRAY.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

COMMUNICATION.

The following communication received and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. Speaker:

Assembly concurrent resolution adopted by the Legislature of Nevada and transmitted by the Secretary of the State of Nevada, as follows:

WHEREAS, The California State Legislature has before it, for consideration, three bills, Senate Bill No. 229, Assembly Bill No. 435, and Assembly Bill No. 100, providing for road connections with highways, now a part of the Nevada system of highways, and

WHEREAS, The inclusion of these three routes in the California system would be of distinct advantage to Nevada, and the several counties lying east of the Sierra Nevada range of mountains, therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring That the California Legislature is earnestly requested to give these three routes its most careful consideration, believing that the early completion of such routes will do much to stimulate travel between the two states, and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State is requested to furnish a copy of this resolution to both houses of the California Legislature, now in session.

A. S. HENDERSON.
Speaker of the Assembly.
H. WISE,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly

MAURICE J. SULLIVAN.
President of the Senate.
R. W. BAMAN.
Secretary of the Senate

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers and agents; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide penalties for the violation thereof; to create the office of Commissioner of Corporations and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title, of the printed bill strike out the following "three of an act entitled "An act to", and strike out all of lines 2 to 7, inclusive, of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following "seventeen of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices providing for the inspection measurement and weighing of goods, commodities wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, for the admission in evidence of copies of the state's standards of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a state superintendent of weights and measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into

effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to salaries of sealers of weights and measures and their deputies."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line after the period following the figure "1", and strike out all of lines 2 to 23, inclusive, and on page 2 of the printed bill strike out lines 1 to 5, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section seventeen of an act entitled 'An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices, providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amount of commodities, kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, for the admission in evidence of copies of the state's standard of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a state superintendent of weights and measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 17. The legislative body of any county or consolidated city and county of the first to the thirty-fifth classes, both inclusive, and the legislative body of any city or town may appoint a sealer of weights and measures, fix his compensation and provide for the appointment by the sealer of such number of deputies as the said legislative bodies may deem necessary and expedient. Such sealer shall receive as compensation the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month, or at the rate of one hundred fifty dollars per month for each month or part thereof actually employed in the service of such county, or city and county, or city and town. He shall be allowed his traveling expenses actually and necessarily incurred in the performance of his duties; and such deputies shall each receive as compensation the sum of five dollars per day for each day actually employed in the service of such county, or city and county, or city and town. They shall be allowed their traveling expenses actually and necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties. The term of office of sealer of weights and measures appointed under the provisions of this section shall be four years. He shall be subject to removal by the power appointing him. Deputies appointed under the provisions of this section by a sealer of a county, city and county, or city, or town, shall be subject to removal by the sealer.

In counties of the second class whose charters provide for a department of weights and measures, the appointment of a sealer and deputies, the number of such deputies and the term of office thereof shall be as provided in said charter, *provided*, that the sealer shall receive for compensation the sum of three thousand dollars per annum, and one deputy, to be known as chief deputy, shall receive as compensation the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. Deputies shall receive as compensation the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, each payable in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid. In counties of the third class the sealer shall receive as compensation the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, and deputies shall each receive as compensation the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

In counties of the fourth class the sealer shall receive as compensation the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum. He shall have three deputies at two thousand one hundred, one thousand eight hundred and one thousand five hundred dollars per annum respectively, and said salaries shall be payable in the same manner as the salaries of other county officers are paid.

In all counties other than those of the first to the thirty-fifth classes, both inclusive, no county sealer or deputies shall be appointed by the legislative body thereof, but the state superintendent of weights and measures shall assign to such counties, or groups of such counties, such deputy superintendents as may be necessary, but not more than one to each of such counties. Such deputies shall have jurisdiction over such county, or group of counties, as the state superintendent may designate, except within the territorial limits of those cities and towns within which sealers have been appointed under the provisions of this act. They shall have all the powers and perform the duties of a sealer of weights and measures. They shall be paid by the county wherein employed, five dollars a day for each day employed therein, which shall not exceed one hundred twenty days in any one county in any one year, and they shall also receive from such county their actual traveling expenses. The terms of office of all sealers and deputy sealers in all counties other than those of

the first to the thirty-fifth classes, both inclusive, shall terminate when this section becomes effective."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1268—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 517—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish, to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a state fish exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industry; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 272—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 401, relating to the return of files of cases relating to real property and which have been transferred for trial, to the court in which the action was begun.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 406—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to prohibit the promotion of prosecution of such suits, and to provide a penalty for a violation of this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 802—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 640*a*, for the prevention of the fraudulent operation of slot machines or coin receptacles, or making or furnishing devices to defraud owners of the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 804—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be known as section 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 379—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code, to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods, to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors, and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 439—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Blythe in the county of Riverside to a point on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Arizona to be selected by the State Highway Commission, and also a connecting highway from a point on the present Mecca to Blythe State highway to a point on the present San Bernardino to Yuma State highway

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out lines 2 to 10 of the title of the amended bill and insert in lieu thereof the following "commission to take over and maintain the present state highway from Shaver's Wells by way of Mecca to Coachella and fixing the route of such highway and declaring such highway to be a state highway."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 18, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. The California Highway Commission is hereby authorized and directed to take over the existing public highway between Shaver's Wells and Coachella. The route of such highway between Shaver's Wells and Coachella hereby authorized or authorized by any other act shall follow the present highway by way of Mecca. Such highway is hereby declared to be a state highway."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 438—An act declaring the public highway extending from the city of El Centro to the city of Calexico in Imperial County to be a State highway.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 161—An act to provide that a certain highway in Santa Cruz County shall become a State highway on approval of such highway by the California Highway Commission.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 249—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 21, and 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relative to the construction of bridges and highways, approved May 25, 1923—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 249?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend", insert the following: "the title and sections three, four, twenty-one and twenty-three of"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 19, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The title of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto,' approved May 25, 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows: 'An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of highways, bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto.'

SEC. 2. Section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. Such petition which may consist of any number of separate instruments shall be presented to the secretary of state, signed by qualified electors, residing within the boundaries of the proposed bridge and highway district, equal in number to at least ten per centum of the number of such qualified electors in each county from which such petitions are presented voting for governor of this state at the last general election prior to the presentation of such petition. The board of supervisors of any county may, in lieu of proceeding by petition, call an election, as provided for the calling of special elections under the laws pertaining thereto, to be held in conformity therewith, where and when the same may be determined by a majority vote of the electors voting thereat.

Such petition shall set forth the extent of the district, either by describing its exterior boundaries, or by naming the counties proposed to be included therein, as having been determined by said ordinance and in case only part of any county is proposed to be included therein, the extent of the part of the county included may be indicated by naming the county and excepting therefrom, some administrative or governmental subdivision or subdivisions thereof, such as townships, school districts or other similar subdivisions, or such excluded portions may be described by its boundaries, and in any of said descriptions of included or excluded territory, reference to recorded instruments may be made for the purpose of defining such boundaries, and shall contain a prayer that such proposed bridge and highway district be incorporated under the provisions of this act. Attached to each of the petitions shall be a copy of the said ordinance. The said ordinance may be enacted by the board of supervisors at any time after application shall be made to them for such purpose, but in case such board shall neglect to act upon such application for a period of sixty days thereafter, the said ordinance may be submitted to the electors of such county or city and county under the provisions of the initiative applicable thereto. In case said ordinance shall be passed by the board

of supervisors, it shall be subject to the referendum provisions applicable to ordinances generally in such county or city and county. The said petitions from any county shall be grouped or fastened together and shall contain a certificate of the county clerk of such county that the same contains the requisite number of qualified signatures of qualified electors. The said county clerk shall have ten days time for the examination of such petitions when left with him for verification and it shall be his duty to verify the same, attach his certificate thereto within said period of time and forward the same to the secretary of state with his certificate that the same is sufficient and if from such examination he shall find that said petition is not signed by the requisite number of qualified electors residing within his county he shall also certify to the number of qualified electors required to make such petition sufficient, and it may be amended by filing a supplemental petition or petitions within twenty days from the date of such certificate, either by the same persons theretofore appointed to secure signatures, or by other persons appointed by the board of supervisors for that purpose. The county clerk shall within ten days after the filing of such supplemental petition or petitions make like examination of the same and certify to the result of such examination as hereinabove provided. If his certificate shall show any such petition or said petition as amended to be insufficient it shall be filed by him with the secretary of state and kept by him as a public record without prejudice however to the filing of a new petition to the same effect, but if, by the certificate of the county clerk such petition or said petition as amended is shown to be sufficient the county clerk shall present the same to the secretary of state without delay. If any supplemental petition be filed all of the signatures appended to the petition or to the supplemental petition or petitions shall be considered in determining the number of qualified electors signing the petition. In case an election is had in any county in the place of said petition, the county clerk shall certify to the secretary of state the result thereof, with a copy of the action of the board of supervisors authorizing said election.

After the certificate is issued by the secretary of state for the incorporation of such proposed bridge and highway district, the sufficiency of such petition in any respect shall not be subject to judicial review or be otherwise questioned. If any county within the boundaries of such proposed bridge and highway district shall have a registrar of voters other than the county clerk the said registrar of voters shall perform the duties herein required to be performed by the county clerk respecting the examination, certification and filing of the petition, and said registrar of voters shall return said petition immediately upon the completion of such examination, together with his certificate showing the result of such examination to the secretary of state. When all of said petitions, or certifications of the result of elections when such elections are held, have been received from the several county clerks of counties having any portion of their territory within said proposed bridge and highway district the said secretary of state shall publish the text of such petition for at least three weeks before the time set by him as the time up to which protests may be received as hereinafter provided in at least one and not to exceed three newspapers printed and published in each of the counties from which such petitions have been presented, together with a notice stating the time which he has fixed up to which protests will be received against the inclusion of property within such proposed bridge and highway district. The names attached to said petition need not be published therewith, nor the certificates of any of the county clerks or registrars of voters, but it shall be sufficient to state that the same has been signed by a certain number of electors, naming it, and duly verified by such county clerks or registrars of voters.

At any time before the time set by the secretary of state up to which protests may be received, any owner of property subject to taxation within said proposed bridge and highway district, may file, with the secretary of state, his protest in writing against the formation of such district, and stating therein such grounds as he may have for claiming that his said property, or any portion thereof, will not be benefited by the formation of the proposed bridge and highway district. The said protest shall contain the name and address of the person protesting and the name and address of his attorney, if he has one, and all of the protests so received by the secretary of state shall, with the petition filed from the county, be forwarded by the secretary of state to the superior courts in the respective counties from which the same have been received by the secretary of state, and thereupon the said superior courts shall acquire jurisdiction to hear and determine the said protests so received from the owners of lands located within their respective counties. It shall be the duty of the clerk of said superior courts to set the said matters for hearing before said court, and to give ten days notice thereof in writing to the protestants, and to any person who shall have filed with the secretary of state his name and address as the attorney for the petitioners in said petition, which said attorneys' names and addresses shall also be certified from the office of the secretary of state to the respective county clerks at the time of the transmission of the petitions thereto. At the time specified in such notice, or at such other time to which the said hearing may be continued, the said superior courts shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters urged by the protestants against the formation of the said proposed bridge and highway district, or against the inclusion of their lands therein,

and the said superior courts shall have jurisdiction to exclude the said lands from said proposed district, together with any other lands contiguous to the excluded lands and contiguous to the exterior boundaries of the proposed district which are similarly situated to the lands of the protestants, to the end that isolated tracts may not be excluded from the district without also rectifying the boundaries thereof so that the district when finally formed shall be compact, continuous and without tracts of land excluded therefrom which are totally surrounded by other lands which are left within the district.

The judgment of the said superior courts, when given shall be certified by the clerk to the secretary of state, together with the original petitions and protests theretofore transmitted to him by the secretary of state, and the said judgment shall not be appealable and all questions of fact therein contained shall be final and conclusive upon the whole world, and shall only be subject to review by the supreme court of this state, upon a writ of review issued out of that court in such cases as writs of review are now permissible against superior courts, or the irregular exercise of the jurisdiction of such courts. Such proceedings for a writ of review must be taken within ten days after the entry of the judgment in the superior courts, and if not so taken all judgments of the superior courts shall become final.

When all of the protests have been disposed of as hereinabove provided, and the results of the judgments therein certified to the secretary of state, the secretary of state shall thereupon issue his certificate of incorporation declaring the said district with the boundaries as finally established to be duly incorporated, formed and organized and shall file the same in his office and cause a certified copy thereof to be recorded in the office of the county recorders of each of the counties situated within or partially within said proposed bridge and highway district.

In case the board of supervisors of any county named in the petitions from other counties engaged in the formation of a bridge and highway district shall fail or neglect for sixty days after the application submitted to them, to pass such ordinance, and a period of more than sixty days thereafter shall elapse without any proceeding for passing such ordinance under the provisions of law relating to the initiative being on file with the county clerk or registrar of voters, the latter must upon receipt of an affidavit of an elector of the county, setting forth the date of making the original application to the board of supervisors and the failure of such board to act thereon for sixty days thereafter, issue his certificate to the secretary of state attached to such affidavit certifying that on the date of the issuing thereof no proceedings have been filed in his office to submit such ordinance to the electors under the provisions applicable to the initiative and must forthwith transmit such certificate and affidavit to the secretary of state and the latter shall file the same, and the county from which such affidavit and certificate have been received by the secretary of state shall be excluded by him from the proposed district in the same manner as if the same had been excluded by order of the superior court. In case an ordinance declaring it the intention of a county to become part of the bridge and highway district has been submitted to the people and has failed of passage, such fact must also be certified to the secretary of state by the county clerk, and such county must be excluded from the district. In case of the exclusion of a county by the method in this section provided, and other county from which sufficient petitions have been received to become a part of the district, but separated from the remainder of the counties of the proposed district by such excluded county or counties, must not be excluded from the district but shall be included therein.

SEC. 3. Section four of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 4. The secretary of state shall also within five days after the issuance of such certificate notify the boards of supervisors in each of the counties in which any portion of the territory of the district is located, of the formation of such district, and thereupon and within thirty days thereafter each of the boards of supervisors shall appoint a person or persons as hereinafter provided, to act as a board of directors of the district as follows: One director for each county having a population of forty thousand or less; two directors for a county having a population over forty thousand and not more than one hundred thousand; three directors for a county having a population of more than one hundred thousand and less than five hundred thousand; and five for a county or city and county having a population of five hundred thousand and over; *provided*, that in any county or city and county having a population of more than five hundred thousand the number of directors appointed shall be equal to the total number of directors appointed from all of the counties or cities and counties within the district having a population of less than five hundred thousand. All directors shall hold office until the appointment and qualification of their successors, but any director may be removable for cause by the board of supervisors appointing him, if notice is given and a hearing is had upon the nature of the complaint against him. The term of office of directors appointed under the provisions of this act shall be four years from and after their appointment; *provided* that the first board of directors shall by lot classify themselves so that one-half of their number shall hold office for two years only, and if the number of such directors at the time of such classification be an odd number then the odd member of said

board shall also hold office for the two years, at which time the boards of supervisors shall reappoint their successors for a full term of four years. Vacancies in the board shall be filled for the unexpired term by a like appointment by the said boards of supervisors. The board of directors shall be the governing body of such bridge and highway district and it shall hold its first meeting on the call of the secretary of state within two weeks after the boards of supervisors have made the appointments herein provided to be made. Said appointments shall be by resolution of said boards and certified to the secretary of state. The secretary of state shall designate an appropriate time and place of meeting for the first meeting of the board of directors. The board of directors shall choose one of its members to act as president, and shall also choose a secretary, who shall not be a member of the board and shall thereupon provide for the time and place of holding its meetings, and the manner in which its special meetings may be called. All meetings of the board of directors, whether regular or special, shall be open to the public. A majority of the board of directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The board of directors shall establish rules for its proceedings.

SEC. 4. Section twenty-one of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 21. If the revenues of the district are, or in the judgment of the board of directors, will probably be inadequate for any cause to pay the principal or interest on any bonded debt of the district, as it becomes due, the board of directors must cause a tax to be levied as herein provided sufficient to provide for such deficit and to pay the amount of such principal and interest as the same becomes due, except that until the operation of the works of the district has commenced, and the same commence to yield a revenue, the interest on the bonded debt shall be paid out of the principal obtained from the sale of the bonds, and after the operation of its works no taxes shall be levied except for deficits, either actually incurred or estimated for the fiscal year in which the same are levied. If from any cause the revenues of the district shall be more than adequate to pay all of the expenses of the district for the current year and surplus shall be divided by the directors of the district, and apportioned to the respective counties within the district in the proportion which the assessed value of property within such county, city and county or parts of counties within the district bears to the total assessed value of property within the district.

SEC. 5. Section twenty-three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 23. Any county, city and county, or any portion of either or both may be added to any bridge or highway district organized under the provisions of this act, at any time, by applying to the board of directors and securing the consent of such board by resolution duly adopted by it. Such application shall be made by the board of supervisors of such county in the form of an ordinance applying for permission to become a part of such district. In case the consent of the board of directors is obtained after any bonded debt of the district has been authorized the board of supervisors of such applying county must call an election at which the proposition to join the district and assume the obligation of the bonds of the district along with the territory already included therein, shall be submitted to the electors as one proposition, and unless such proposition receives two-thirds of the vote cast at such election such county shall not be annexed to the district. If, however, the proposition shall carry by more than two-thirds of the vote cast at such election the result of such election shall be certified to the secretary of state by the county clerk of such county and thereupon the secretary of state shall give notice and call for protests in the same manner as upon the original formation of the district. If the district has not incurred a bonded indebtedness at the time of such application by the board of supervisors to join the same, the county may be annexed by passing an ordinance declaring its intention to join the district and upon petition presented in the manner herein provided for the organization of such bridge and highway district, which petition shall be in a like manner presented to the secretary of state who shall give notice of the presentation thereof and of the date set for receiving protests against the same in the same manner as in the case of the original petitions, and all of the provisions hereof which are applicable to original petitions shall be applicable to petitions for annexations. After all protests have been disposed of in a like manner as upon the formation of the district, the secretary of state shall issue his certificate certifying to the annexation and describing the boundaries as finally determined, which certificate shall be recorded in the office of the county recorder of each county wherein any portion of the annexed territory is located, and thereupon the boards of supervisors of such county or counties shall appoint a member or members of the board of directors to serve until the expiration of the term of the directors then holding for the term of office that will soonest expire. From and after the date of the original certificate of incorporation of a bridge and highway district the said bridge and highway district shall be deemed to be incorporated with all of the rights, privileges and powers set forth in this act, and necessarily incident thereto, and from and after the date of such certificate of annexation by the secretary of state the territory named therein shall be deemed added to and form a part of the said bridge and highway district, with all of the rights, privileges and powers set forth in this act and necessarily incident thereto. In case any annexation of any county, city and county or portion of either is proposed to be made to any bridge and

highway district already organized the board of directors of such bridge and highway district shall have full power to prescribe terms upon which the territory proposed to be annexed shall be admitted, including the payment of a just proportion of the organization and preliminary expenses originally incurred by the district; and, no such county or city and county, or portion of either, shall be admitted without first complying with such terms."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7 of the amended bill, strike out lines 44 and 45, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "district If, however, the proposition shall carry by a vote of two-thirds or more cast at such election, the result of"

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 249 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 249 ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 652?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the last amended bill, strike out the word "milk".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the amended bill, strike out the word "department" and insert in lieu thereof the word "director".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 19, of the amended bill, after the comma following the word "fee", strike out the following: "as hereinafter provided", and insert in lieu thereof "of one hundred dollars".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 652 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Rumner, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 652 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 356—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Political Code, relating to holidays—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 356?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 24, 25, 26 and 27 of the printed bill, strike out the words "this shall not be construed to prevent or invalidate the issuance, filing, service, execution or recording of any legal process or written instrument whatever on such Saturday afternoon", and insert in lieu thereof the following "*provided, however*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent or invalidate the execution or recording of any contract or any legal or written instrument on any holiday, nor to invalidate the issuance, filing, service, execution or recording of any action, legal process or instrument on Saturday afternoon."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "therefor" insert a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, after the bracket, begin the word "all" with a capital letter.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "July" add the following words "the first Monday in September.".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 356 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 356 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 171—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 171?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-one" and insert in lieu thereof "eighteen".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 171 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Levey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 171 ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone

Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific highway, to be a State highway, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1197 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roland Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in Imperial County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 647 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levy, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—Murphy—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*w*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the county of Santa Clara

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1226 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43

NOES—Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Morrison, Murphy, and Williamson—6

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 77—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Madera.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 77 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Murphy—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Merced.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 78 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 386—An act to validate municipal bonds, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 386 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 768—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts

or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 768 passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1055—An act to amend section 452*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the incorporation of mutual benefit associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1055 passed by the following vote·

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to pay the claim of the California Cooperative Canneries, Incorporated, against the State of California

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 105 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 532—An act to amend section 515 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the deputy superintendent of public instruction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 532 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—49.

NOES—Murphy, Runner, and Mr. Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1188—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1188 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Carter, and Murray—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Bernard moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act appropriating money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1194 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Reindollar, Roland, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—Runner—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend sections 1, 15 and 18 and to add a new section, to be numbered 19, to "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls; to provide for the maintenance and management of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 14, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1291 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1248 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations."' approved June 1, 1917 by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28, and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921, relating to interest on bonds.

Bill read third time

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Adams moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first thirteen lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act making an appropriation for the purpose of paying interest due from the land settlement fund to the general fund in the state treasury."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with line 1, on page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 21 on page 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. The sum of three hundred fifty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the interest now due and to

become due up to and including June 30, 1925, from the land settlement fund to the general fund, upon those certain appropriations made in an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a state land settlement board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations,' approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections two, four, nine, ten, eleven, fourteen, fifteen, eighteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section twenty-two, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act," approved May 23, 1919; also in an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a state land settlement board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections two, four, five, nine, ten, eleven, fourteen, fifteen, eighteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-five, twenty-seven, twenty-eight and twenty-nine thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section twenty-two, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921; also in an act entitled "An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of 'An act creating a state land settlement board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations,' approved June 1, 1917, and any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto" approved June 3, 1921."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Adams as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 230 with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ADAMS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 26—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in Tamalpais forest fire district.

Also Assembly Bill No. 106—An act to provide for the eradication of citrus white fly in California by providing for the establishment by proclamation of citrus white fly districts, declaring certain plants within such citrus white fly districts to be a public nuisance, providing for the destruction or treatment of such host plants, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and of the county horticulture commissioners in relation to the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Also Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton Channel.

Also Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 538c, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment.

Also Assembly Bill No. 747—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Fruit Growers of California, Incorporated, against the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No. 840—An act to amend section 1974 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants in counties of the fourth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 874—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the borrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and Charles H. Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County and making an appropriation therefor.

Also Assembly Bill No. 890—An act to amend sections 2 and 7 of an act known as the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code, relating to bonded indebtedness.

Also, Assembly Bill No 1259—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1199—An act appropriating money for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1199 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs Crittenden, Crofer, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson Wright S V, Wright T. M., and Mr Speaker—59

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1233—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1233 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V, Wright, T. M, and Mr Speaker—61

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1257 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman Coombs, Crit-

tenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1258 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1289 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536*c*, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 642 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43

NOES—Brock, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Fry, Graves, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Oliva, Roland, Schmidt, Sewell, Walters, Weller, West, and Williamson—22.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1259 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 747—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Fruit Growers of California, Incorporated, against the State of California

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 747 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Murphy:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Badham:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the Laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Eksward:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Eksward:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885, approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided in said act," approved March 24, 1911, as amended.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Cleveland:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the text book royalty fund.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Melville (by request).

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Dayton:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows:

An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Finney:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Browne:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Morrison:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State Prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin Prison manufacturing revolving fund.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Miller, J A.:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition Commissioners

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Lyons:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 8, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 281—An act to appropriate moneys for, and to authorize and direct the California Highway Commission to complete that part of the State highway system of the State of California between the towns of Middletown and Lower Lake in Lake County, provided for by an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An act calling a special election to be held on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, and providing for the submission thereat to the qualified electors of the State of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California known as Senate Constitutional Amendment No 27, proposed by the Legislature of said State at its forty-third session, providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $40,000,000 for the

completion of the State highway system and the acquisition and construction of other State highways by the State Department of Engineering, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved July 1, 1919—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, extending from the northerly boundary of the city of Vallejo to Sears Point on the Black Point cutoff; and making an appropriation for the same—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

(Signed out)

MELVILLE, Chairman.
WALTERS
WEMPLE
DAYTON
HARTRANFT.
BROWNE
WRIGHT, S. V.
BROCK.
FOSTER

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, relating to the salaries of the commissioners thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

SCUDDER, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 212—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917" with respect to acceptance of provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have elected to have accepted the provisions of said act unless such employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of disaffirmance of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

SCUDDER, Chairman.
CLEVELAND.
SPENCE
CLOUDMAN.
JOST
ANDERSON, R. J.
NIELSEN.
LEVY
MITCHELL

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MANUFACTURES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling or repairing upholstered furniture and creating the "Division of Weights and Measures fund"—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BURNS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 276—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to redemption of property from delinquent taxes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to provide for the submission to the qualified electors of cities, or cities and counties, the question of the establishment of municipal courts therein—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 34, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds,' approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues lanes alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 481—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section to be numbered 38, relating to the making of re-assessments—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to authorize and empower the director of the Department of Agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno and Los Angeles, making the expenditure of funds under the provisions hereof contingent upon the expenditure of a like sum by the United States Department of Agriculture, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, authorizing the acceptance by the Department of Agriculture of donations to be expended in accordance with the provisions hereof and creating the agricultural leased wire fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 894—An act to regulate the planting of trees along the public highways of California and a plan for the planting, care, maintenance and replacement of trees along all public roads.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the Supreme Court.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, statutes 1921, page 815, as amended by chapter 405, statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of certain lands in Los Angeles County and apply the proceeds to the purchase of other lands in said county.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1168—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of officers and employees, Chico State Teachers College, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compiling, printing, and distributing constitutional amendments for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1295—An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to promote and increase the distribution and marketing of California grapes, to provide for an investigation of the methods to improve the quality of and demand for such products, and making an appropriation to carry out such investigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 292—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the completion of construction and equipment and furnishing State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 29—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend the constitution of said State by adding to article VI thereof a new section to be numbered 26, relative to judicial vacancies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R J, Chairman

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 14 of article XIII, relating to exemptions of property on account of military service—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R J, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 32—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend section 1 of article XIII of the constitution of said State, relating to taxation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

(Signed out)

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman
MURRAY
MILLER, ELEANOR.
McDOWELL
SPALDING
WELLER.
LITTLE.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered 14, relating to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R J, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER, Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 36—Proposed amendment to article XI of the constitution relative to a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted

ANDERSON, R J, Chairman

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the United States in reference to the levy and collection of taxes on incomes derived from securities issued under the authority of the United States or of any state—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

BERNARD, Vice Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 361 of the Civil Code, providing for the increasing or diminishing of the number of directors or trustees of a corporation;

Also: Senate Bill No. 419—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate the issuance of stock without nominal or par value by public utility corporations now existing or hereafter organized," approved May 31, 1917

Also: Senate Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 591 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations for the formation of chambers of commerce, boards of trade, mechanics' institutes, and other kindred associations.

Also: Senate Bill No. 809—An act to add section 309½ to the Civil Code, relating to the authorization of the distribution of the capital stock or capital assets of a corporation among its stockholders, and the procedure therefor

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 714—An act relating to and providing for the formation, organization and management of corporations for the purpose of receiving and maintaining a fund or funds and applying the income and principal thereof to promote the well-being of mankind—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

PIERCE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to creation and compensation of county officers in the forty-first class.

Also: Senate Bill No. 431—An act to amend section 19*f* of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and clerks in counties of the seventh class;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 176—An act appropriating $50,000 for the construction and maintenance of fire lanes and trails on the mountains composing the watersheds of Los Angeles County—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

(Signed out)

NOYES, Chairman.
HEISINGER.
BERNARD
MURRAY
BROWNE.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON DRAINAGE SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No 197—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of the Santa Ynez River, through what is commonly known as the Lompoc Valley, from erosion, by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No 699—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to expend the sum of $25,000 for advertising the port of San Francisco in foreign publications and in newspapers published in the United States for the purpose of promoting traffic through said port, and authorizing the withdrawal of said moneys from the San Francisco harbor improvement fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 696—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the State Harbor Commissioner to pay fines levied by the Interstate Commerce Commission in connection with the operation of the Belt Railroad out of the San Francisco harbor improvement fund in an amount not exceeding $900—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same,

Also, Assembly Bill No 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise,

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 18—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith;

Also Assembly Bill No 517—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish, to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange, to license those engaged in marketing fish, to create a State fish exchange fund and a revolving fund, to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industry; and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1013—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the burial of ex Union soldiers, sailors and marines dying without leaving sufficient means to defray burial expenses," approved March 15, 1889, as amended, by adding a new section thereto.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1268—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff.

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15—Relating to adjournment—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this fourteenth day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock and fifteen minutes a m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1301—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 4463, 4464 and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to engrossment.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the work of the American Legion—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Brock moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

REQUESTS FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILLS

The following requests for permission to introduce bills were presented:

By Mr. Oliva:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to authorize the destruction of public accounting records and books of account maintained by state agencies after audit by division of budgets and accounts, State Department of Finance.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Runner:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to disposition of license taxes

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. Schmidt:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to appointment of fish and game wardens.

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage of Assembly Bill No. 509—An act to amend section 307 of the Civil Code excepting mutual, cooperative or nonprofit agricultural corporations and organizations from the provisions of the section.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1016—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1016?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "state", strike out the period, insert a comma and the words "*provided*, that no contract shall be entered into under this section other than for the purpose of collecting taxes authorized prior to the first Monday in March, 1911, or for the recovery of property sold for delinquent assessments for taxes authorized prior to said time, or for the collection of excess freight rates which may have been charged to the state."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "state" and the remainder of said bill, and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the words "due the state from taxes levied prior to the first Monday in March, 1911, or for the collection of excess freight rates which may have been charged to the state".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1016 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Harttanft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None

Assembly Bill No. 1016 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 287?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "transfers" insert the following: "slaughters, destroys,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "transferred" insert the following: "slaughtered, destroyed,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "unless" insert the following: "in case of a sale, transfer or further encumbrance".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 287 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 287 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes; prohibiting the use of second hand boxes for packing such pastes, prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation, compounding, packing, selling, or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored alimentary pastes, vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1209?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, following the word "manufacturer", insert the words "or distributor".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1209 was concurred in by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Assembly Bill No. 1209 ordered to enrollment

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton Channel.

Bill read third time.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 556 was made a special order for Wednesday, April 15, 1925, at ten o'clock a.m.

Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 545 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Brock, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Easley, Hawes, Little, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Walters, Weller, and Williamson—16.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Sewell gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 545 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1013—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Veterans' Welfare Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 580, statutes 1921, page 969, as amended by chapter 404, statutes 1923, page 902, approved June 16, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1013 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger,

Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Saylor moved that Assembly Bill No. 1201 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1201 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 890—An act to amend sections 2 and 7 of an act known as the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cloudman moved that Assembly Bill No. 890 be ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 890 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to whom was referred the following bills, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the authors be permitted to introduce them. The titles of said bills are as follows:

By Mr. Finney: An act to amend section 1 of "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole.

By Mr. Browne: An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund.

By Mr. Morrison: An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State Prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin Prison manufacturing revolving fund.

By Mr. Finney: An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund.

By Mr. Cleveland: An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the textbook royalty fund.

By Mr. Badham: An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

By Mr. Melville (by request): An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund.

By Mr. Dayton: An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco.

By Mr. Murphy: An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

By Mr. Oliva: An act to authorize the destruction of public accounting records and books of account maintained by State agencies after audit by Division of Budgets and Accounts, State Department of Finance.

By Mr Lyons An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended

By Mr Ekswaid An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State Prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885,' approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided for in said act," approved March 24, 1911, as amended.

Also An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind

By Mr. Miller, J A An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition Commissioners.

By Mr Schmidt An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to appointment of fish and game wardens

By Mr Runner An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to disposition of license taxes.

McDOWELL, Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following bills were introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr Badham: Assembly Bill No. 1302—An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the Laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Melville (by request): Assembly Bill No. 1303—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

By Mr Dayton: Assembly Bill No. 1304—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr Murphy: Assembly Bill No. 1305—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

By Mr. Cleveland: Assembly Bill No. 1306—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the textbook royalty fund.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 1307—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Finney: Assembly Bill No. 1308—An act to amend section 1 of "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Browne: Assembly Bill No. 1309—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

By Mr. Morrison: Assembly Bill No 1310—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin prison manufacturing revolving fund

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Oliva: Assembly Bill No. 1311—An act to authorize the destruction of public accounting records and books of account maintained by State agencies after audit by Division of Budgets and Accounts, State Department of Finance.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Lyons: Assembly Bill No. 1312—An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr Eksward: Assembly Bill No 1313—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885,' approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided for in said act," approved March 24, 1911, as amended

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Eksward: Assembly Bill No. 1314—An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Miller, J. A.: Assembly Bill No. 1315—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition commissioners.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Schmidt: Assembly Bill No. 1316—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code relating to appointment of fish and game wardens.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Runner: Assembly Bill No. 1317—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts, inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to disposition of license taxes.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

By Mr. Deuel: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Chico, county of Butte, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Chico at a general municipal election held therein on the thirteenth day of April, 1925

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

RESOLUTION—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Weller:

Resolved, That Assembly Bills Nos. 776 and 777 be withdrawn from the Committee on Ways and Means and placed on file.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Campbell, Weller, Saylor, Scofield, and Badham, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the resolution to withdraw Assembly Bills Nos. 776 and 777 from Committee on Ways and Means.

The roll was called, and the resolution to withdraw Assembly Bills Nos. 776 and 777 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Browne, Cleveland, Deuel, Duval, Little, Melville, Morrison, Scudder, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—12.

The Speaker ordered Assembly Bills Nos. 776 and 777 withdrawn from Committee on Ways and Means and placed on file.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 841—An act to amend sections 1610 and 1696 of the Political Code, relating to public schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 841 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Mueller—2

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors, and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to the appointment of employees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 720 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Fry, Graves, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Saylor, Spence, West, and Williamson—30

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Croter gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 720 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 2526*a*, relating to the powers of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 922 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor,

Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 294—An act appropriating money for the erection of buildings for boys requiring special custodial care, for service connections, furnishings and equipment for the same at the Preston School of Industry.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 294 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 874—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and Charles H. Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 874 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 166—An act to provide for the eradication of citrus white fly in California by providing for the establishment by proclamation of citrus white fly districts, declaring all host plants of the citrus white fly within such citrus white fly districts to be a public nuisance; providing for the destruction or treatment of such host plants, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and of the county horticultural commissioners in relation to the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 166 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 26—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in Tamalpais Forest Fire District.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 26 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section, to be numbered 752*c*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 669 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Browne, Carter, Coombs, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Campbell, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Reindollar, Runner, and Wright, S. V.—8.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 738*b*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court of Sacramento County, and repealing all parts of acts in conflict therewith."

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1123 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge,

Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ecc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 159 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code, relating to bonded indebtedness.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1006 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48

NOES—Murphy—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 73 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 8—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts.

Bill read third time.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Dodge, the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 8 was made a special order for Wednesday, April 15, 1925, at two o'clock p.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No 820—An act to amend section 1207 of the Code of Civil Procedure, providing for the dispute of preferred labor claims filed under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor and for costs to claimants bringing suits to establish contested claims, so as to make it mandatory on the officer levying the writ, if any such claim is contested by verified statement filed with him, to immediately mail notice to the claimant in question, at the address given on the claim filed by him, to the effect that his claim has been contested and that he must bring civil action to establish same within ten days from the date said notice is mailed or his claim to priority is forever barred.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Browne, Burns, Byrne, Dorris, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Levey, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Reindollar, Roberts, and Williamson—14

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Foster, Graves, Johnson, Jones, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Walters, Weller, West, Wright, T. M. and Mr. Speaker—34.

Assembly Bill No 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*g*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr Reindollar moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 654 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j*, of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Roland moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 397 was passed, be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Dayton, Dillmger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartmanft, Hornblower, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER THREE HUNDRED NINETY-SEVEN.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Roland moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the act, line 1, after the letter "j", strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof, the words, "and to add a new section to be numbered 2207*l*,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 5 of said act, strike out the comma after the word "appropriations" and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "and moneys otherwise provided for by law to be deposited to the credit of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind revolving fund and amusement fund,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 14 of said act, strike out the period after the word "fund" and insert the following: "except as hereinbefore provided.

SEC. 2. A new section to be numbered 2207*l* is hereby added to the Political Code to read as follows:

2207*l*. A revolving fund is hereby created for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind to be known as the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind revolving fund. Any moneys which may be hereafter appropriated or allotted for the use of this fund shall be deposited thereto not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars. Said fund shall be used to meet the expenses necessary in the purchase of materials and equipment and for maintenance of the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind. The moneys received from the sale of any goods manufactured in said manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind, shall be placed to the credit of the said revolving fund. After an audit of said revolving fund by the public accountants of the division of budgets and accounts of the state department of finance any balance or surplus standing to the credit of said revolving fund in excess of $25,000 shall be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the general fund.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Roland as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 397, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROLAND, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 190—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1062*a*, and relating to the trial of actions for declaratory relief.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Croter, Dillinger, and Little—3

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cartet, Coombs, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Levey, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Smith, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—39.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following constitutional amendment was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Duval: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal

Also: Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School or California Institute

Also: Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California, to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices, providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 313—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 313 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crotер, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Noves, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholder's charter.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1284 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Noves, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School or California Institute.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 579 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crotер, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the District Courts of Appeal.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 92 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crotер, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Noves, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 8—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1132—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909.

Also Assembly Bill No 1162—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia sesqui-centennial international exposition, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a* and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1162—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, five o'clock and ten minutes.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., *Bernard*, *Brock*, Browne, Byrne, *Carter*, *Cleveland*, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Ensley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Noyes, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 1111—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered section 605, relating to trial by jury.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Little, and Spence—2.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaud, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 66 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaud, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Murphy—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia exposition, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1266 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At five o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1162 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartianft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 776—An act appropriating money for salaries and maintenance of the California Industrial Farm for Women.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money for the construction of buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 106—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000 to be used in the construction, renewal and repair of works for restraining, impounding and controlling debris resulting from mining operations, natural erosions and other causes, and to provide for the manner of expending such appropriation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 281—An act to appropriate moneys for, and to authorize and direct the California Highway Commission to complete that part of the State highway system of the State of California between the towns of Middletown and Lower Lake in Lake county, provided for by an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled, "An act calling a special election to be held on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, and providing for the submission thereat to the qualified electors of the State of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California known as Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27, proposed by the Legislature of said State at its forty-third session, providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $40,000,000 for the completion of the State highway system and the acquisition and construction of other State highways by the State Department of Engineering, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved July 1, 1919.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the willful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 903—An act making an appropriation for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1142—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1893, relating to publication of school notices.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, extending from the northerly boundary of the city of Vallejo to Sears Point on the Black Point cutoff; and making an appropriation for the same.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1222—An act creating a board of retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino

State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison; providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said board of retirement

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1099—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of certain lands in Los Angeles County and apply the proceeds to the purchase of other lands in said county.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1168—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of officers and employees, Chico State Teachers College, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compiling, printing, and distributing constitutional amendments for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1231—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1295—An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the

following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," (approved April 7, 1911), by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1301—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 4463 and 4464 and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000 to be used in the construction, renewal and repair of works for restraining, impounding and controlling debris resulting from mining operations natural erosions and other causes, and to provide for the manner of expending such appropriation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the willful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners;

Also Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 903—An act making an appropriation for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 106—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter By-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No 281—An act to appropriate moneys for, and to authorize and direct the California Highway Commission to complete that part of the State highway system of the State of California between the towns of Middletown and Lower Lake in Lake County, provided for by an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An act calling a special election to be held on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, and providing for the submission thereat to the qualified electors of the State *of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California* known as Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27, proposed by the Legislature of said State at its forty-third session, providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $40,000,000 for the completion of the State highway system and the acquisition and construction of other State highways by the State Department of Engineering, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved July 1, 1919.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1153—An act directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, extending from the northerly boundary of the city of Vallejo to Sears Point on the Black Point cutoff, and making an appropriation for the same;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 17—An act relating to the Piute Pass State highway; appropriating money for the survey, location and estimate of cost of the State highway to be known as the Piute Pass road, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County;

Also Assembly Bill No 233—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the West Side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same;

Also Assembly Bill No 462—An act to provide for the survey of the Santa Ana River watershed and basin to determine the work necessary and proper to be done for flood control of the Santa Ana River and its tributaries, providing for an appropriation therefor and expenditure thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 692 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to trust deeds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 25—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Chico, county of Butte, State of California, voted for and

ratified by the electors of said city of Chico at a general municipal election held therein on the thirteenth day of April, 1925—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to engrossment.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 344—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608c, to authorize the governing boards of school districts to rent, purchase, or build, and furnish school buildings to house pupils or employees of the school districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1142—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1893, relating to publication of school notices—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1299—An act to provide for the appointment of a committee to investigate the teachers retirement system with special reference to the sources of revenue for the California public teachers retirement salary fund, and for the making of a report to the Legislature; and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the superintendents of schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back as amended without recommendation.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, Statutes 1921, page 815, as amended by chapter 405, Statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1222—An act creating a Board of Retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison, providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said Board of Retirement,

Also Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BROCK, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 188—*An act to appropriate money for the purpose of transferring* bodies from the old to the new cemetery of the State Hospital at Stockton,

Also: Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1374 of the Penal Code, relating to expenses of persons committed to State hospitals,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BROCK, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 907—An act to prohibit any hospital from refusing to receive and treat any patient for emergency treatment—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

BROCK, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1316—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to appointment of fish and game wardens—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1154—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-seventh, seventy-eighth fiscal years—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

GRAVES, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1312—An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to visit the site of the Boulder Canyon Dam, the Imperial Valley, and southern California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

BERNARD, Vice Chairman

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 195—An act to amend section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to new trials—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this fourteenth day of April, 1925, at three o'clock p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 24—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend the constitution of said State by adding to article VI thereof a new section to be numbered 26, relative to judicial vacancies;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendments ordered on file for adoption

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 327—An act confirming, legalizing and validating a certain grant of land made by the city of San Diego to the United States for the use of the Navy Department;

Also: Senate Bill No 328—An act confirming, legalizing and validating a certain grant of land made by the city of San Diego to the United States for the use of the Navy Department;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

BERNARD, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 27—Relating to California Indians' court of claims bill, United States Senate No. 4301—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out) LOUTTIT, Chairman.
BADHAM.
SAYLOR.
WRIGHT, T. M.
BROWNE
BERNARD.

The above reported Senate joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Relative to taxation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered to engrossment.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

I have signed Assembly Bill No. 121, making slight changes in the salaries of the officials of Lassen County. The bill provides that the deputies of county officers shall be subject to the dictation of the board of supervisors. As an example, the bill in providing a deputy for the county clerk says: "He shall appoint said deputy, with the consent of the board of supervisors as manifest by not less than a three-fourths vote of the members thereof; said board may dismiss the said deputy at any time that he shall in its opinion fail to satisfactorily perform the duties of his office."

The sections regarding the sheriff, tax collector and assessor contain the same provisions.

I would have returned the bill without approval on account of these provisions in the bill had it not been for the fact that these objectionable provisions have been in the law for several years. It seems to me an unwarranted and dangerous interference with the duties of county officials elected by the people to place the power of appointment and removal of their deputies in the hands of supervisors. The fundamental purpose of electing county officials and supervisors is to have diversified authority and not place a dictatorship in the hands of anyone. The author of the bill agrees with me.

I am calling attention to this matter in the hope that at the next session these objectionable provisions may be removed from the law.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 460 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure so as to permit the guardian of a minor to execute an incumbrance upon the real property of the ward and secure it by a deed of trust. The present law permits only the mortgaging of such property. Estates of minors should not be placed in jeopardy by being subjected to forced sale under deeds of trust. Sufficient money can be raised by mortgage with right of redemption. This bill would break down a valuable safeguard placed in the law to protect minors.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 195 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to new trials. The present section provides that "the Supreme Court may affirm, reverse, or modify any judgment or order appealed from, and, may direct the proper judgment or order to be entered, or direct a new trial or further proceedings to be had." This bill adds the words "or District Court of Appeal." This bill also adds to section 63 these words "The court may direct a new trial as to some of the issues, and not as to others; and may in cases where the issues are separable, direct a new trial only as to those issues upon which a new trial is necessary".

As this bill has the endorsement of the legislative committee of the California State Bar Association, I have given it very careful consideration and have conferred with eminent jurists as to its merits. The words "or District Court of Appeal" as added in the first line of the amendments proposed in this bill, add nothing to the existing law, because the constitution, article VI, section 4, provides "All statutes now in force allowing, providing for or regulating appeals to the Supreme Court shall apply to appeals to the District Court of Appeal so far as such statutes are not inconsistent with this article and until the Legislature shall otherwise provide."

The Supreme Court and appellate courts have always exercised the power to direct a new trial as to one or more issues, leaving the findings of the trial court to stand as to other issues. There are numerous decisions on this point, among them being

San Diego Land etc Co. vs. Neale, 78 Cal. 63; Goodlett vs. St. Elmo Investment Co., 94 Cal 297, Duff vs. Duff, 101 Cal. 1; Mayberry vs. Whittier, 144 Cal. 322, Glassell vs Hansen, 149 Cal 511, Robinson vs Muir, 151 Cal 118; Pearsall vs Henry, 153 Cal. 314; Coleman vs Coleman, 23 Cal. App. 433; Gilmore vs Caswell, 43 Cal App Dec 175, 224 Pac. 249.

From the foregoing it appears that the amendments add nothing to the existing powers of the court, and possibly some contention might arise as to what is meant by the clause, "cases where the issues are separable."

The amendments proposed to the present law are, in the opinion of distinguished jurists who have looked over this bill, unnecessary and liable to give rise to contentions.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

ADJOURNMENT.

At six o'clock and five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Wednesday, April 15, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, April 15, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m, pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

By invitation of the Speaker, prayer was offered by Mr. T. M Wright, member from the Forty-fourth District.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Jost, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Mrs. Woodbridge and Mr. Rosenshine were granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Nielsen, Mrs. Etta H. Hubbard, instructor, Part Time High School, Thirteenth and G streets, Sacramento, California, and the following pupils were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in

the Journal: Frank Martello, Albert Wadewitz, Tom Fujioka, Y. Yoshodi, Lillian Monroe, Eva Neves, Ethel Bennett, Tom Fujini, Peter Overwater, David Robinson, Angelo Muranda, Will Williams, and Reginald Dole

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dillinger, Mr. D. Fricat, President, Calaveras County Chamber of Commerce, of Angels Camp, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Weller, Mr. Chas. B. Guthrie of Glendale, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Pierce, Messrs. George Spooner, Herman Exterstein, and Fred Russell were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Messrs Allen H. Wright, City Clerk, and Charles Gurney of San Diego, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Miss Bessie B. Roland and Messrs. J. W. Roland and G. R. Pinaroc were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 1365 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to letters of administration, to whom granted, and the order in which they are granted—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, as amended, without recommendation

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1305—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Foster:

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a resolution of the Assembly a committee was appointed to make an investigation of the courses of study and expenditures of the State Teachers Colleges, and

WHEREAS, The committee in making such investigation has incurred certain necessary expenses, therefore be it

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent fund of the Assembly in favor of the Chief Clerk of the Assembly for $387 05 to pay the expenses of the said committee in making the above mentioned investigation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
NOYES.
SPENCE.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 36 of the Assembly Journal of March 25, in line 7, of the printed resolution introduced by Mr. Foster, relative to the investigation of the courses of study and expenditure of the teachers' colleges, strike out the words "chief clerk", and insert in lieu thereof "S. L. Hartranft" In line 8, of the printed resolution, strike out the figures $387 05 and insert in lieu thereof the following figures $372 05.

Amendment adopted.

The above reported resolution ordered on file for adoption.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 718—An act regulating the buying, receiving as a pledge and shipping of builders' tools, and requiring every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, to secure from every person who sells or pledges builders' tools satisfactory written evidence of his rights to sell or pledge the same; establishing a prima facie presumption that any such tools bought or received in pledge, without such written evidence, were so bought or so received in pledge, with knowledge that they were stolen; and also requiring every such person, firm or corporation to keep a register of all such tools bought or received as a pledge, and to deliver daily, except on legal holidays, a copy thereof to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department, or to the sheriff of the county; and prescribing a penalty for violation of the act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first sixteen lines of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act regulating the buying, receiving as a pledge and shipping of builders' tools and requiring every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, to keep a register of all such tools bought or received as a pledge, or shipped or otherwise transmitted to any place outside the county in which the same were bought or received as a pledge, and to deliver daily, except on legal holidays, a copy of such register, to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department, or to the sheriff of the county, and prescribing a penalty for violation of the act"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Beginning with line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 41 on page 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1 Every person, firm, or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, who buys or receives as a pledge any builders' tools shall keep a register in which shall be entered the place, date and hour of the sale or pledge of any such tools, the name, address and description of the seller or pledgor, a description of the tools, including all numbers, letters, names and other identification marks appearing thereon, and the name and address of the individual to whom such tools were sold or pledged.

SEC. 2. Whenever any such person, firm or corporation shall ship or otherwise transmit any such tools so bought or so received as a pledge as aforesaid, to any place outside the county in which the same were so bought or so received as a pledge, such person, firm or corporation shall enter in the said register the date on which such tools were so shipped or otherwise transmitted, and the name and the place of business or residence of the person to whom the same were so shipped or transmitted.

SEC. 3. Every such person, firm or corporation shall each day, except legal holidays, deliver a full, true and complete copy of the said register to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department of the city, city and county, town, or other municipality or district wherein such tools were so bought or so received in pledge as aforesaid, which said report shall include all such tools bought or received as a pledge or shipped or otherwise transmitted since the preceding report; *provided, however*, that if there is no police department in the municipality or district in which such tools are bought or received in pledge, or from which they are shipped or otherwise transmitted, such report shall be delivered or mailed each day, except legal holidays to the sheriff of the county.

SEC. 4. Builders' tools, within the meaning of this act, shall include all such tools as are customarily used in the construction, alteration, or repair of buildings.

SEC. 5. Any person, firm or corporation who violates any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punishable by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than six months, or by both such fine and such imprisonment."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out lines 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 on page 1 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "tation, and in case the time expressed in any notice to creditors, for any reason, be found insufficient to comply with section 1491 of this code, the executor or administrator or his successor, as the case may be, must give further notice to creditors by like publication requiring presentation or filing of claims within such time, as, added to the time for which publication shall have already been properly given, will complete the required period of notice."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the amended printed bill, insert before the word "seed" the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 5, of the amended printed bill, strike out the period at the end of the said line and insert in lieu thereof the following: "; *provided, however,* that where there is a bona fide recorded lease of any land for agricultural, horticultural or viticultural purposes the said crop or crops raised thereon under the terms of the said lease shall not be subject to the said lien or liens."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 1, of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: "/or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 16, of the amended printed bill, insert after the word "same" the following: "were commenced, and judgment for the deficiency may be"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend section 241 of the Civil Code, relating to appointment of guardians by will or deed.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of said bill beginning with the word "the" in line 3 of said printed bill to and including the word "her" in line 10, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A guardian of the person or estate, or of both of a child born, or likely to be born, may be appointed by a will or by deed to take effect upon the death of the parent appointed

1. If the child be legitimate, by either parent, with the written consent of the other; or by either parent, if the other be dead or incapable of consent.

2. If the child be illegitimate, by the mother.

Provided, further, that any parent may, by deed or will, appoint a guardian as to the property which his or her child may inherit and take by devise or bequest from him or her.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1174—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachments of real and personal property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, following the word "county," insert a comma and the following words: "or, if the written instructions state that the property is registered under the "Land Title Law", by filing with the registrar of the county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the sentence ending with the word "attached," insert the following: "Whenever an attachment is made on a building in the course of construction, a copy of the writ must be posted in a conspicuous place on such building.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "county", insert a comma and the following words: "or, if the written instructions state that the property is registered under the "Land Title Law" with the registrar of titles of the county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "custody", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following words: "*provided*, plaintiff shall pay and keep paid for at least five days in advance, all costs of

storage and keeper's fees, and if plaintiff fails so to pay and to keep paid for at least five days in advance, all costs of such storage and keeper's fees, the sheriff may make written demand upon plaintiff, or his attorney, to pay the same. If plaintiff, after the service of said demand given as herein provided, fails or refuses to pay the same within three days thereafter, the sheriff may release said attachment, and in such case shall send notice thereof to the last known address of the person from whom the property was taken, and the sheriff shall not be liable for any storage or keeper's fees on said property thereafter: *provided, further*, that in lieu of the payment of storage fees as above provided, plaintiff may give the sheriff as security for such costs an undertaking of two good and sufficient sureties to be approved by the sheriff in an amount equal to the cost of storing said property for two years. The demand above provided to be given to plaintiff or his attorney may be given by serving the same as provided in section one thousand eleven of this code, or by depositing such notice in the postoffice in a sealed envelope, as first class registered mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the person on whom it is served at his last known office or place of residence."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 strike out lines 9 to 11, inclusive, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Stocks or shares, or interest in stocks or shares, of any corporation or company, must be attached by leaving with the president, or other head of the same, or the secretary, cashier, or other managing agent thereof, a copy of the writ, and a notice stating that the stock or interest of the defendant is attached in pursuance of such writ."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "recorded", insert the words "*or registered*".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, relating to the salaries of the commissioners thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the following words: "seven thousand five hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words: "six thousand."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the "division of weights and measures fund."

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the fifth line of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 8, strike out the words "division of weights and measures" and insert in lieu thereof the words "upholstered furniture inspection."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended April 8, strike out the words "division of weights and measures" and insert in lieu thereof the words "upholstered furniture inspection."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 276—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to redemption of property from delinquent taxes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "sale", strike out the following "together with all unpaid taxes that were a lien", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "with interest on the aggregate amount of said taxes, at the rate of seven per cent per annum, and also all taxes that were a lien upon said real property at the time said taxes became delinquent, and also all unpaid taxes of every description assessed against the property for each year since the sale, as shown on the delinquent assessment rolls in the then permanent custody of the county auditor,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out lines 15 to 26, inclusive, and on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 1 to 49, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or, if not so assessed, then upon the value of the property as assessed in the year nearest the time of such redemption, with interest from the first day of July of each of said years, respectively, at the same rate to the time of redemption, and also all costs and expenses of such redemption, and penalties as follows, to wit: Ten per cent if redeemed within six months from July first of the year of sale, twenty per cent if redeemed within one year therefrom, thirty per cent if redeemed within two years therefrom, forty per cent if redeemed within three years therefrom, forty-five per cent if redeemed within four years therefrom, and fifty per cent if redeemed within five or any greater number of years therefrom. The penalty shall be computed upon the amount of each year's taxes in like manner, reckoning from July first of the year when the lands would have been sold for the taxes of that year if there had been no previous sales thereof.

The county auditor shall, on the application of the person desiring to redeem, make an estimate of the amount to be paid, and shall give him triplicate certificates of the amount, specifying the several amounts thereof, which certificates the redemptioner shall deliver to the county treasurer, together with the money, and the county treasurer shall give triplicate receipts, written or indorsed upon said certificates, one to the redemptioner, and two to the county auditor, who shall deliver one of the said receipts to the state controller.

Upon consummation of the redemption and the delivery of the receipts aforesaid by the treasurer, the auditor shall report the same to the assessor, tax collector and recorder, and the recorder shall, without payment of fee, note on the margin of the record of the certificate of sale, or deed, if issued, the fact of such redemption, the date thereof, and by whom redeemed, which certificate of sale, or deed, shall become null and void and all right, title and interest acquired by virtue of the tax sale, shall cease and determine.

The county treasurer shall settle for the moneys received as for other state and county moneys.

The state controller shall, upon request of the auditor, issue a receipt which may be recorded in the recorder's office of the county in which said real estate is situated, in the book of deeds, and the record thereof shall have the same effect as that of a deed of reconveyance of the interest conveyed by such deed or certificate of sale.

This act shall also apply to state lands sold by the state when the full amount of the purchase price has not been paid to the state therefor, after the deed to the state, provided for in section three thousand seven hundred eighty-five has been filed with the surveyor general; *provided, however*, that one of the receipts showing the redemption of such land shall be delivered to the surveyor general who shall issue his receipt to the redemptioner; *and provided, further*, that no certificates of redemption shall be issued by the county auditor until he has first ascertained from the surveyor general that the land has not been disposed of by the state."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917" with respect to acceptance of provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have elected to have accepted the provisions of said act unless such employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of disaffirmance of said act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of line 1 of the title of the printed bill after the word "provisions" and all of lines 2 to 10, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of the workmen's compensation, insurance and safety act of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to voluntary acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising, by providing that employers and employees in such employments shall be presumed to have accepted the compensation provisions of said act unless either such employer or employee shall have given notice of disaffirmance of said provisions"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 1 after the period following the figure "1", all of lines 2 to 21, both inclusive, and all of page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Every employer and his employees engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employment or in stock or poultry raising, not subject to the compensation provisions of the workmen's compensation, insurance and safety act of 1917, as amended, shall, from and after the date this act takes effect, be conclusively presumed to have accepted the compensation provisions of said act, as amended, and to have included in their contract of hire or apprenticeship, express or implied, a mutual agreement to accept said provisions, unless either such employer or employee shall, prior to the occurrence of any injury, have given notice of rejection of said provisions of said act in the manner herein provided.

SEC. 2. Such notice of rejection shall be given by the employer by posting in a conspicuous place in each place of employment where it may conveniently be seen and read by his employees, a notice to the effect that he rejects the provisions of said act, and by filing a copy of such notice with proof of posting of the original within ten days with the industrial accident commission. Notice of rejection by the employee shall be given by delivering such notice to the employer personally or by registered mail and filing a copy thereof with proof of service within ten days with the industrial accident commission. The industrial accident commission may prescribe the form of such notices, manner of posting, and proof of posting or delivery.

SEC. 3. This act shall apply to all contracts of employment, hire or apprenticeship in existence when this act takes effect unless notice of rejection shall have been given in the manner prescribed herein prior to said effective date. Such notices may be given at any time after the passage of this act.

This act shall also apply to all employments entered into after its effective date, unless notice of rejection shall have been given prior to the occurrence of the injury upon which the claim for compensation is based. The rejection shall become effective when the notice is posted or given, provided the copy thereof with proof of posting or delivery be filed with the commission within ten days thereafter.

SEC. 4. Notice of rejection of the compensation provisions of said act may be withdrawn at any time by the disaffirming employer or employee, by posting or delivering a notice of withdrawal in the manner herein required for posting or delivering of notices of rejection. Such notice of withdrawal shall become effective at the time it is given but it shall be the duty of the party giving it to forward a copy to the industrial accident commission for filing with a statement of the date upon which such notice was given. The commission may prescribe the form of such notice.

SEC. 5. Any person who, not being otherwise subject thereto, shall have heretofore accepted or may hereafter accept the compensation provisions of the workmen's compensation, insurance and safety act of 1917 and amendments thereto by

any of the methods prescribed by section seventy thereof shall be bound thereby the same as if this act had not been passed.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect on January 1, 1926."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to authorize and empower the Director of the Department of Agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno and Los Angeles, making the expenditure of funds under the provisions hereof contingent upon the expenditure of a like sum by the United States Department of Agriculture, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, authorizing the acceptance by the Department of Agriculture of donations to be expended in accordance with the provisions hereof and creating the agricultural leased wire fund.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the fifth line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "Fresno", strike out the words "and Los Angeles" and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "Los Angeles and other important producing and distributing centers, and to disseminate information concerning supply, demand, prevailing prices and commercial movements."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the seventh line of the title of the printed bill, between the words "the" and "expenditure" insert the word "additional".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 1 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The director of the department of agriculture is hereby authorized in cooperation with the United States department of agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno, Los Angeles and other important producing and distributing centers and to disseminate information concerning supply, demand, prevailing prices and commercial movement of agricultural, dairy and farm products."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, between the words "the" and "expenditure", insert the word "additional".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "agriculture", insert the words "within the State of California."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 894—An act to regulate the planting of trees along the public highways of California and a plan for the planting, care, maintenance and replacement of trees along all public roads.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "forestry", insert the following: "in consultation with the California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 3 and 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following "the state highway system and shall furnish the necessary leadership in all tree planting, whether".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 7, 8, and 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following "individuals desiring to plant trees along the state highway."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill after the word "forestry", insert the following "in consultation with the California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the words "along the", strike out the word "public" and insert in lieu thereof the word "state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "agencies", insert the following "which plan shall give due consideration to the planting of nut-bearing trees, and shall not embrace the planting of balm of Gilead or eucalyptus trees."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 14 and 15 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC. 3. The sum of twenty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the Supreme Court.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "is" strike out the word "twelve" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 5 of the printed bill, after the word "is" strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and

making an appropriation therefor." approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, Statutes 1921, page 815, as amended by chapter 405, Statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend", insert the following "section nine of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the title of the printed bill, strike out lines 5 to 8, inclusive, of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following "and to add to said act a new section to be numbered eight *a*, making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of said act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. A new section to be numbered eight *a* is hereby added to an act entitled, "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor", approved May 30, 1921, to read as follows

Sec. 8*a*. The sum of nine hundred fifty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated from the unexpended balance remaining in the "veterans' welfare fund for land settlement" which was created by an act entitled "an act creating a veterans' welfare board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations", approved May 30, 1921, to be paid into and credited to the "veterans' farm and home building fund" to be used for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act. The moneys hereby appropriated shall constitute a revolving fund which is calculated to be returned to the State within a period of fifty years from the date upon which this amendment takes effect, with interest at the rate of four per cent per annum on so much thereof as shall be withdrawn from said veterans' farm and home building fund from the date of withdrawal until returned into said fund, or until returned into the general fund in the state treasury, as the case may be, *provided*, that in the event of the sale of any bonds which may be hereafter authorized to be issued to create a fund to be expended in accordance with the provisions of this act, then and in that event, the moneys appropriated by the provisions of this section eight *a* shall be returned into the general fund in the state treasury out of the proceeds from the sale of such bonds. The moneys hereby appropriated shall be available on July 1, 1926

The state controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants upon such fund from time to time upon requisition of the veterans' welfare board approved by the state board of control and the state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay such warrants.

SEC. 2. Section nine of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 9 The state board of control is hereby authorized to provide for advances of money to the board, needed to meet contingent expenses, to such an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, as the said board of control shall deem necessary, and to provide for advances of money to the board, needed to facilitate the purchase of farms and homes, to such an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars, as the board of control may deem necessary, such advances to be administered as revolving funds. The state controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants upon the veterans' farm and home building fund for such advances, and the state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same. Any and all moneys advanced to the veterans' welfare board under and pursuant to the provisions of this section may be deposited as active deposits in such state or national bank or banks in this state as the veterans' welfare board may select and under such conditions as said board and the state board of control may fix."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to promote and increase the distribution and marketing of California grapes; to provide for an investigation of the methods to improve the quality of and demand

for such products; and making an appropriation to carry out such investigation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 3, strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof, the word "ten", and on page 1, line 3, after the word "dollars", insert the words "or so much thereof as shall be needed".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 292—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the completion of construction and equipment and furnishing State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title after the word "of" strike out the words 'one million".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the words "one million".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the comma insert the following "for laying out and beautifying the grounds,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 692 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to trust deeds.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first two lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "An act to amend section three of an act entitled "An act to provide for local improvements upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities, such act to be known as 'the local improvement act of 1901'" which became a law under constitutional provision without the governor's approval February 26, 1901, as amended."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 3, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. Section three of an act entitled "An act to provide for local improvements upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities, such act to be known as 'the local improvement act of 1901'" which became a law under constitutional provision without the governor's approval February 26, 1901, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. Before ordering any work done or improvement made, which is authorized by section two of this act, the legislative body shall pass a resolution containing a general description of the proposed improvement, and referring the same to the city engineer or board of public works or commissioner of public works, if there be one; if not, to some civil engineer employed by them for the purpose and named in the said resolution, and instructing such engineer or board or commissioner to make a report in writing to the legislative body, containing his recommendations as to the

best method of making said improvements, to which report shall be attached the exhibits hereinafter referred to, *provided, however*, that the council shall have power in the resolution to provide in its discretion that the improvement described therein for any of the kinds or classes of work provided for in this act, may be done according to any of several alternative plans and specifications, in accordance with any one of several alternative methods, classes or kinds of construction, and calling for any of several alternative classes and kinds of material to be thereafter determined by the said council."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, in the title thereof, following the words "An act", strike out all the remainder of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered one thousand six hundred twelve *d*, relating to the education of children in tuberculosis sanitariums."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, following the words "Section 1.", strike out all the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered one thousand six hundred twelve *d* and to read as follows

1612*d*. Whenever pupils of school age are assembled in a sanitarium or other institution for the care of tubercular patients, maintained in whole or in part by public funds, in a school district of which they are not residents and wherein the instruction of such pupils entails a cost exceeding the available maintenance income of that district for a current school year, an amount equal to such excess shall be apportioned to the district from the county unapportioned elementary school fund by the superintendent of schools of such county or city and county upon a proper showing by the governing board of such district."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the superintendents of schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first three lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to amend section one thousand seven hundred thirty-three *a* of the Political Code, relating to high school districts."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with line 27 on page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 6 on page 6 and insert in lieu thereof the following.

"SECTION 1. Section one thousand seven hundred thirty-three *a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

1733*a*. Whenever a majority of the heads of families or of the electors residing in any one or more elementary school districts having in the aggregate seven hundred or more units of average daily attendance in the elementary schools, as shown by the last reports of the teachers in said districts, and having a total assessed valuation of at least seven million dollars, and in which the nearest central grammar school building does not lie closer than two and one-half miles to any public high school building by the nearest traveled road, which elementary school district or districts are a part of one or more union or joint union high school districts of

the county, as shown by affidavits of one or more of the petitioners, shall present to the superintendent of schools who has jurisdiction over said elementary school district or districts, or a majority thereof, a petition asking for the organization of a union high school district, or joint union high school district, as the case may be, to include all of the elementary school districts represented in said petition, and shall specify in said petition the name of the proposed union or joint union high school district, the county superintendent of schools shall, within twenty days after receiving said petition, verify the signatures thereto, and if he finds them sufficient, call an election for the determination of the question, and shall appoint three qualified electors in each of the districts petitioning to conduct the election therein. Said election shall be held separately and simultaneously at a public school house in each of the districts petitioning, and shall be called by posting notices thereof in three public places in each district, one of which places shall be a public school house thereof, at least two weeks before the election, and by publishing such notice at least once a week for two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said proposed union or joint union high school district, if there be such a newspaper, the first publication to be not less than two weeks before the election. Said election shall be conducted by the officers appointed for that purpose, in the manner provided by law for conducting elections of school trustees. The ballots used at such election in each district shall contain the words "Union high school district—Yes" and "Union high school district—No," or "Joint union high school district—Yes" and "Joint union high school district—No," as the case may be and electors voting at such election shall make a cross with pencil, ink or rubber stamp, after the answer they desire to give. It shall be the duty of the said election officers in each district to canvass the vote of said election as soon as the polls are closed, and report the result to the superintendent of schools within five days subsequent to the holding of said election. Within ten days after receiving the returns of said election, the superintendent of schools of the county or in case of a joint union high school district the superintendent of the county who would have jurisdiction over the joint school district proposed to be formed shall combine the votes "for" and "against" the formation of the union or joint union high school district and declare and record the result, with the details of the vote in each district, in a book kept by him for that purpose. If a majority of the votes cast at the election are in favor of the formation of the union or joint union high school district, he shall also file, with the county clerk of the county, or of each county in which any part of the elementary school districts are situated, a certificate showing the total number of votes cast in each district in favor of the union or joint union high school district, the total number of votes in each district against the union or joint union high school district, the aggregate result of said election and the boundaries of said proposed district. If it shall appear from such certificate that a majority of the votes cast at such election were cast in favor of the formation of such district, the board of supervisors shall make an order excluding all elementary school districts in the county taking part in said election from the high school district or districts of which they, or any of them, were a part, *provided*, that no order excluding territory from any union or joint union high school district shall be made if the exclusion of such territory would reduce the assessed valuation of such union or joint union high school district to three million five hundred thousand dollars or less; *and provided, further*, that all bonded indebtedness of the union or joint union high school district and all interest thereon shall be paid by the district which incurred the same as though such exclusion had not occurred. The order of the board of supervisors excluding such elementary school districts from a union or joint union high school district shall be entered by the clerk of the board of supervisors in his record of high school districts, and he shall also send a copy thereof to the county clerk of each county in which any part of such high school district is situated and said county clerk shall enter it in his record of high school districts. The board of supervisors, after making the order of exclusion, shall make an order establishing the union or joint union high school district asked for in the petition, and the county clerk shall record the certificate of the county superintendent of schools and the orders of the board of supervisors in full in his record of high school districts.

If it shall appear that the withdrawal from a union or joint union high school district of one or more elementary school districts of said union or joint union high school district should cause one or more of the elementary school districts already a part of the said union or joint union high school district to be other than contiguous to the original union or joint union high school district, then the elementary district or districts placed in this position of not lying contiguous to the original district shall have the right to remain in the original union or joint union high school district or join with the newly formed high school district, or the elementary district or districts that are withdrawing from the original union or joint union high school district. Whenever the majority of the heads of families or electors residing in said elementary district or districts as shown by the affidavits of one or more of the petitioners shall present to the superintendent of schools, who has jurisdiction over said elementary school district or districts or a majority of them a petition asking that the district or districts may have the right to vote whether they will elect to remain in the original union or joint union high school district

or join with the new high school district that is organized from the district or districts withdrawing from the original union or joint union high school district, and the county superintendent of schools shall within twenty days after receiving said petition, verify the signatures thereto and if he finds them sufficient shall call an election as provided in this section, the ballots used at such an election in each district shall contain the words, "present union or joint union high school district", "Yes" and "present union or joint union high school district" "No" and the words, "new high school district", "Yes", and "new high school district" "No" and the voter shall have the right to mark his ballot as provided in this section for one only each of the two questions contained on the ballot."

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, Statutes 1921, page 815, as amended by chapter 405, Statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the first line of the title of the printed bill after the word "amend" insert the following "sections four and six of and to add a new section to be numbered eleven to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out the fifth and sixth lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following "relating to the powers and duties of the veterans' welfare board."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

Strike out lines 1 to 6, inclusive, of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. An act to amend section four of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the veterans' welfare board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, is hereby amended to read as follows

SEC. 4. The board may acquire in any manner for sale to a veteran a farm, the cost of which does not exceed the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars or a home the cost of which does not exceed the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars, which farm or home must be situated in the State of California, *provided*, that the cost of said home to the board does not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars, and that said veteran purchasing said home may and he is hereby given the right to advance a sum of money not exceeding the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars on the purchase price of said home so that the total purchase price of said home shall not exceed the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars *provided*, that no veteran shall receive the benefits hereof who, in the case of the purchase by him of a farm, would thereby become the holder of real estate exceeding in value the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars, or in the case of the purchase by him of a home would thereby become the holder of real estate exceeding in value the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars *provided, further*, that the board may acquire a farm or home in which the veteran to whom such farm or home is to be sold has theretofore acquired an interest *and provided, further*, that no veteran who has taken advantage of the benefits of the California veterans' welfare act, or of an act entitled "An act to provide educational opportunities for persons who served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war, and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 20, 1921 both of which acts were adopted by the forty-fourth session of the Legislature of the State of California, shall be permitted to take advantage of the opportunities afforded under this act.

SEC. 2. Section six of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 6. When a veteran has been authorized by the board to select the farm or home he desires he shall submit his selection, in such form as may be prescribed by the board. The board, if satisfied of the desirability of the property submitted, and that such veteran has agreed with the board to actually reside upon such property within six months from the date of the purchase by the board, and that the purchase

price of said property does not exceed the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars in the case of a farm, or five thousand dollars in the case of a home, shall be empowered to purchase said property from the owner thereof upon such terms as may be by them agreed The board shall enter into a contract with the veteran for the sale of said property to said veteran The board shall fix the selling price of such property by adding to the purchase price of said property or to the value of such property as determined by the board when such property is acquired by the board in a manner other than by purchase, all expenses incurred and estimated to be incurred by the board in relation thereto, inclusive of interest, administration, appraisals, examination of title, incidental expenses, and such sum as shall be deemed necessary to meet unforeseen contingencies. The purchaser shall make an initial payment of at least ten per cent of the selling price of the property, in the case of a farm, and five per cent in the case of a home The balance of said selling price may be amortized over a period to be fixed by the board, but not exceeding forty years, together with interest thereon at the rate of five per cent per annum compounded at periods to be fixed by the board: *provided, however*, that the purchaser shall have the right on any installment date to pay any or all installments still remaining unpaid: *provided, further*, that in any individual case the board may for good cause postpone from time to time, upon such terms as the board may deem proper, the payment of the whole or any part of any installment of the selling price or interest thereon The board is empowered in each individual case to specify the terms of the contract entered into with the purchaser, but no property sold under the provisions of this act shall, voluntarily or involuntarily, by operation of law or otherwise, be transferred, assigned, encumbered, leased, let or sublet, in whole or in part, without the written consent of the board, until the purchaser has paid therefor in full and has complied with all the terms and conditions of his contract of purchase.

Before the purchase of any property by the board there must be filed with the board an appraisement of the market value of such property by the inheritance tax appraiser of the county in which such property, or some portion thereof, is situated, by one member of the board or by the duly authorized agent of said board, and by an officer or by an authorized appraiser of a banking corporation formed under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, or by the manager of a branch bank of such banking corporation, or by an officer or cashier of a national banking association, having a place of business in the county, or city and county, in which the property, or some portion thereof is situated; *provided*, that if there be no such banking corporation or national banking association having a place of business in the county, or city and county, in which said property or some portion thereof is situated, then by an officer or by an authorized appraiser of such a banking corporation, or by the manager of a branch bank of such a banking corporation, or by an officer or cashier of a national banking association, having a place of business in a county adjacent thereto. Each appraisement shall be verified by the maker thereof, which verification shall state, among other things, that it is made in good faith, and that the valuation is honestly determined and represents the bona fide opinion of the maker.

The board, before consummating a purchase under the provisions of the act, shall cause the title of the property sought to be purchased to be examined and may require for that purpose an abstract, an unlimited certificate of title, or a policy of title insurance, and may refer the same to the attorney general for his opinion.

SEC. 3. A new section to be numbered eleven is hereby added to said act to read as follows

Sec. 11. The board must annually file with the governor a statement of all their transactions and disbursements."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 907—An act to prohibit any hospital from refusing to receive and treat any patient for emergency treatment.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first two lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered three hundred seventy-three, relating to the receiving and treatment of patients at hospitals."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", insert the following: "Any person in charge or control of any hospital who shall refuse to receive any person, not suffering from a contagious or communicable disease, for emergency treatment, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 15—An act relating to the Piute Pass State highway; appropriating money for the survey, location and estimate of cost of the State highway to be known as the Piute Pass road, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, line 3 of the title, strike out the word "road" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state highway"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill strike out the matter after the word "pass" and insert in lieu thereof the words "state highway"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, lines 13 and 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "department of engineering" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the words "such department" and insert in lieu thereof the following "said California highway commission".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 16 of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and make a report to the next session of the legislature"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the West Side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "of" and before the word "dollar", insert the words and figures "twenty thousand ($20,000)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "a" and before the word "survey", insert the word "preliminary".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 462—An act to provide for the survey of the Santa Ana River watershed and basin to determine the work necessary and proper to be done for flood control of the Santa Ana River and its tributaries, providing for an appropriation therefor and expenditure thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first five lines of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following "An act to provide for the survey of and works in and upon the Santa Ana river watershed and basin for flood control; and making an appropriation therefor."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Strike out all of lines 1 to 17 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. The sum of fifty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the division of engineering and irrigation, state department of public works, for the purpose of making a survey of the Santa Ana river watershed and basin and for the construction of works for the control of floods of the Santa Ana river and its tributaries, *provided, however*, that the sum herein appropriated shall not be available until an equal amount shall have been appropriated for the same purpose by the counties of San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1154—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1, 2, 3 and 4 and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. The state board of equalization shall, between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-five for the support of the state government assess and levy taxes upon the property in the manner and upon the rates of taxation as provided for in the subdivisions (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), and (*d*), of section fourteen of article thirteen of the constitution of the State of California, or if any rate of taxation shall have been changed by the legislature pursuant to subdivision (*f*) of said section and article, then upon such rate of taxation as so changed and fixed for the purpose of raising the sum of fifty-two million dollars for annual expenditure for the support of the state government for the seventy-seventh fiscal year, and in the event that the taxes so assessed and levied, together with all available revenues other than those revenues required by law to be used for special uses, shall not raise said sum of fifty-two million dollars, then said above named revenues shall be deemed insufficient to meet the annual expenditures of the state for the seventy-seventh fiscal year, which deficiency is hereby declared to be the difference between the amount of taxes assessed and levied upon the property and in the manner and upon the rates of taxation hereinbefore specified, together with all other state revenues, other than those revenues required by law to be used for special uses, and said sum of fifty-two million dollars, then said state

board of equalization, in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (c) of said section fourteen of article thirteen of the constitution of the State of California, at the time provided in section three thousand six hundred ninety-six of the Political Code, shall fix such an ad valorem rate of taxation for the said seventy-seventh fiscal year upon each one hundred dollars in value of taxable property, upon all the property in the State of California not exempt from taxation under the law and subject to taxation for state purposes on the seventh day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred ten as after allowing five per cent for delinquencies, will raise for said seventy-seventh fiscal year the amount of said deficiency.

SEC 2. The state board of equalization shall, between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-six, for the support of the state government, assess and levy taxes upon the property in the manner and upon the rates of taxation as provided for in subdivisions (a), (b), (c) and (d) of section fourteen of article thirteen of the constitution of the State of California, or if any rate of taxation shall have been changed by the legislature pursuant to subdivision (f) of said section and article, then upon such rate of taxation as so changed and fixed by the laws now in force, for the purpose of raising the sum of fifty-two million dollars for annual expenditure for the support of the state government for the seventy-eighth fiscal year, and in the event that the taxes so assessed and levied, together with all available revenues other than those revenues required by law to be used for special uses, shall not raise the said sum of fifty-two million dollars, then said above named revenues shall be deemed insufficient to meet the annual expenditures of the state for the seventy-eighth fiscal year, which deficiency is hereby declared to be the difference between the amount of taxes assessed and levied upon the property and in the manner and upon the rates of taxation as hereinbefore specified, together with all other state revenues, other than those revenues required by law to be used for special uses, and said sum of fifty-two million dollars, then said state board of equalization, in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (c) of said section fourteen of article thirteen of the constitution of the State of California, at the time provided in section three thousand six hundred ninety-six of the Political Code, shall fix such an ad valorem rate of taxation for said seventy-eighth fiscal year upon each one hundred dollars in value of taxable property, upon all the property of the State of California not exempt from taxation under the law and subject to taxation for state purposes on the seventh day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred ten, as, after allowing five per cent for delinquencies, will raise for said seventy-eighth fiscal year the amount of said deficiency.

SEC 3. Any tax so levied and collected to meet a deficiency in state revenues for either of said fiscal years shall be assessed, levied and collected on all property in the state, not exempt from taxation, including the classes of property enumerated in section fourteen of article thirteen of the constitution of this state, under the provisions of the Political Code relating to the assessment, levy and collection of state and county taxes as said provisions were in force on the seventh day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred ten.

SEC. 4. This act, inasmuch as it provides for a tax levy for the usual current expenses of the state, shall under the provisions of section one of article four of the constitution of the State of California, take effect immediately.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1316—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to appointment of fish and game wardens.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1312—An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 693—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and

granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 472—An act to prohibit the employment of aliens by contractors and subcontractors on public work being done under the authority of the State, or any officer or department thereof, or under the authority of any county, city and county, city, or town, or any officer or department thereof, except in cases of extraordinary emergency, caused by fire, flood, or danger to life or property, or except to work upon public military or naval defenses or works in time of war, and except when it can be shown to the satisfaction of the proper constituted authorities that at the time of employment citizens of this State and of the United States were not available for employment, providing that where citizens are unavailable for employment and aliens are employed and citizens later become available, they shall be given the positions held by the noncitizens, and providing penalties for the violation of any of the provisions hereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 107—An act recognizing and declaring valid Tia Juana River Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings on formation and organization thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for

the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the salary of the sealer of weights and measures in counties of the fifth class

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 384—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 286—An act authorizing the State Board of Control to grant to or consent to the condemnation by the city of Oakland of a right of way for a public street and highway over and across the lands of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend sections 2 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to definitions of real estate salesmen and brokers and penalties for violations of this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 278—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by

persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the object of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 96, 98, 100, 102, 114, 130, 138, 145, 153, 154, 155 and 159, relating to the use, operation and equipment of vehicles, the registration of vehicles and the fees to be paid therefor, notices to be given upon exporting or dismantling motor vehicles and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provisions of the act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2 1925, amend the title thereof by striking out the words "ninety-six, ninety-eight," in line 31 and after the word "one hundred," in line 31, insert the words "one hundred one,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, amend the title thereof by striking out the word "thirty" the first time it appears in line 33, and insert in lieu thereof the words "thirty-one

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 21, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the brackets.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 3, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, following the period after the word "offices", insert the following "No information relative to the matters required to be set forth in such posted records shall be made public by any officer or employee of the division in advance of such posting."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 3, line 43, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the brackets.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 4, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the words "twelve o'clock noon" and in line 13 strike out the words "on the first Monday in March" and insert in lieu thereof "midnight on the thirty-first day of December".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 4, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the word "at" and in line 18 strike out the words "twelve o'clock noon on the first Monday in March" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "on the first day of January".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 33, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the words 'during the period of thirty days after the first", and in line 34 strike out the words "Monday in March" and insert in lieu thereof the following "until midnight of January thirty-first"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the word "light" and in said line 23 after the word "semi-trailers" insert the following "weighing not to exceed five hundred pounds unladen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 9 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out all of lines 49 to 52, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN

On page 10 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out all of lines 1 to 24, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 10, line 25, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec 13" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 11"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 10 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out all of lines 30 to 33, both inclusive, and in line 34 strike out "hundred feet ahead" and insert in lieu thereof the following "during the times and under the conditions mentioned in Section 99 hereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN

On page 10, line 38, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifty-four"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN

On page 10, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, following the period after the word "power", insert as a new paragraph the following

"Sec 12. Section one hundred one of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 101. Construction arrangement and adjustment of headlights. The headlights of motor vehicles shall be so constructed, arranged and adjusted that they will, at all times mentioned in Section 99 and under normal atmospheric conditions, produce ample driving light for the use of the operator of such vehicle but will not project a glaring or dazzling light to persons approaching such lights or to persons whom such headlights may approach

Headlights shall be presumed to comply with this section if they comply with the following requirements and limitations when the vehicle upon which they are affixed is fully loaded, such compliance shall be presumed if such headlights are affixed to such vehicle in the manner required by this act and are of a type, or are equipped with lenses, reflectors or control devices which have been found to meet such requirements and limitations by the laboratory test provided in section one hundred two and when used in accordance with the instructions of the testing agency

The light projected by such headlights shall be as follows

1. In the median vertical plane parallel to the lamps on a level with the centers of the lamps, not less than one thousand eight hundred apparent candle power.

2. In the median vertical plane, one degree of arc below the level of the center of the lamps, not less than seven thousand two hundred apparent candle power and there shall not be less than seven thousand two hundred apparent candle power anywhere on the horizontal line through this point one degree to the left or to the right of this point

3. In the median vertical plane, one degree of arc above the level of the center of the lamps not more than one thousand five hundred, nor less than five hundred, apparent candle power.

4 Four degrees of arc to the left of the median vertical plane and one degree of arc above the level of the center of the lamps not more than eight hundred apparent candle power.

5 One and one-half degrees of arc below the level of the center of the lamps and three degrees of arc to the left and to the right, respectively, of the median vertical plane, not less than five thousand apparent candle power nor less than this amount anywhere on the line connecting these two points.

6 Three degrees of arc below the level of the center of the lamps and six degrees of arc to the left and to the right, respectively, of the median vertical plane, not less than two thousand apparent candle power nor less than this amount anywhere on the line connecting these two points.

Provided it shall be lawful, when the above requirements and limitations are otherwise complied with, to so construct or equip the headlights of motor vehicles as to permit that the beams of light projected therefrom be depressed downward not more than three degrees of arc below the level otherwise required under this section but without diminishing the amount of light projected therefrom when so depressed. When the division of motor vehicles shall determine that any such device, when so operated during the times and under the conditions mentioned in section ninety-nine, will project a glaring or dazzling light to persons in front of such headlights or that such headlights when equipped or constructed with such device fail to produce ample

driving light for the use of the driver of such vehicle, then the division shall refuse approval for the use thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN

On page 10, line 50, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec. 14." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 13."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 11 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out all of lines 12 to 50, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(c) Any person, firm or corporation may submit to the chief of the division of motor vehicles a headlight lens, reflector or headlight control device and make application that the same be tested as to conformity with the requirements of this act, or may apply to the division of motor vehicles for a certificate of approval without submitting such headlight lens, reflector or headlight control device to a test by the testing agency appointed by the division of motor vehicles when such application is accompanied by a certificate of approval from the bureau of standards of the department of commerce of the United States, stating that such headlight lens, reflector or headlight control device has been tested in accordance with the conditions of this act by said bureau and found by it to comply with the requirements of this act, said certificate having incorporated thereon complete instructions for the adjustment and use of said headlight lens, reflector or headlight control device, together with candle power of the lamp or bulb to be used therewith, whereupon the division shall issue a certificate of approval therefor for use in California under the conditions set forth in the certificate of the bureau of standards.

Upon an application for a test, as first above mentioned, the chief of the division of motor vehicles shall, upon notice to the applicant, submit such device to a testing agency appointed as herein provided with the request that such device be tested as to conformity with the provisions of this act. Each such applicant shall, upon the filing of his application, pay to the division a fee of fifty dollars. All such fees shall be paid by the division into the state treasury and deposited in a fund to be known as the "motor vehicle testing fee fund", and the moneys in such fund, or so much of them as may be necessary, as hereby appropriated to meet the expenses of the test provided for in this section, and the balance thereof, if any, shall be paid into the motor vehicle fund.

(d) The testing agency shall adjust each device in accordance with the printed instructions of the manufacturer thereof and conduct an exact scientific and laboratory test of every device submitted to it, as herein provided, to determine whether or not the device submitted will conform with the requirements of this act. Each device submitted shall be tested with twenty-one standard candlepower lamp or bulb, thirty-two standard candlepower lamp or bulb and any standard candlepower lamp or bulb between these two limits. The testing agency shall submit in duplicate a detailed report of each such test to the division of motor vehicles, such report shall give in detail the apparent candlepower of light projected at each point of the said test, the candlepower of the lamp or bulb used to produce the amount of light nearest the maximum requirement of section one hundred one hereof, any particular adjustments required by the testing agency which are not included in the manufacturers' printed instructions, together with the reasons for such additional requirements, and a statement as to whether or not the device is approved and will conform with the requirements of this act when used in accordance with the instructions of the testing agency. Each such report shall be signed by the person who made the test and by an officer of the institution under which said test has been made. Reports of all such tests shall be accessible to the public and a copy thereof shall be furnished by the chief of the division of motor vehicles to the applicant for the test.

(e) Whenever the division shall receive from the testing agency a report that a particular device has been tested and approved, together with instructions as to the candlepower lamp or bulb and any particular adjustments to be used in connection with such device, the division shall issue to the applicant a certificate of approval, together with a copy of the instructions of the testing agency relative to the use of such device."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 13, line 31, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec. 15." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 14."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN

On page 14 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out all of lines 6 to 52, both inclusive, and on page 15 strike out all of lines 1 to 12, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 15. Section one hundred thirty-one of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 131. Right of way. (a) When two vehicles approach an intersection of public highways at approximately the same time, the vehicle approaching from the

right shall have the right of way, provided such vehicle is traveling at a lawful speed. (b) The driver of a vehicle entering a public highway from a private road or drive shall yield the right of way to all vehicles approaching on said public highway."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 15, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec. 17." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 16."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 15, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec. 18." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 17."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 15, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec. 19." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 18."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 16 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out all lines 32 to 52, both inclusive, and on page 17, strike out all of lines 1 to 21, both inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 17, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec. 20." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 19."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 18, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec 21." and insert in lieu thereof "Sec 20."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 18 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out all of lines 32 to 34, both inclusive, and in line 35 strike out the words "Speed trap and provided that every" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Every".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 18, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out "Sec 22." and insert in lieu thereof the following. "Sec 21."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 20, line 47, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, after the words "shall be", insert the following "paid into the state highway maintenance fund and shall be".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 390—An act to amend section 361 of the Civil Code, providing for the increasing or diminishing of the number of directors or trustees of a corporation.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 419—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate the issuance of stock without nominal or par value by public utility corporations now existing or hereafter organized," approved May 31, 1917.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No 418—An act to amend section 591 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations for the formation of chambers of commerce, boards of trade, mechanics' institutes, and other kindred associations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 809—An act to add section 309½ to the Civil Code, relating to the authorization of the distribution of the capital stock or capital assets of a corporation among its stockholders, and the procedure therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 714—An act relating to and providing for the formation, organization and management of corporations for the purpose of receiving and maintaining a fund or funds and applying the income and principal thereof to promote the well-being of mankind

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "without" and all of lines 12 and 13, down to and including the comma following the word "impose".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to creation and compensation of county officers in the forty-first class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 431—An act to amend section 19*f* of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and clerks in counties of the seventh class

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 481—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section to be numbered 38, relating to the making of re-assessments.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 327—An act confirming, legalizing and validating a certain grant of land made by the city of San Diego to the United States for the use of the Navy Department.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 328—An act confirming, legalizing and validating a certain grant of land made by the city of San Diego to the United States for the use of the Navy Department.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 188—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of transferring bodies from the old to the new cemetery of the State Hospital at Stockton.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1374 of the Penal Code, relating to expenses of persons committed to State hospitals.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 344—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608*e*, to authorize the governing boards of school districts to rent, purchase, or build, and furnish school buildings to house pupils or employees of the school districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend section 1 of article XIII of the constitution of said State, relating to taxation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, strike out the semicolon following the word "ownership" and the remainder of the line and all of lines 16, 17, 18, and in line 19, strike out all the line down to the semicolon following the word "taxation".

Amendment adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the United States in reference to the levy and collection of taxes on incomes derived from securities issued under the authority of the United States or of any state.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of Assembly Joint Resolution No 5 the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 22 of the printed resolution, after the word "congress" strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof the words "when such resolution has been amended to read as follows, "giving unto the United States the power to lay and collect taxes on incomes derived from securities issued, after the ratification of such amendment, by or under authority of any of the states, and to each state the power and authority to lay and collect taxes on the value of securities issued, after the ratification of such amendment, by or under authority of the United States, or in lieu of such taxes upon value to lay and collect taxes on the income derived from such securities"."

Amendment adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36 read.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During reading of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, lines 18, 19 and 20, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one thousand nine hundred fourteen, one thousand nine hundred fifteen and one thousand nine hundred sixteen" and in place of said words insert the following: "nineteen hundred fourteen, nineteen hundred fifteen and nineteen hundred sixteen"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "dispersed" and insert the word "disbursed"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "such" at the end of the line and insert the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 3, line 14, of the printed bill, strike out the word "dispersed" and insert the word "disbursed".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee:

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 36 ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the work of the American Legion.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the printed resolution, strike out all of lines 10 and 11

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon immediately following the word "welfare" and in lieu thereof insert a comma and add the following "the quota of said fund for California being the sum of four hundred thousand dollars,".

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to visit the site of the Boulder Canyon Dam, the Imperial Valley, and southern California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the last line of Assembly concurrent resolution strike out the words "the wonderful southern part of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

At the end of Assembly concurrent resolution add the following

"*Resolved*, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the President of the United States, to the secretary of war, president of the senate, speaker of the house, to members of the rivers and harbors committee of the house of representatives, to the members of the appropriate committee of the United States senate and to each of the senators and representatives in congress from the State of California."

Amendments adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to authorize the making of a survey and the preparation of plans and estimates and the construction of a highway from the town of Alturas, in Modoc County, to New Pine Creek on the Oregon-California line by the most direct and practical route connecting with the Oregon state highway—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 291—An act appropriating money to complete the construction of the trail in the Sierra Nevada Mountains known as the "John Muir Trail" and laterals therefrom,

Also Senate Bill No. 608—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey; and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 360—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way, and to construct and maintain a highway, which is hereby declared to constitute and be a State highway, extending from Needles or from a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission upon the route of the State highway extending from San Bernardino to Needles in the county of San Bernardino to a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Arizona opposite the town of Topock, Arizona, or at such other point thereon as may be selected by said California Highway Commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 437—An act to authorize the State Highway Commission to cooperate with the Federal Bureau of Public Roads in numbering and marking the road of interstate character—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No 148—An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000 to be used in the construction, renewal and repair of works for restraining, impounding and controlling debris resulting from mining operations, natural erosions and other causes, and to provide for the manner of expending such appropriation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 281—An act to appropriate moneys for, and to authorize and direct the California Highway Commission to complete that part of the State highway system of the State of California between the towns of Middletown and Lower Lake in Lake County, provided for by an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled, "An act calling a special election to be held on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, and providing for the submission thereat to the qualified electors of the State of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California known as Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27, proposed by the Legislature of said State at its forty-third session, providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $40,000,000 for the completion of the State highway system and the acquisition and construction of other State highways by the State Department of Engineering, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act." approved July 1, 1919,

Also Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the willful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners;

Also Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 776—An act appropriating money for salaries and maintenance of the California Industrial Farm for Women,

Also Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money for the construction of buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women,

Also Assembly Bill No. 903—An act making an appropriation for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration,

Also Assembly Bill No 1099—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of certain lands in Los Angeles County and apply the proceeds to the purchase of other lands in said county,

Also Assembly Bill No 1142—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1893, relating to publication of school notices,

Also Assembly Bill No 1168—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of officers and employees, Chico State Teachers College, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years,

Also Assembly Bill No 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compiling, printing, and distributing constitutional amendments for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years,

Also Assembly Bill No 1222—An act creating a Board of Retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison, providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said Board of Retirement,

Also Assembly Bill No 1223—An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1105—An act to amend sections 1083 (—*a*), 1094, 1095 (—*a*), 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120, 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment—and reports that the same has been correctly re-re-re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1290 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1249 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of ten o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY-SIX.

Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton Channel.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 556 passed by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Jones—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1293 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Jacobson moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 1268—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1268 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter,

Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1099—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of certain lands in Los Angeles County and apply the proceeds to the purchase of other lands in said county.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1099 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—45.
NOES—Bernard, Jones, Miller, Eleanor; Runner, Sewell, Smith, and Mr. Speaker—7.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1168—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of officers and employees, Chico State Teachers College, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

URGENCY CLAUSE READ.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1168 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*g*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr. Reindollar moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 654 was refused passage be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors, and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to the appointment of employees.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Croter moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 720 was passed be reconsidered.

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—45.

NOES—Cleveland, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Heisinger, Jost, McDowell, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, and Mr. Speaker—21.

Assembly Bill No. 720 ordered placed on file for passage.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The following announcement was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

By Mr. West:

SACRAMENTO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, April 14, 1925.

To all Senators and Assemblymen.

You are very cordially invited to attend the First Annual Asparagus Festival to be held at Isleton, Saturday and Sunday, April 18 and 19.

Here is opportunity to enjoy two full days of festivity. Saturday, April 18, there will be asparagus cutting and packing contests, tours through the asparagus fields, band concerts by the Preston and Ione Boys' Band; trips through the canneries, trap shoots, balloon ascensions, aerial fireworks and athletic contests. The "Queen's Ball" will be held at 8.30 p.m. with music furnished by the Hotel Whitcomb Orchestra.

Sunday, April 19, will witness the "Queen's Pageant" and coronation, and an allegorical pageant will be staged by two hundred children. On arrival of the American Legion Band, a reception will be given by all Legion organizations in the delta. Free transportation will be provided through the asparagus fields. There will be balloon ascensions, fireworks, athletic contests and dancing. The big canneries will keep open house and cooked asparagus will be served to visitors.

The delta district is now producing, on the most fertile land in the world, more than 90 per cent of the world's supply of white asparagus. The annual production of this crop alone totals more than $13,000,000.

Drive to Isleton next Saturday and Sunday. Enjoy the "Netherlands" setting of beautiful homes and orchards which line the River Boulevard Citizens of Sacramento and Stockton will be at Isleton to meet and greet you.

Yours very truly,

HAROLD J. McCURRY, President.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 read

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 17.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p m of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m , the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTRODUCE BILL.

The following request for permission to introduce bill was presented:

By Mr. Roberts:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMETO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I ask permission to introduce the accompanying bill, the title of which reads as follows

An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 258, relating to libel

Referred to Committee on Introduction of Bills

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McDowell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "each" add the sentence "And one stenographer at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 22, of the printed bill, after the word "fees" strike out the misspelling of the word "received" and insert in lieu thereof the word "receive".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 8 of the printed bill, after line 38 strike out all of the rest of the page and on page 9 of the printed bill strike out lines 1 to 9, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 9 of the printed bill, renumber paragraph 18 and make it 17.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 9 of the printed bill, renumber paragraph 19 and make it 18.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McDowell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1054, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McDOWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about South Basin and South Basin Canal and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations, and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

SCOFIELD, Chairman.
MORRISON.
CARTER.
HARTRANFT.
BADHAM.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 154—An act to amend section 122 of the "California Vehicle Act" approved May 30, 1923, relating to walking or driving on highways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to amend section 72 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to licenses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

BADHAM, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of

persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle, to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses, to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SMITH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER, Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to amend sections 8 and 10½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alternation of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, relating to listing of property—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No 632—An act defining and regulating the business of dry-cleaning and dyeing, standardizing the business of, and providing for the maintenance, construction and inspection of dry-cleaning and dyeing buildings and establishments, providing ways and means for enforcing this act and fixing penalties for the violation thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No 201—An act to amend section 10½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the practice of optometry—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WALTERS, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON UNIVERSITIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1300—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses to the regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a

professorship of nursing education—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.
CAMPBELL.
ROLAND.
MILLER, ELEANOR.
CARTER.
MUELLER.
DAVIS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 753 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the Supreme Court:

Also Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 760 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the courts of appeal

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1283—An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Department of Public Accounting—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 139—An act to amend section 360*d* of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction of the Department of Finance—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 541—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1306—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the textbook royalty fund,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1303—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1304—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1309—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund;
Also Assembly Bill No. 1315—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition Commissioners;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 303—An act to amend section 445 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the Inheritance Tax Department—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1256—An act to amend section 2524 of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction, powers and duties of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.
Also Assembly Bill No. 453—An act to abolish the Labor Bureau contingent fund.
Also Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 1281—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company;
Also. Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;
Also· Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto;
Also· Assembly Bill No. 1295—An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California;
Also· Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improve-

ment and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1301—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 4463 and 4464 and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 2½, 3, 5, 7, 15, 17, 21¾, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38 and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended and to add seven new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a* 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, and 22*a*;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action against the surety or sureties on the contractor's bond independent of a right of action against the board, commission, officer, or other body by whom the contract was awarded, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed.

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

ON INSURANCE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 24—An act to amend section 421 of the Civil Code, relating to investments of insurance companies.

Also Senate Bill No. 414—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 453*hh*, defining and regulating the business of land value insurance, declaring the conditions on which land value insurance may be done and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act;

Also Senate Bill No. 415—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 506*b*, relative to embezzlement by insurance agents and brokers.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

SCUDDER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 816—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or

county, or city operating under freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation, in the State of California to donate and grant to the regents of the University of California, as a public trust for the State of California, any real property owned by it, or which it may hereafter acquire, within or without its corporate limits, for a site upon which the regents of the University of California may erect university buildings or maintain grounds in connection therewith; and also authorizing and empowering any of the same to use such part of its funds as deemed necessary toward the acquisition of such a site, also authorizing the incurring of indebtedness for any of the purposes aforesaid, and validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purpose, and all of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of bonds for any such purpose—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be re-referred to Committee on Universities

DEUEL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Universities.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding section 2¼ to article 2 of said constitution, relating to election to nonpartisan office at a primary election—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

(Signed out)

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.
McDOWELL.
LITTLE.
COOMBS.
SPALDING.
WELLER.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following Assembly concurrent resolution was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Spence: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relative to the compilation or codification of the laws of California.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1208—An act to amend section 1365 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to letters of administration, to whom granted, and the order in which they are granted.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first four lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered four thousand one hundred eighty-four, creating the office of public guardian."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 7, page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following

SECTION 1. A new section to be numbered four thousand one hundred and eighty-four is hereby added to the Political Code, to read as follows:

4184 The office of public guardian is hereby created in each county of the state. It shall be the duty of the public guardian to apply for and receive letters of guardianship in the following cases

(a) Of the person and property of any person living in his county having a claim for pension or a claim for allotment, allowance, compensation or insurance under and by virtue of an act of congress of the United States establishing a bureau

of war risk insurance, whenever such person is mentally incompetent to manage his property and such property does not exceed one thousand dollars in value, exclusive of money payable or to become payable under said act.

(b) Of the property of any minor having a claim for pension or a claim for allotment, allowance compensation or insurance under and by virtue of an act of congress of the United States establishing a bureau of war risk insurance, whenever such minor has no parent living competent to act as a guardian and the value of the property of such minor does not exceed one thousand dollars in value, exclusive of the money payable to said minor under said act.

The public administrator shall be ex officio guardian in each county and liable upon his official bond as public administrator for the faithful discharge of his duties as such guardian. Each public guardian shall file an account in the matter of each guardianship at least once a year.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "pupils" insert "and provide for dental treatment for the pupils".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the words "provide for" and insert in lieu thereof "tend to".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1305—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to authorize the making of a survey, and the preparation of plans and estimates, and the construction of a highway from the town of Alturas, in Modoc County, to New Pine Creek on the Oregon-California line by the most direct and practical route connecting with the Oregon state highway.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about South Basin and South Basin Canal and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "South Basin–South Basin Canal Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said South Basin–South Basin Canal Reclamation District.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 154—An act to amend section 122 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to walking or driving on highways.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 942—An act to amend section 72 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to licenses

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the first line of the title of the printed bill after the "section", strike out the word "seventy-two" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fifty-seven of and to add a new section to be numbered fifty-three *a* to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the second line of the title of the printed bill, after the figures "1923" strike out the comma and the following: "relating to licenses"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

In line 1 of the printed bill, strike out the words "seventy-two" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifty-seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

Strike out line 4 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 57. Public garages, records to be kept. Every person engaged in the business of conducting a public garage shall keep a written record of every motor vehicle stored therein for compensation for a period longer than twelve hours, which record shall include the name and address of the person storing such vehicle with a brief description of such vehicle including the name or make, the motor number and the license number thereof as shown by the number plates and registration certificate upon such vehicle. Every such record shall be open to inspection by any peace officer. When a motor vehicle has been abandoned in a public garage, parking station, or other place where motor vehicles are stored for a period of more than sixty days and the whereabouts of the owner of such vehicle are unknown the chief of police or marshal of the city or town in which such public garage or parking station is located must be notified or if such public garage or parking station be located in unincorporated territory such report must be filed with the sheriff of the county. Such report shall state the name and address of the registered owner, the legal owner of such vehicle and the name of the maker, type, engine and license numbers and such additional information as may be required.

SEC. 2. A new section to be numbered fifty-three *a* is hereby added to said act to read as follows:

53*a*. Notices required upon exporting or dismantling motor vehicles and upon change of address of any owner.

(*a*) Every person, firm or corporation who shall export for commercial purposes to any place outside the continental United States any motor vehicle registered under this act shall give not less than forty-eight hours previous notice of such shipment to the division of motor vehicles and to the sheriff of the county or the chief of police if place of export is an incorporated city, such notice to state the shipping point and destination, also the names and addresses of the consignor, consignee, owner and legal owner of the vehicle and such description thereof including the name of the maker, type, engine and license numbers and such additional information as may be required and shall also at the same time return to the division of motor vehicles the certificates of ownership and registration and license plates issued for such vehicle.

(*b*) Every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of wrecking, dismantling, or disassembling motor vehicles for the purpose of selling, trading or dealing in the parts thereof shall before so wrecking any motor vehicle prepare a record in triplicate upon a form to be provided by the division setting forth the names and addresses of the person preparing such record and of the person from whom such vehicle was acquired and the date thereof, also a description of the vehicle including the name of the maker, type, engine and license numbers and such additional information as may be called for in such form. The person hereby required to prepare such record in triplicate shall keep the original thereof open to inspection by any peace officer for not less than one year thereafter and not less than five days previous to so wrecking or otherwise altering such vehicle shall file one copy of such record with the division of motor vehicles together with the license

plates and certificate of registration and ownership of such vehicle, and a second copy of such record with the chief of police or marshal of the city or town in which such work is to be done, or if such work is done in unincorporated territory then with the sheriff of such county."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 13, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "there" strike out the balance of line 13, and all of lines 14 to 28, inclusive.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to amend sections 8 and 10½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alternation of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, relating to listing of property.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "sections eight and ten and one-half of", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "section eight of, and to add a new section, to be numbered ten *b*, to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out lines 33 and 34 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 2. *A new section to be numbered ten b is hereby added to said* act, to read as follows:".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "Sec. 10½", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 10*b*."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1300—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses to the regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a professorship of nursing education.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 753 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the Supreme Court.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 760 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the courts of appeal.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Department of Public Accounting.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "corporation" and add the following: "or the electors thereof by an initiative ordinance,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend section 2524 of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction, powers and duties of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 453—An act to abolish the Labor Bureau contingent fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees, and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1306—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the textbook royalty fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1307—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1303—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1304—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1309—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1315—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition Commissioners.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 read.

ASSEMBLYMAN HORNBLOWER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and thirty-five minutes p.m., Hon. William B. Hornblower, member from the Twenty-fifth District, was called to the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and forty-three minutes p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relative to legislative reapportionment.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 read.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 17 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotor, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes,

Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—43

NOES—Badham, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Davis, Dodge, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—32.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of two o'clock p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER EIGHT.

Assembly Bill No. 8—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 8 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Byrne, Carter, Davis, Dodge, Graves, Hartranft, Jones, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—19

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—53.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL

Mr. McDonough moved that Assembly Bill No. 254 be withdrawn from the Committee on Insurance, and placed upon the file for passage.

The question being on the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 254 from Committee on Insurance.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 254 from committee carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—43

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Graves, Johnson, Jost, Little, Melville, Mixter, Pierce, Saylor, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—23

Assembly Bill No. 254 ordered placed on file.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Introduction of Bills, to which was referred the following bill, herewith returns the same with the recommendation that the author be permitted to introduce it. The title of said bill is as follows:

By Mr. Roberts (by request). An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 258, relating to libel.

Mr. McDowell moved the adoption of the report.

The question being on the adoption of the report.

The roll was called and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs,

Crittenden, Crotor, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILL.

The following bill was introduced, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Roberts (by request): Assembly Bill No 1318—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 258, relating to libel.

Bill read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered 14, relating to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 11 read

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Brock moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Little, Pierce, Graves, Walters and Brock, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Brock for a call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for a call of the House carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dodge, Finney, Foster, Graves, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—36.

NOES—Anderson, R J, Broughton, Burns, Cleveland, Easley, Fry, Hornblower, Jost, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, and Williamson—14.

Time, three o'clock and forty-eight minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges.

Bill read third time

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Jost moved that Assembly Bill No 496 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No 496—re-referred to Committee on County Government

Assembly Bill No. 1132—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "indoisement" and insert in lieu thereof the word "indorsed"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 32, of the printed bill strike out the word "appraisment" and insert in lieu thereof the word "appraisement".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the word "apprais-" and insert in lieu thereof the word "appraise-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 5, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the word "appraisment" and insert in lieu thereof the word "appraisement".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 5, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "appraisment" and insert in lieu thereof the word "appraisement".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "appraisment" and insert in lieu thereof the word "appraisement"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out the word "appraisment" and insert in lieu thereof the word "appraisement"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "appraisment" and insert in lieu thereof the word "appraisement".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "baies" and insert in lieu thereof the word "bears".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "appraisment" and insert in lieu thereof the word "appraisement"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1132, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No 18—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 18 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—64.

NOES—Broughton, Finney, Graves, and Mr. Speaker—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1105—An act to amend sections 1083, 1094, 1095, 1097, 1103, 1105, 1106, 1120, 1121 of the Political Code, relating to registration of electors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1105 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—62.

NOES—Bernard, Crittenden, Deuel, Finney, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, West, and Mr. Speaker—9.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 517—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to empower the State Market Director of California to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to regulate the destruction of food fish; to create a State Fish Exchange; to license those engaged in marketing fish; to create a State Fish Exchange fund and a revolving fund; to provide penalties for violations of this act; to investigate and report on the fish industry, and to promote the sale of fish," approved June 1, 1917, as amended

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 517 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1223 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years

Bill read third time

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Johnson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "health" strike out the period and add the following words: "of agricultural food products the commercial sterilization of which in the opinion of the California State Board of Health requires the use of pressure cookers."

Motion carried

The Speaker appointed Mr. Johnson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1282, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JOHNSON, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage

Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compiling, printing, and distributing constitutional amendments for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1169 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1275 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1281 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel,

Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1295—An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1295 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered $3\frac{1}{2}$, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Carter moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out all of said line 1 after the period following the figure "1" and strike out lines 2 to 23, inclusive, and on page 2 of the printed bill strike out lines 1 to 37, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A new section is hereby added to an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities", approved March 18, 1885, as amended, to be numbered three and one-half and to read as follows

Sec. $3\frac{1}{2}$. When the work proposed to be done is the construction or reconstruction of sewers for sanitary or drainage purposes or either or both thereof, the council shall have power in the resolution of intention to declare its intention to do such work according to some one of two or more plans or methods or with some one of two or more kinds of material or mixtures and to adopt plans and specifications for the doing of such work according to such alternative plans or methods or with such alternative kinds of material or mixtures. In the event the council shall so declare in its resolution of intention, then the council shall upon the hearing provided for in section three hereof, determine that such work shall be so done, and invite proposals for the doing thereof according to such alternative method or plan or with such alternative kinds of materials or mixtures, and upon the opening of such proposals said council shall thereupon fix a time for hearing upon the proposals so received, notice of which shall be given by posting and publication for the same time and in the same manner as is provided for the notice inviting proposals, the first publication of which notice shall be at least ten days before the time of hearing so fixed. At such hearing any person interested shall have the right to

appear and be heard upon the question as to which method or plan or material or mixture shall be adopted for the doing of such work and as to which proposal shall be accepted. The council may thereupon in its award of the contract determine not only the bidder to whom the award shall be made, but also which one of such alternative methods or plans of doing such work shall be adopted, or which of such alternative materials or mixtures shall be adopted, for the doing of said work. It shall thereupon award the contract, if an award be made, to the lowest responsible bidder for the doing of said work according to such plan or method or material or mixture so adopted, and thereupon said work shall be done in accordance with the plan or method or material or mixture so adopted. No other method or procedure provided for in this act shall govern in regard to the doing of said work. The procedure provided for in this section shall be an alternative procedure to that provided in the other sections of this act, of which this section forms a part, and the council shall be at liberty to use such procedure or not in its discretion. If the council shall not exercise its discretion to call for proposals for the doing of said work according to the alternative method as herein provided for, or plan, or such alternative materials or mixtures, then this section shall not apply to any proceeding taken under this act. It is *provided further* that, notwithstanding any charter or other provision of law requiring the award of contract to be made by a public board or officer, other than the council, nevertheless, in all cases where proceedings have been taken under this section the award of contract shall be by the council and said council shall not only determine the bidder to whom the award shall be made, but also the method or plan or materials or mixtures to be adopted for the doing of such work."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Carter as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1294, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CARTER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period after the figure "1" strike out all the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: A new section is hereby added to an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grade of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds

to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," to be numbered ten and one-half and to read as follows

Section 10½. When the work proposed to be done is the construction or reconstruction of sewers for sanitary or drainage purposes, or either or both thereof, the council shall have power in the resolution of intention to declare its intention to do such work according some one of two or more plans or methods or with some one of two or more kinds of material or mixtures and to adopt plans and specifications for the doing of such work according to such alternative plans or methods or with such alternative kinds of materials or mixtures. In the event the council shall so declare in its resolution of intention, then the council shall upon the hearing provided in section three hereof determine that such class or classes or kind or kinds of work shall be so done, and invite proposals for the doing thereof according to such alternative method or plan or with such alternative kinds of materials or mixtures, and upon the opening of such proposals said council shall thereupon fix a time for hearing upon the proposals so received, notice of which shall be given by posting and publication for the same time and in the same manner as is provided for the notice inviting proposals, the first publication of which notice shall be at least ten days before the time of hearing so fixed. At such hearing any person interested shall have the right to appear and be heard upon the question as to which method or plan or material or mixture shall be adopted for the doing of such work and as to which proposal shall be accepted. The council may thereupon in its award of contract determine not only the bidder to whom the award shall be made, but also which one of such alternative methods or plans of doing such work shall be adopted, or which of such alternative materials or mixtures shall be adopted, for the doing of said work. It shall thereupon award the contract, if an award be made, to the lowest responsible bidder for the doing of said work according to such plan or method or material or mixture so adopted, and thereupon said work shall be done in accordance with the plan or method or material or mixture so adopted. No other method of procedure provided for in this act shall govern in regard to the doing of said work. The procedure provided for in this section shall be an alternative procedure to that provided in the other sections of this act, of which this section forms a part, and the council shall be at liberty to use such procedure or not in its discretion. If the council shall not exercise its discretion to call for proposals for the doing of said work according to the alternative method as herein provided for, or plan, or such alternative materials or mixtures then this section shall not apply to any proceeding taken under this act. It is provided further that, notwithstanding any charter or other provisions of law requiring the award of contract to be made by a public board or officer, other than the council, nevertheless, in all cases where proceedings have been taken under this section the award of contract shall be by the council and said council shall not only determine the bidder to whom the award shall be made, but also the method or plan or materials or mixtures to be adopted for the doing of such work

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1298, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs,

damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Weller moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period after the figure "1" strike out all of the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: Section two of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. Before ordering any establishment, change or modification of grade, or any improvement described in section one hereof, the said legislative body shall pass an ordinance or resolution, declaring its intention so to do, and that, in its opinion, damage to private property would result from such improvement, designating the proposed grade, describing the proposed improvement, fixing the time and place for the hearing of protests in relation thereto by said legislative body, which shall be not less than thirty days from the date of the passage of said ordinance or resolution of intention, and specifying the exterior boundaries of the district of land to be benefited by said improvement, and to be specially assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof, and the damages caused by said improvement, which shall be known as the assessment district.

Such legislative body may include in one improvement, under one ordinance or resolution of intention and order and under one contract, the grade of all or any portion of one or more streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, rights of way or other land of the city, or land in which and where the city has an easement or right of way, established, changes, or modified, and the grade of the roadway or any of the following avenues of public travel, namely tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges, or independent subterranean ways in, on, under, over or through any portion of any of said streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, right of way or other land of the city, or land in which and where the city has an easement or right of way, established, changed or modified, and the construction of any one or more or all of the different kinds of work enumerated in section one hereof, upon the same or any part or portion thereof, and may exclude therefrom any of such work already done. *Provided, however,* that when the work proposed to be done is the construction or reconstruction of sewers for sanitary or drainage purposes, or either or both thereof, the council shall have power in the resolution or ordinance to declare its intention to do said work according to some one of two or more plans or methods or with some one of two or more kinds of material or mixtures and to adopt plans and specifications for the doing of said work according to such alternative plans or methods or with such alternative kinds of materials or mixtures. In the event the council shall so declare in its resolution or ordinance, then the council shall upon the hearing provided for in sections two and four hereof, determine that said work shall be so done, and invite proposals for the doing thereof according to such alternative method or plan or with such alternative kinds of materials or mixtures, and upon the opening of such proposals said council shall thereupon fix a time for hearing upon the proposals so received, notice of which shall be given by posting and publication for the same time and in the same manner as is provided for the notice inviting proposals, the first publication of which notice shall be at least ten days before the time of hearing so fixed. At such hearing any person interested shall have the right to appear and be heard upon the question as to which method or plan or material or mixture shall be adopted for the doing of said work and as to which proposal shall be accepted. The council may thereupon in its award of contract determine not only the bidder to whom the award shall be made, but also which one of such alternative methods or plans of doing such work shall be adopted, or which of such alternative materials or mixtures shall be adopted, for the doing of said work. It shall thereupon award the contract, if an award be made, to the lowest responsible bidder for the doing of said work according to such plan or method or material or mixture so adopted, and thereupon said work shall be done in accordance with the plan or method or material or mixture so adopted. No other method or procedure provided for in this act shall govern in regard to the doing of said work. The procedure provided for in this section shall be an alternative procedure to that provided in the other sections of this act, of which this section

forms a part, and the council shall be at liberty to use such procedure or not in its discretion. If the council shall not exercise its discretion to call for proposals for the doing of said work according to the alternative method as herein provided for, or plan, or such alternative materials or mixtures, then this section shall not apply to any proceeding taken under this act. It is *provided further*, notwithstanding any charter or other provisions of law requiring the award of contract to be made by a public board or officer, other than the council, nevertheless, in all cases where proceedings have been taken under this section the award of contract shall be by the council and said council shall not only determine the bidder to whom the award shall be made, but also the method or plan or materials or mixtures to be adopted for the doing of such work.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Weller as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1296, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WELLER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Bill No. 1301—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 4463 and 4464 and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1301 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION

Mr. Jones gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1301 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1142—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1893, relating to publication of school notices.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1142 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar,

Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—Roland—1.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1222—An act creating a board of retirement to keep, invest, maintain, and control a certain fund for the payment of benefits and annuities to the officers and employees of the Napa State Hospital, Stockton State Hospital, Agnews State Hospital, Mendocino State Hospital, Southern California State Hospital, Norwalk State Hospital, the Sonoma State Home, San Quentin State Prison and Folsom State Prison; providing for the creation of said fund, investments thereof, the payments to be made therefrom, and for the general government of said board of retirement

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1222 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Denel, Dodge, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Graves—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At five o'clock and fifteen minutes p. m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Brock.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65
NOES—Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Cleveland, Denel, Fry, Jost, Melville, and Murphy—8.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 11.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered 14, relating to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring. That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-sixth session, commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two Houses of said Legislature voting therefor, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that the

constitution of said State be amended by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered 14, reading as follows:

SEC. 14. The Legislature shall, by general law, provide for the incorporation and organization of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts, of every kind and class, and may classify such districts.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, extending from the northerly boundary of the city of Vallejo to Sears Point on the Black Point cut-off, and making an appropriation for the same.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No. 1312—An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices, providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures, to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standards of weights and measures providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to salaries of sealers of weights and measures and their deputies,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No. 154—An act to amend section 122 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to walking or driving on highways;

Also Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to authorize the making of a survey, and the preparation of plans and estimates, and the construction of a highway from the town of Alturas, in Modoc County, to New Pine Creek on the Oregon-California line by the most direct and practical route connecting with the Oregon State highway.

Also Assembly Bill No. 453—An act to abolish the Labor Bureau contingent fund,

Also Assembly Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 753 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the Supreme Court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 760 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the courts of appeal,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 230—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of paying interest due from the land settlement fund to the general fund in the State treasury—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Approving sixteen certain amendments to the charter of the city of Long Beach, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighth day of April, 1925—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1299—An act to provide for the appointment of a committee to investigate the teachers' retirement system with special reference to the sources of revenue for the California public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and for the making of a report to the Legislature, and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1302—An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1310—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State Prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin Prison manufacturing revolving fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1314—An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1313—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State Prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885,' approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided for in said act," approved March 24, 1911, as amended;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON UNIVERSITIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 816—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation, in the State of California to donate and grant to the regents of the University of California, as a public trust for the State of California, any real property owned by it, or which it may hereafter acquire, within or without

its corporate limits, for a site upon which the regents of the University of California may erect university buildings or maintain grounds in connection therewith; and also authorizing and empowering any of the same to use such part of its funds as deemed necessary toward the acquisition of such a site, also authorizing the incurring of indebtedness for any of the purposes aforesaid, and validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purpose, and all of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of bonds for any such purpose—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.
CAMPBELL
CARTER.
ROLAND.
MILLER, ELEANOR.
MUELLER.
DAVIS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON CIVIL SERVICE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Civil Service, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 945—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

JOST, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 945—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "amend" insert the following "section nine of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1 of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1", insert the following "Section nine of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under state authority and, in that behalf, to create a state civil service commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9 Subject to the special provisions in this as to laborers, appointments shall be made to all positions that are not filled by promotion, reinstatement,

transfer or reduction, under the provisions of this act and the rules in pursuance thereof, by the appointing power. Said appointing power shall notify the commission of any vacancy to be filled, stating the duties of the position. The commission shall then certify to the appointing power the name of the person standing highest on the eligible list for the class or grade to which the position belongs, and the appointing power shall fill the position by appointment of the person certified by the commission therefor.

The term of eligibility shall be fixed for each eligible list at not less than one year. Appointments shall be made from the eligible list most nearly appropriate for the position to be filled, and a new list shall be created for a stated position or a group of positions only when there is no appropriate list existing from which appointment may be made. No person shall be appointed under any title not appropriate to the duties to be performed, and no person shall be assigned to perform the duties of any other position than that which he legally holds, except by consent of the commission. All appointments shall be for a probationary period to be fixed by the commission but not to exceed six months. Unless such appointee shall have been dismissed within such probationary period by the appointing power, for reasons stated in writing and filed with the commission, his appointment shall become permanent subject to the provisions of this act as to removals, suspensions and changes. Discharged probationers may by unanimous vote of the commission be restored to the list of eligibles for certification to any position within their class other than the one from which they were rejected."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 254—An act to amend sections 9 and 12 of "The Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1299—An act to provide for the appointment of a committee to investigate the teachers retirement system with special reference to the sources of revenue for the California public teachers retirement salary fund, and for the making of a report to the Legislature; and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1302—An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1310—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin prison manufacturing revolving fund.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1314—An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1313—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885,' approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale

of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided for in said act,'' approved March 24, 1911, as amended

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 read.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Graves moved that Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation

RECESS.

At five o'clock and twenty minutes p m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED

At eight o'clock p.m , the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California

This is to advise you that I have signed the following bills

Senate Bills Numbers 63, 137, 271 and 381.

Assembly Bill No 385

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Chico, county of Butte, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Chico at a general municipal election held therein on the thirteenth day of April, 1925—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 993—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about South Basin and South Basin Canal and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District", fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district, and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways

lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said South Basin–South Basin Canal Reclamation District;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1256—An act to amend section 2524 of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction, powers and duties of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1300—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses to the regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a professorship of nursing education;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 5—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California", to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violations of said act;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 223—An act to require the installation of certain sanitary facilities in the operating rooms of theaters and moving picture houses, and providing penalties for the violation thereof,

Also Assembly Bill No. 384—An act to amend section 821 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with felonies,

Also: Assembly Bill No 383—An act to amend section 822 of the Penal Code, relating to arrest of persons charged with misdemeanors or felonies;

Also. Assembly Bill No 510—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, said amendments adding subdivisions first *a*, fifth *a*, fifth *b*, and fifth *c*, setting forth additional causes for revocation of licenses or certificates issued hereunder;

Also Assembly Bill No. 511—An act to provide against the selling, purchase, barter or bartering, the altering or the use of any fraudulent degrees, certificates or transcripts to be used in obtaining a license or certificate to practice in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the making of false affidavits and the impersonation of applicants in examination required under the Medical Practice Act, the Osteopathic Initiative Act, the Chiropractic Initiative Act, or any other act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 512—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings; to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy, and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to penalty for the purchase or sale of fraudulent credentials;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 565—An act to amend section 3454 of the Political Code, relating to swamp and overflowed, salt marsh and tidelands;

Also: Assembly Bill No 717—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to acknowledgments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 779—An act to amend section 925 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 813—An act to amend section 362 of the Political Code, relating to city health officials,

Also Assembly Bill No 814—An act to amend section 4225*a* of the Political Code, relating to county health authorities;

Also Assembly Bill No 815—An act to amend section 6*a* of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to dental hygienists;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 896—An act amending section 9 of the "Cold Storage Act," approved June 13, 1913, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 897—An act to amend section 6 of the "Pure Food Act";

Also. Assembly Bill No 898—An act to promote the development of the California egg industry, to prohibit the sale of eggs unfit for human food, to prevent deception in the sale of eggs, to protect the consuming public in the matter of quality and weight, and to encourage greater consumption of eggs by regulating and standardizing the grading, classification, and labeling of all eggs displayed for sale, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1061—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings, when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended,

Also. Assembly Bill No 1183—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to promote drainage," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto, to be numbered 19*a* and 19*b*, relating to assessments for drainage purposes.

Also: Assembly Bill No 167—An act to provide for the growing of one variety or species of cotton, to wit, Acala, in certain prescribed and defined districts in the State of California; to prohibit the picking or harvesting of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts, to prohibit the possession within such district for the purpose of planting any seeds or plants of any variety of species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such districts, to prohibit the ginning of any variety or species of cotton other than that known as Acala in such district, defining such districts, and fixing the penalty for a violation of this act.

Also. Assembly Bill No 465—An act to amend section 2640 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of officers over highways,

Also Assembly Bill No. 601—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, and to add to the Political Code 58 new sections, to be numbered 2322*r*1, 2322*r*2, 2322*r*3, 2322*r*4, 2322*r*5, 2322*r*6, 2322*r*7, 2322*r*8, 2322*r*9, 2322*r*10, 2322*r*11, 2322*r*12, 2322*r*13, 2322*r*14, 2322*r*15, 2322*r*16, 2322*r*17, 2322*r*18, 2322*r*19, 2322*r*20, 2322*r*21, 2322*r*22, 2322*r*23, 2322*r*24, 2322*r*25, 2322*r*26, 2322*r*27, 2322*r*28, 2322*r*29, 2322*r*30, 2322*r*31, 2322*r*32, 2322*r*33, 2322*r*34, 2322*r*35, 2322*r*36, 2322*r*37, 2322*r*38, 2322*r*39, 2322*r*40, 2322*r*41, 2322*r*42, 2322*r*43, 2322*r*44, 2322*r*45, 2322*r*46, 2322*r*47, 2322*r*48, 2322*r*49, 2322*r*50, 2322*r*51, 2322*r*52, 2322*r*53, 2322*r*54, 2322*r*55, 2322*r*56, 2322*r*57 and 2322*r*58, relating to county horticultural commissioners,

Also: Assembly Bill No 3—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 51—An act to amend section 631*a* of the Political Code, relating to the publication of notice of withdrawal of insurance companies from this State,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 58—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2600, relating to policies of insurance and to insurance companies issuing or guaranteeing combination insurance policies,

Also. Assembly Bill No 277—An act to repeal section 3310 of the Political Code, relating to auctioneers,

Also Assembly Bill No 321—An act amending sections 378 and 430 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 379*a*, 379*b*, 379*c*, and 391, all relating to the joinder of parties to actions,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 434—An act to amend sections 16 and 184 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 7, 1897, as amended, relating to standard form of policy of insurance,

Also Assembly Bill No 561—An act to provide for the organization and management of reinsurance companies to reinsure the business of county fire insurance companies;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 947—An act to amend section 2639 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors over roads and highways of the county,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 90—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate municipal elections in cities of the fifth and sixth class," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to election precincts;

Also Assembly Bill No 184—An act to validate the organization and incorporation of municipal corporations,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 304—An act to insure the better education of practitioners of veterinary medicine, and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine in the State of California, to provide for the creation of a board of five members who shall act under and in accordance with the provisions of this act to provide for their appointment and define their powers, duties and compensation, to define offenses committed by acts done contrary to the provisions of this act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, providing for the revocation or suspension,

in certain cases, of licenses issued hereunder, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of California," approved March 23, 1893, and all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith;

Also Assembly Bill No 562—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and management of county fire insurance companies," approved April 1, 1897, as amended;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 744—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, with reference to the powers and duties of the commissioner of the said bureau and his deputies, so as to enlarge his power with reference to issuing subpenas by making it a misdemeanor offense to wilfully ignore same, to add to the enumerated places of labor to which it shall be a misdemeanor offense to refuse him admission, or to furnish him statistics or information regarding, to provide for the collection of costs from defendants in official actions brought by the commissioner for wages and penalties due claimants, to give the said commissioner and his representatives the right to file in his own name preferred labor claims and "stop orders" on behalf of workers, and the right to apply directly to the courts for warrants for the violation of any of the labor laws delegated to him for enforcement, and to prosecute the criminal actions so instituted, with or without the consent and assistance of the district attorney of the county in which such actions are brought, and providing for the transfer by the commissioner of trust money uncalled for within one year by the claimants on whose behalf it was collected to the State Treasurer to be held by him in a "Labor Bureau fund" and to be paid out by him to the rightful claimants, or their successors and assigns, if they appear;

Also Assembly Bill No. 749—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of judgments against counties, cities, cities and counties, and towns," approved March 23, 1901;

Also Assembly Bill No 1131—An act to establish Gold Discovery Day;

Also Assembly Bill No. 341—An act to validate bonds issued under Drainage District Improvement Act of 1919 and all proceedings relative thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land;

Also Assembly Bill No 715—An act to amend section 3065 of the Civil Code, providing for liens on logs, lumber and other timber products by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, assist in felling, preparing, or transporting logs or in manufacturing lumber or other timber products from such logs and providing for means by which the owner of such logs or products manufactured therefrom may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor, to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3065a, providing for means of enforcing such liens; to repeal an act entitled "An act giving a lien to loggers and laborers, employed in logging camps, upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them," approved March 30, 1878, together with acts amending same approved April 12, 1880, and March 8, 1887, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act,

Also Assembly Bill No 812—An act to amend sections 6, 7, 9, and 12 of an act entitled "An act to insure the better education of dental surgeons and to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of California, providing penalties for the violation hereof," approved May 21, 1915, as amended, relating to the practice of dentistry,

Also: Assembly Bill No 871—An act to authorize the city of Riverside to sell certain lands dedicated for park purposes and to devote the proceeds thereof to the improvement of parks now existing in said city,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1070—An act to amend section 453*l* of the Civil Code, relating to filing of annual statements with Insurance Commissioner by assessment corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No 209—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1197c, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot;

Also: Assembly Bill No 57—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 596*a*, relating to the failure of insurance companies to discharge their contracts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 60—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, relating to organizations which grant annuities;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 46—An act to amend section 424 of the Civil Code, relating to the capital stock of fire and marine insurance corporations;

Also Assembly Bill No 63—An act to amend section 453*t* of the Civil Code, relating to the guarantee fund and investments of title insurance corporations,

Also Assembly Bill No. 662—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to authorize the counties of the State of California to establish retirement salary systems for their employees," approved May 20, 1919, as amended June 3, 1921, to be numbered 2½, relating to dissolution of such systems and powers of the board of supervisors with reference thereto,

Also Assembly Bill No. 435—An act declaring the present highway from Malin on the Oregon state line and leading therefrom via Lookout and Willow Creek Pass to Susanville, California, to be a State highway.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this fifteenth day of April, 1925, at three o'clock p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Approving sixteen certain amendments to the charter of the city of Long Beach, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighth day of April, 1925.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Schmidt moved a call of the house.

Motion carried.

Time, eight o'clock and twenty minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Bernard, Easley, Fry, Johnson, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Schmidt, Spalding, Wemple, and Mr. Speaker—14.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on April 14, 1925, passed Senate Bill No. 602—An act to amend sections 3 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, by increasing the amount and modifying the disposal of such license taxes, and prescribing certain duties of the State Controller, State Highway Commission and boards of supervisors with reference thereto.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.

Senate Bill No. 602 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended.

Also Senate Bill No. 82—An act to repeal section 32 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

Also: Senate Bill No. 250—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste; to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canners or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform; to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers or fresh fish dealers; to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes, and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended.

Also: Senate Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts" approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith' approved May 15, 1915," approved May 28, 1917, relating to the boundaries of fish and game district four "B".

Also Senate Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 628*b*, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Senate Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 626*f*, of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 48 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 82 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 250 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 403 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 500 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 504 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 24 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to secure to claimants for benefits under said act preference over other debts of the employer or his estate or of the insurance carrier,

Also Senate Bill No. 543—An act to be known as the twenty-four-hour school act, providing for the establishing of twenty-four-hour schools by school districts, providing for admission to such schools and for the government, control, conduct, direction and support thereof;

Also Senate Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 626*e*, of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Senate Bill No. 713—An act to amend section 361*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the transfer as a whole of the business franchise and property of corporations.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 519 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 543 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 651 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 713 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 405—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations affecting actions against directors or stockholders of corporations.

Also Senate Bill No 522—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 405 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 522 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 178—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by officers of counties providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 178 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 13, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 502—An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of the Insurance Commissioner and of the Board of Equalization with respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED

Mr. Jones waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 1301 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 1301 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No 1153—An act directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, extending from the northerly boundary of the city of Vallejo to Sears Point on the Black Point cutoff; and making an appropriation for the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1153 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson.

Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runnel, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Graves, and Murphy—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 328 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 281—An act to appropriate moneys for, and to authorize and direct the California Highway Commission to complete that part of the State highway system of the State of California between the towns of Middletown and Lower Lake in Lake County, provided for by an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled, "An act calling a special election to be held on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, and providing for the submission thereat to the qualified electors of the State of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California known as Senate Constitutional Amendment No 27, proposed by the Legislature of said State at its forty-third session, providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $40,000,000 for the completion of the State highway system and the acquisition and construction of other State highways by the State Department of Engineering, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved July 1, 1919.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 281 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P. Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—53.

NOES—Graves, and Jones—2

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 106—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 106 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Cuttenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mixter Morrison Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 903—An act making an appropriation for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Hornblower moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first two lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act to provide for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the Union, and providing for the appointment of a committee, and making an appropriation therefor"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 14, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. Within ten days after this act becomes effective, a committee of ten, to be known as the California Diamond Jubilee celebration committee shall be appointed as follows five members shall be selected from the senate by the president of the senate, and five members shall be selected from the assembly by the speaker of the assembly The work of arrangements for the celebration of the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the Union, which celebration shall be held in the city of San Francisco on September eighth, ninth, and tenth, one thousand nine hundred twenty-five, is hereby placed under the control of and in charge of the said committee.

SEC 2 The sum of two thousand five hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to pay for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Hornblower as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 903, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

HORNBLOWER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 696—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 696 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—57

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Campbell, Runner, Spalding, and Mr. Speaker—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000 to be used in the construction, renewal and repair of works for restraining, impounding and controlling debris resulting from mining operations, natural erosions and other causes, and to provide for the manner of expending such appropriation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 148 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—Anderson, R. J., and Jones—2

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals, the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 700 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rein-

dollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Cleveland—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1231 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—54.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Burns, Hornblower, Little, Runner, and Mr. Speaker—8.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 230—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921, relating to interest on bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 230 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 295—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1620*a*, relating to the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Bernard moved that Assembly Bill No 295 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 295 re-referred to Committee on Education

Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 2½, 3, 5, 7, 9, 15, 17, 21¾, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38 and 39, and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended and to add 8 new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a*, 22*a*, and 22

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 451 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1216 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 987—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code entitled sections 216*b* and 216*c*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor, medicine, cakes, pies, confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol and prescribing the penalty.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 987 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—50

NOES—Burns, Byrne Dodge, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Pierce, Reindollar, Walters, West, and Williamson—22

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Schmidt gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 987 was this day passed.

Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements, or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action against the surety or sureties on the contractor's bond independent of a right of action against the board, commission, officer, or other body by whom the contract was awarded, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 895 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1264 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—68.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section eight of article XIII thereof, relating to taxpayers' statements of property.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2 read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 2 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P, Badham, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A, Mitchell Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Weller, and Williamson—32

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—39.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Chico, county of Butte, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Chico at a general municipal election held therein on the 15th day of April, 1925.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V, Wright, T. M, and Mr Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25 ordered transmitted to the Senate

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 25.

Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Chico, county of Butte, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Chico at a general municipal election held therein on the thirteenth day of April, 1925

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and seventeen minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the house were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Schmidt.

The roll of absentees was called and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—72.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 22

Relative to approving sixteen certain amendments to the charter of the city of Long Beach, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighth day of April, 1925

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CONTINUED.

Mr Sewell moved that the consideration of his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 545 was passed be continued until the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 255—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

BROWNE, Chairman.
HORNBLOWER.
WILLIAMSON.
BURNS.
SCHMIDT.
McDONOUGH.
FOSTER.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 37—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out all of the line following the word "the" and all of lines 12 to 22, inclusive, and that part of line 23 preceding the words "or who" and insert in lieu thereof the following 'first day of January and the thirtieth day of November, of any year both dates inclusive, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in his possession any mountain, desert or valley quail, or cottontail or brush rabbits,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "November" and insert in lieu thereof the word "October".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, after the semicolon insert the following: "*provided*, that in fish and game districts four, four and one-half, and four and three-quarters every person who between the first day of November and the thirty-first day of August, of the year following, both dates inclusive, hunts, pursues, takes, kills or destroys or has in possession, any dove is guilty of a misdemeanor"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "September" and insert in lieu thereof the word "August".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out that portion of the line following the word "between" and all of lines 8 to 10 inclusive, and that portion of line 11 preceding the word "year" and insert in lieu thereof the following "the first day of January and the thirty-first day of October, both dates inclusive, of any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the portion of the line following the semicolon, and all of lines 14 and 15, and that portion of line 16 preceding the word "provided".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Graves, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Thursday, April 16, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, April 16, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Robert B. McAulay of the Fremont Presbyterian Church of Sacramento.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Nielsen, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Jacobson, Messrs. Rosenshine and Louttit were granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Easley, Messrs. J. A. Bonslett and James T. Taylor of Antioch, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Campbell, Hon. Edgar W. Stowe of Santa Barbara, California, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McNicholas of San Francisco, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274c, empowering boards of supervisors of any county to provide a fund from the filing fees in civil litigation for the payment of a fixed salary of official reporters of the superior court and authorizing county treasurers to pay the salaries

of official reporters from such fund—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relative to the compilation or codification of the laws of California—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1308—An act to amend section 1 of "An act to establish a board of parole commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish a board of parole commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend sections 3 and 9 and to add a new section to be numbered 15 to an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," approved by electors November 2, 1920, as amended, relating to rights of aliens with respect to real property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1297—An act to amend section 193 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for manslaughter;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 364—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI, inclusive, of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states;

Also: Senate Bill No. 370—An act to provide for the creation of a commission on uniform State laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto;

Also: Senate Bill No. 817—An act to validate certain bonds of certain irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 507—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District Act,' creating a consolidated irrigation, protection and reclamation district, subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District,' for the purpose of taking over the water rights and water system of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and of the stockholders thereof; the levees, properties and functions

of the Palo Verde joint levee district of Riverside and Imperial counties, California, the properties and functions of the Palo Verde Drainage District, and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable low lands of Palo Verde valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, destruction of mosquito pests, and protecting all the lands within the district, and the water system, from flood waters of the Colorado river, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, protection and reclamation systems through a single district organization; providing also for the assumption, funding and payment of the bond and other obligations of said Palo Verde Mutual Water Company and said levee and drainage districts, and for the issuance of bonds for all of the aforesaid purposes and providing for the payment, funding and refunding of all such indebtedness; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized, and for the organization, management and control of the district through a board of trustees if the proposed district is organized, defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments to finance the acquisition of the properties, to carry on the construction work, maintenance and operation of the same, and for the payment of bonds and the expense of maintaining the district created hereby, providing also a means for dissolving said district," approved June 21, 1923, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section fifteen *a*, whereby the "Palo Verde Irrigation District" authorized to be created by the act above mentioned, shall be empowered to authorize and issue bonds of the district for redemption of bonds of the Palo Verde joint levee district of Riverside and Imperial counties, California and of the Palo Verde Drainage District and of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, to exchange bonds of the district for such bonds or to make use of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the district for the redemption of all such bonds, and to assess all of the lands and improvements within the Palo Verde Irrigation District uniformly for the payment of principal and interest of all such redemption or refunding bonds—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to provide for the submission to the qualified electors of cities, or cities and counties, the question of the establishment of municipal courts therein—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 1299—An act to provide for the appointment of a committee to investigate the teachers retirement system with special reference to the sources of revenue for the California public teachers retirement salary fund, and for the making of a report to the Legislature and making an appropriation therefor.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1303—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1305—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1310—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State Prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin Prison manufacturing revolving fund.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1313—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State Prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885,' approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided for in said act," approved March 24, 1911, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No 1314—An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind;
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 1306—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the text book royalty fund,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1307—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund,

Also Assembly Bill No 1309—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1315—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition Commissioners,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1316—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to appointment of fish and game wardens.
And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1303—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1303 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—43

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1251 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 1305—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1305 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Browne Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 436—An act to authorize the making of a survey, and the preparation of plans and estimates, and the construction of a highway from the town of Alturas, in Modoc County, to New Pine Creek on the Oregon-California line by the most direct and practical route connecting with the Oregon state highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 436 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 1309—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1309 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P, Anderson, R. J, Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1307—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1307 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1315—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. West moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and forty minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—38

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No. 1306—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the text book royalty fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1306 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 453—An act to abolish the Labor Bureau contingent fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 453 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No 1314—An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1314 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1299—An act to provide for the appointment of a committee to investigate the teachers retirement system with special reference to the sources of revenue for the California public teachers retirement salary fund, and for the making of a report to the Legislature; and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1299 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartrantt, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Dorris—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION—(OUT OF ORDER).

The following resolution was received, ordered printed in the Journal and referred as indicated:

By Mr. Weller:

WHEREAS, The course of study prescribed for the schools of this State requires a constant resort to and reference to the constitution of the State and

WHEREAS, It is of vital importance and of paramount value to the State of California that every person desiring a constitution of the State of California and of the United States shall be furnished with a copy of the same, and

WHEREAS, Since the war there has been an awakened interest in the study of the constitution and demand and requests for copies of the same from ex-service men, schools, women's clubs, and persons desiring to study the constitution of our great State and nation in their efforts to prepare themselves for a more complete participation as citizens and to prepare themselves to become citizens, and

WHEREAS, The supply of constitutional pamphlets heretofore printed by the State has been exhausted and recent amendments have been adopted by the people, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller be and is hereby directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for the sum of $750 for the compilation and publication of a new edition of the constitution, said sum to be payable out of the contingent fund of the Assembly, and the Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislative Counsel Bureau be and it is hereby instructed to compile and cause to be published and to be distributed to persons requesting copies of the same, a new edition of the constitution.

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Assembly Bill No. 44—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees, and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No 44 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No 44 re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Assembly Bill No 1256—An act to amend section 2524 of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction, powers and duties of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1256 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 760 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the courts of appeal.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 491 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 753 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the Supreme Court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 490 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1313—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State Prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885,' approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided for in said act," approved March 24, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1313 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 154—An act to amend section 122 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to walking or driving on highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 154 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Cleveland, Cloudman, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Heisinger, Johnson, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, Wright, S V, and Wright, T M.—27

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R J, Broughton, Browne, Byrne Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dodge, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—35

Assembly Bill No. 1300—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses to the regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a professorship of nursing education.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1300 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Cioter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell Smith, Spalding, Spence Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V, Wright, T M and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money for the construction of buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Foster moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "women", strike out the period and insert a semicolon in lieu thereof, and then insert the following: "*provided, however, that before any of said money* shall be expended, *in any manner*, a committee of five, consisting of three men and two women, shall be appointed, three members by the speaker of the assembly and two by the president of the senate, *to formulate definite and adequate plans* under which said institution, or institutions, shall be established and conducted having in mind the three or more different classes of offenders, viz the drug addict, the young delinquent, the middle aged offender who has a court record of many offenses, to the end that there may be a proper segregation of these different classes; said committee to report to the governor within three months after appointment said committee to serve without compensation."

The question being on the motion to refer to a Select Committee of One for the purpose of amending Assembly Bill No. 777.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Reindollar, Wright, T. M., Crittenden, Williamson and Bernard, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the

motion by Mr Foster to refer Assembly Bill No 777 to a Select Committee of One for the purpose of amending.

The roll was called, and the motion to refer to a Select Committee of One lost by the following vote:

AYES—Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Mitchell, Morrison, and Schmidt—10

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—53.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. West.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1315 carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—74.

NOES—None.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minues p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 397—An act to amend section 2207*j* and to add a new section to be numbered 2207*l*, of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to authorize and empower the Director of the Department of Agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno, Los Angeles and other important producing and distributing centers, and to disseminate information concerning supply, demand, prevailing prices and commercial movements, making the expenditure of funds under the provisions hereof contingent upon the additional expenditure of a like sum by the United States Department of Agriculture, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, authorizing the acceptance by the Department of Agriculture

of donations to be expended in accordance with the provisions hereof and creating the agricultural leased wire fund.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 718—An act regulating the buying, receiving as a pledge and shipping of builders' tools, and requiring every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, to keep a register of all such tools bought or received as a pledge, or shipped or otherwise transmitted to any place outside the county in which the same were bought or received as a pledge, and to deliver daily, except on legal holidays, a copy of such register, to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department, or to the sheriff of the county; and prescribing a penalty for violation of the act;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 894—An act to regulate the planting of trees along the public highways of California and a plan for the planting, care, maintenance and replacement of trees along all public roads,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the United States in reference to the levy and collection of taxes on incomes derived from securities issued under the authority of the United States or of any state—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported Assembly joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend section 1 of article XIII of the constitution of said State, relating to taxation—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to visit the site of the Boulder Canyon dam, the Imperial Valley, and southern California;

Also. Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the work of the American Legion,

Also. Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relating to the compilation or codification of the laws of California,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly concurrent resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, relating to the salaries of the commissioners thereof

Also. Assembly Bill No. 254—An act to amend sections 9 and 12 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 292—An act appropriating the sum of $300,000 for the completion of construction and equipment and furnishing State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1304—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following.

Assembly Bill No 907—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 373, relating to the receiving and treatment of patients at hospitals;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, and to add to said act a new section to be numbered 8*a*, making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1047—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for local improvements upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities, such act to be known as 'The Local Improvement Act of 1901'" which became a law under constitutional provision without the Governor's approval February 26, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1612*d*, relating to the education of children in tuberculosis sanitariums;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4184, creating the office of public guardian;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Department of Public Accounting;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend section 241 of the Civil Code, relating to appointment of guardians by will or deed;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 20—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, a municipal corporation in the county of Santa Cruz, State of California—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this sixteenth day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock and thirty minutes a m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifteenth class—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this sixteenth day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock and thirty minutes a m

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No 20—Relating to requesting the presence of the United States fleet at San Francisco during the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the Union—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

BERNARD, Vice Chairman.
WRIGHT, T. M
BADHAM.
BROWNE.
SAYLOR

The above reported Assembly joint resolution ordered to engrossment, and on file for adoption.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925

MR. SPEAKER —Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 904—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act, providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor, providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, fixing the terms and conditions of the grant, providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

(Signed out)

SCOFIELD, Chairman.
OLIVA.
MILLER, J. A.
MORRISON.
BADHAM.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

GRAVES, Chairman

The above reported Assembly constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 4—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a guardian for the Marshall monument and grounds; prescribing his duties and appropriating money therefor," approved March 31, 1891, as amended, relating to the salary of said guardian.

Also Senate Bill No. 5—An act to provide for the cooperation with the United States government in establishing and operating a forest experiment station in the State of California and to make an appropriation therefor.

Also Senate Bill No. 133—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the street facing the grounds of the State Hospital at Stockton.

Also Senate Bill No. 176—An act appropriating $50,000 for the construction and maintenace of fire lanes and trails on the mountains composing the watersheds of Los Angeles County;

Also Senate Bill No. 228—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R B. Hale against the State of California;

Also Senate Bill No 336—An act providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the economic, sanitary and educational conditions, needs and general welfare of the Indians of California, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 to cover the cost of such investigation;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 699—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to expend the sum of $25,000 for advertising the port of San Francisco in foreign publications and in newspapers published in the United States for the purpose of promoting traffic through said port, and authorizing the withdrawal of said moneys from the San Francisco harbor improvement fund.

Also Senate Bill No. 775—An act appropriating money for the purchase of additional land for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

Also: Senate Bill No. 805—An act to appropriate money to pay the expenses of certain sewer improvements of benefit to the southern branch of the University of California, situated in the County of Los Angeles;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 346—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California;

Also Senate Bill No. 337—An act making an appropriation for emergency relief of Indians in California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c*, and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DEUEL, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274*c*, empowering boards of supervisors of any county to provide a fund from the filing fees in civil litigation for the payment of a fixed salary of official reporters of the superior court and authorizing county treasurers to pay the salaries of official reporters from such fund.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title, after the words "An act" strike out the rest of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered two hundred seventy-four*c*, empowering the board of supervisors of any county to provide a fund from the filing fees in civil litigation for the payment of a state compensation to official reporters of the superior court for attendance and reporting, authorizing county clerks to collect stated fees and pay the same into county treasuries, and authorizing county treasuries to pay the compensation of such official reporters from said fund."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "The" strike out the rest of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"The board of supervisors of any county, or city and county, in lieu of the general provisions of law for the payment of fees to official reporters of the superior court for attendance and reporting, may provide by ordinance that the compensation of each official reporter of such county shall be not less than thirty-six hundred dollars per annum for attendance and reporting in civil and criminal cases and that the compensation of each official reporter in civil and criminal cases shall be payable out of the county treasury of such county from an official reporter fund collected by the county clerk of such county from the filing fees in civil litigation as hereinafter provided.

Subdivision 2. Whenever the board of supervisors of any county shall provide by ordinance for the payment of the official reporter, or reporters, of such county as authorized by the preceding subdivisions of this section, the county clerk of such county is thereupon authorized, and upon the passage of such ordinance by the board of supervisors it shall be his duty, to collect and pay into the treasury of such county, in addition to the charges otherwise provided by law, the following fees.

For filing the first paper in a civil action or in a special proceeding, except a probate or an adoption proceeding, the sum of five dollars.

For filing the papers transmitted from another county or the transfer of a civil action or special proceeding, except a probate or an adoption proceeding, the sum of five dollars

For filing the papers transmitted on appeal from the justices' court or court of inferior jurisdiction in a civil action or a special proceeding, the sum of five dollars

On the appearance of any defendant, respondent, adverse party or intervening party, or any number of such appearing jointly, except disclaimer, for filing the first paper in the action by them, the sum of one dollar, and for every additional party appearing separately, the sum of fifty cents;

For filing the first petition for letters of administration, special letters of administration, letters testamentary or letters of guardianship, the sum of one dollar;

For filing a second or any subsequent petition for letters of administration, special letters of administration, letters testamentary or letters of guardianship in the same proceeding, the sum of fifty cents:

For filing a petition to contest any will or codicil, the sum of five dollars,

For placing on the calendar for hearing, and before the same shall be heard, any action, special proceeding, appeal, or probate proceeding, except an adoption proceeding, filed prior to the enactment of such ordinance, in full payment for attendance and reporting of such matter to its final determination, the following fees: in any such civil action, special proceeding, appeal or contested probate proceedings, the sum of five dollars, and for any such uncontested probate proceeding the sum of one dollar

Provided, That when the public administrator or the secretary of state, or the secretary of the state commission of lunacy, in his official capacity, is the petitioner, he shall be required to pay such fee only out of the assets of the estate coming into his possession.

Subdivision 3 The fees collected by the county clerk as provided in the preceding section shall be in full payment for attendance and reporting from the commencement of each case to its final determination and the moneys paid thereunder may be taxed as costs in such action

Subdivision 4. Whenever the board of supervisors of any county shall provide by ordinance for the payment of the official reporter, or reporters, of such county as authorized by the preceding subdivisions of this section, the salary herein provided shall be paid out of the county treasury of such county, from the official reporter's fund, in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of county officials"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 1308—An act to amend section 1 of "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading

Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend sections 3 and 9 and to add a new section to be numbered 15 to an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," approved by electors November 2, 1920, as amended, relating to rights of aliens with respect to real property.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1297—An act to amend section 193 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for manslaughter.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No 610—An act to provide for the submission to the qualified electors of cities, or cities and counties, the question of the establishment of municipal courts therein.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first three lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"An act to provide for a permanent historical exhibit at Sutter's Fort, and to make an appropriation therefor"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with line 1, on page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including line 48 on page 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of ten thousand dollars to be expended under the direction of the board of control for the installation and maintenance at Sutter's Fort in Sacramento of historical exhibits pertaining to the history of California."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 904—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor, providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 466 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 2713 of the Political Code The present section provides that "no bridge, the cost of construction or repairing of which will exceed the sum of $500, must be constructed or repaired except on order of the board of supervisors." This bill amends the above provision by inserting $1,000 in lieu of $500 It does not seem wise that the powers of the boards of supervisors should be abridged in this manner.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 196 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill adds section 1900*a* to the Code of Civil Procedure and relates to the proof of statutes. It provides that "printed books or pamphlets purporting on their face to be the session laws or other statutes of any of the United States or the territories thereof, or of any foreign jurisdiction and to have been printed and published by authority of any such state, territory or foreign jurisdiction, or proved to be commonly recognized in its courts, shall be received in the courts of this State as prima facie evidence of such statutes."

There is at present a section of the Code of Civil Procedure applying to this subject which reads as follows: "Books printed or published under the authority of

a sister state or foreign country, and purporting to contain the statutes, code, or other written law of such state or country, or proved to be commonly admitted in the tribunals of such state or country as evidence of the written law thereof, are admissible in this State as evidence of such law."

If any new legislation is to be added on the subject of proof of statutes it would have been more logical to have amended section 1900 than to add a new section to the code which is at variance to it. The present provisions in the code seem to be ample to cover the question. To broaden the section as proposed in this bill will be to invite fraud by the introduction of spurious pamphlets. This bill appears to be an unnecessary tinkering with the codes, and jurists with whom I have discussed the matter doubt the advisability of the bill.

A similar bill was introduced in 1923 and was not approved.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No 969 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill provides that the boundaries of any city may be altered and new territory annexed thereto even if such territory lies in an adjoining county. Under the provisions of the present law territory lying within an adjoining county cannot be annexed to the municipal corporation situate in another county. This bill has for its object the annexation of territory in San Mateo County to the city of Palo Alto in Santa Clara County, and is a companion bill of Assembly Bill No. 970 which I am also returning to you without approval.

It seems to me a dangerous precedent to permit a practice of this kind to start in California, which might cause untold confusion and additional expense to the taxpayers. Under the present law a city may provide for the county to assess property and collect the taxes, thus saving expense and helping taxpayers. Many of the cities of California have adopted this wise plan. This proposed bill would prevent the carrying out of this purpose. Undoubtedly innumerable instances can be found where confusion would result from the passage of this bill.

If the enterprising city of Palo Alto desires to increase its boundaries it should proceed with a plan of annexing a part of San Mateo County to Santa Clara County.

I have looked into this matter carefully and have given close study to the arguments presented by Palo Alto officials, and am convinced that to permit a city to annex territory outside of the county in which it is situated, will result in dangerous consequences and will seriously disturb the relationship between municipalities and county government

The city attorney and mayor of Palo Alto and the president and secretary of the Palo Alto Chamber of Commerce are the only persons from Palo Alto who have advocated the bill. Not a single person in the territory of San Mateo (desired to be annexed) has written in support of the bill. I have delayed action until the last day so as to give the supporters of this bill full opportunity to give expression to their opinion. I must conclude that the San Mateo County territory has no interest in this bill and that there is little interest in Palo Alto.

Several officials of counties and cities in California have questioned the effect of this bill and feel that it would be a menace to them. Practically it is special legislation for only one city and contrary to the spirit of the constitution. I believe it is for the best interests of good government that this precedent be not established.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No 970 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill provides that municipal corporations other than a city or county, situated in the same or adjoining counties, where the territory of one municipal corporation is contiguous to the other, may be consolidated in accordance with the provisions of the municipal corporations act.

This bill is returned without approval for the reasons stated in returning Assembly Bill No 969 without approval.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Assembly constitutional amendment, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill after the word "automobile", insert the words "truck or auto truck"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "persons" insert the following "or property".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, after the word "route" strike out the following "and not operating exclusively within the limits of an incorporated city or town or a city and county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "school" insert the following "when owned or operated by the school or school district,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "companies" insert the following "engaged in the business of transportation of persons, or persons and baggage, or persons and express, or persons, baggage and express where the same is transported on the same automobile, jitney buss, stage or auto stage transporting said persons".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 29, of the printed bill, following the word "state" insert a new paragraph as follows: "All such companies operating trucks or auto trucks engaged in the business of transporting property shall annually pay to the state a tax upon their franchises, trucks or auto trucks, equipment, and other property, or any part thereof, used exclusively in the operation of their business in this state, equal to five per cent of the gross receipts from operations of such companies, and each thereof, within this state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 1, line 29, of the printed bill, begin the last sentence as a new paragraph commencing with the word "When".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "state highway" and on line 18 of the word "maintenance" and insert in lieu thereof the following "general".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the words "for state purposes" and insert in lieu thereof the word "hereunder".

Amendments adopted

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 ordered to reprint, engrossment, and on file for adoption.

Assembly Bill No. 718—An act regulating the buying, receiving as a pledge and shipping of builders' tools, and requiring every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, to secure from every person who sells or pledges builders' tools satisfactory written evidence of his rights to sell or pledge the same; establishing a prima facie presumption that any such tools bought or received in pledge, without such written evidence, were so bought or so received in pledge, with knowledge that they were stolen; and also requiring every such person, firm or corporation to keep a register of all such tools bought or received as a pledge, and to deliver daily, except on legal holidays, a copy thereof to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department, or to the sheriff of the county; and prescribing a penalty for violation of the act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 718 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—Bernard, and Lyons—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*g*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Reindollar moved that the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 654 was refused passage be reconsidered

The roll was called, and the same was reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Dorris, Foster, Spence, and Weller—7.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED FIFTY-FOUR.

Assembly Bill No 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*g*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 654 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Reindollar, Roberts, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—Anderson, R. J, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Dorris, Foster, Roland, Runner, Saylor, and Spence—10.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL NUMBER SEVEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-SEVEN—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money for the construction of buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs Byrne, Scofield, Spence, Badham and Cloudman demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 777 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Browne, Burns, Deuel, Duval, Eksward, Graves, Hornblower, Jost, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Scudder, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—21.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 776—An act appropriating money for salaries and maintenance of the California Industrial Farm for Women.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 776 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Browne, Burns, Deuel, Duval, Eksward, Graves, Hornblower, Jost, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Noyes, Scudder, Wemple, and Wright, S. V.—20

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE

The following explanation of vote was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

I voted against Assembly Bills Nos. 776 and 777 as I fail to see what would be accomplished to justify the expenditure of $150,000 by the State. It would be much better to spend the money to save other young girls from joining this class of fallen women

MAURICE B. BROWNE.

Assembly Bill No. 840—An act to amend section 17 of the "Weights and Measures Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to appointment of sealers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 840 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heis-

inger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect." approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 639 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Davis, Deuel, Graves, Murray Runner, Spalding, and Wright, T. M.—11.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the work of the American Legion.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23 read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 23

Relative to the work of the American Legion.

WHEREAS, The American Legion, out of respect to the memory of the soldiers, marines and sailors who engaged in service of the wars of the United States, and who have passed to the great beyond, has taken upon itself the obligation of caring for their orphans and has made this effort coextensive with the United States and its dominions, and

WHEREAS, There are 200,000 disabled war veterans of the world war, of whom about ten per cent reside in California, and

WHEREAS, California is short 1000 hospital beds for its disabled veterans, and

WHEREAS, There are 30,000 orphan children of the ex-service men of the last world war, and

WHEREAS, The American Legion, for the purpose of better care and hospitalization of the disabled veteran, and for the purpose of providing homes and billets for the orphans, will, in May of this year, conduct a national campaign to raise a $5,000,000 endowment, which will guarantee a solid financial basis in perpetuity for the programs of disabled men's rehabilitation and child welfare; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That we commend to the public the ideals and service of the American Legion, and urge the people to support the Legion in this work and to subscribe to the said fund.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to visit the site of the Boulder Canyon dam, the Imperial Valley, and southern California

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 21.

Relative to inviting the President of the United States to visit the site of the Boulder Canyon Dam, the Imperial Valley and southern California

WHEREAS, The Boulder Canyon project is of paramount interest to southern California and the entire southwest, and

WHEREAS, The second million of population is now on its way to Los Angeles, and the present water supply will be inadequate to satisfy their industrial and domestic needs, and

WHEREAS, There are great areas of land in the Imperial Valley which are blessed with marvelous fertility and the wonderful climate of southern California, and need only the water which would be made available by the Boulder Canyon Dam to burst forth into abundant productivity; and

WHEREAS, The President will be better able to recommend the ratification of the compact and the completion of the project when he is personally more familiar with the vast importance of the project and the marvelous development which it will make possible in southern California; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California does hereby invite His Excellency Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States, to visit the site of the Boulder Canyon Dam, the Imperial Valley, and the great State of California.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the President of the United States, to the Secretary of War, President of the Senate, Speaker of the

House, to members of the Rivers and Harbors Committee of the House of Representatives, to the members of the appropriate committee of the United States Senate and to each of the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of California.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Coombs moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 24.

Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That leave of absence from the State of California for a longer period than sixty days, during their term of office, is hereby granted to his excellency, Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor of the State of California, to C. C. Young, Lieutenant Governor of the State of California, and to the following members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California

Senators Newton M. Allen, C. C. Baker, Frank S. Boggs, Arthur H. Breed, Victor J. Canepa, Harry A. Chamberlin, E. H. Christian, John Creighton, John J. Crowley, Lewis L. Dennett, H. J. Evans, Roy Fellom, Dr. W. F. Gates, P. J. Gray, Fred C. Handy, M. B. Harris, J. J. Hollister, Edgar S. Hurley, Thomas Ingram, J. M. Inman, A. Burlingame Johnson, M. B. Johnson, Herbert C. Jones, Chester M. Kline, Charles H. V. Lewis, Charles W. Lyon, Thomas A. Maloney, Daniel C. Murphy, H. C. Nelson, Joseph L. Pedrotti, F. J. Powers, Benjamin F. Rush, Ed. P. Sample, Will R. Sharkey, Herbert W. Slater, Ralph E. Swing, Cadet Taylor, Tallant Tubbs, T. C. West, Wm. S. Young.

Assemblymen E. G. Adams, D. P. Anderson, Roscoe J. Anderson, Willard E. Badham, Van Bernard, Archibald E. Brock, Miss Esto B. Broughton, Maurice B. Browne, Joseph F. Burns, William M. Byrne, Edgar O. Campbell, Henry D. Carter, George C. Cleveland, Harold C. Cloudman, Frank L. Coombs, Bradford S. Crittenden, J. Croter, Howard W. Davis, F. E. Dayton, Charles H. Deuel, H. E. Dillinger, Thomas L. Dodge, Mrs. Grace S. Dorris, Walter H. Duval, Robert P. Easley, Frank L. Eksward, A. C. Finney, Charles A. Foster, Robert B. Fry, Sidney T. Graves, S. C. Hartranft, Frederick C. Hawes, S. L. Heisinger, William B. Hornblower, Leland R. Jacobson, Frank Johnson, Isaac Jones, Wm. P. Jost, Edgar C. Levey, Walter J. Little, Tom H. Louttit, Harry Lyons, M. J. McDonough, Herbert McDowell, Robert B. McPherson, Charles B. Melville, Frank F. Merriam, Miss Eleanor Miller, James A. Miller, Thomas A. Mitchell, Frank W. Mixter, Harry F. Morrison, Edwin A. Mueller, J. J. Murphy, Alfred C. Murray, Roy J. Nielsen, Fred B. Noyes, Charles A. Oliva, Mark A. Pierce, Charles F. Reindollar, Frederick Madison Roberts, Eugene W. Roland, Albert A. Rosenshine, John W. Runner, Mrs. Anna L. Saylor, Walter J. Schmidt, Jerome V. Scofield, Hubert B. Scudder, Harry F.

Sewell, Edward J. Smith, C. C. Spalding, Homer R. Spence, Byron J. Walters, Frank C. Weller, N. V. Wemple, Percy G. West, Ray Williamson, Mrs. Cora M. Woodbridge, S. V. Wright, T. M. Wright.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the United States in reference to the levy and collection of taxes on incomes derived from securities issued under the authority of the United States or of any State.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Black, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Broughton—1.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 5

Relative to the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the United States in reference to the levy and collection of taxes on incomes derived from securities issued under the authority of the United States or of any state.

WHEREAS, Owing to the issuance of securities in large amounts, the interest or income on which is exempt from taxation, the burdens of taxation have become inequitably distributed; and

WHEREAS, The advisability and urgency of an amendment to the constitution of the United States prohibiting the issuance of securities, the interest or income derived from which is now exempt from taxation, is very great; and

WHEREAS, On the fifth day of December, A. D. 1923, there was introduced into the first session of the sixty-eighth Congress, House Joint Resolution No. 1, proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States, giving unto the United States and to each state the power to lay and collect taxes on incomes derived from securities issued, after the ratification of such amendment, by or under authority of the United States or any of the states; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California urge upon the Congress of the United States that it submit to the legislatures of the several states such an amendment to the constitution as that contemplated by the said House Joint Resolution No. 1, at the first session of the sixty-eighth Congress when such resolution has been amended to read as follows: "giving unto the United States the power to lay and collect taxes on incomes derived from securities issued, after the ratification of such amendment, by or under authority of any of the states, and to each state the power and authority to lay and collect taxes on the value of securities issued, after the ratification of such amendment, by or under authority of the United States, or in lieu of such taxes upon value to lay and collect taxes on the income derived from such securities", and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and are hereby directed to forward copies of these resolutions to the President of the United States and to each of California's senators and representatives in Congress.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend section 1 of article XIII of the constitution of said State, relating to taxation.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32 read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Browne moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and thirty-five minutes p m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No 255—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 255 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—45.

NOES—Badham, Brock, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Saylor, Scofield, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—19.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1304—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1304 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spald-

ing, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 1316—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to appointment of fish and game wardens.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1316 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—55.
NOES—Coombs, Roland, and Mr. Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Sewell waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 545 was passed.
Assembly Bill No. 545 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 460—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales.
Consideration of Governor's veto.
The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?
The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Browne, Hornblower, McDonough, Morrison, Mueller, Roland, and Wright, T. M.—7.
NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53

Assembly Bill No. 195—An act to amend section 53 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to new trials.
Consideration of Governor's veto.
The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?
The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Little, Mueller, Roland, Spence, and Williamson—5
NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger,

Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seefield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—55.

Assembly Bill No 987—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, entitled section 216*b*, forbidding offering for sale, selling, or giving away any substance, liquid, liquor, medicine, cakes, pies, confections, or any kind of foods containing methyl alcohol, known as wood alcohol and prescribing the penalty.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr Schmidt waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No 987 was passed.

Assembly Bill No. 987 ordered transmitted to the Senate

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 692 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to trust deeds.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Roberts moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period after the figure "1", strike out all of the remainder of the bill and in lieu thereof insert the following

"Section three of an act entitled "An act to provide for local improvements upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities, such act to be known as 'the local improvement act of 1901'," which became a law under constitutional provision without the governor's approval February 26, 1901, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 3. Before ordering any work done or improvement made, which is authorized by section two of this act, the legislative body shall pass a resolution containing a general description of the proposed improvement, and referring the same to the city engineer or board of public works or commissioner of public works, if there be one, if not, to some civil engineer employed by them for the purpose and named in the said resolution, and instructing such engineer or board of commissioner to make a report in writing to the legislative body, containing his recommendations as to the best method of making said improvements, to which report shall be attached the exhibits hereinafter referred to; *provided, however*, that when the work proposed to be done is the construction or reconstruction of sewers for sanitary or drainage purposes, or either of both thereof, the council shall have power in the resolution to provide in its discretion that such work may be done according to any of several alternative plans and specifications, in accordance with any one of several alternative methods, classes or kinds of construction, and calling for any of several alternative classes and kinds of materials to be thereafter determined by the said council "

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Roberts as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1047, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROBERTS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V thereof, relative to the compensation of State officers.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Spence moved that Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34 re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 15—An act relating to the Piute Pass State highway; appropriating money for the survey, location and estimate of cost of the State highway to be known as the Piute Pass State highway, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to modify the elective provisions of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, as amended, with respect to voluntary acceptance of the provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising, by providing that employers and employees in such employments shall be presumed to have accepted the compensation provisions of said act unless either such employer or employee shall have given notice of disaffirmance of said provisions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 276—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to redemption of property from delinquent taxes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the Supreme Court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to promote and increase the distribution and marketing of California grapes; to provide for an investigation of the methods to improve the quality of and demand for such products; and making an appropriation to carry out such investigation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1174—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachments of real and personal property;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20—Relating to requesting the presence of the United States fleet at San Francisco during the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the union—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20 ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j*, of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 397 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Remdollar, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

The following concurrent resolutions were introduced, and referred as indicated.

By Mrs. Saylor: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relative to an invitation to be extended to the National Conference on State Parks to hold its next regular convention in the State of California.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

By Mr. Roberts: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Relative to the California State Parks Association.

Introduced, and referred to Committee on State Grounds and Parks.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 390—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known and numbered section 4041*h*, relating to levy of a special tax for pension or retirement system purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 23—Relating to pay increases of government employees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

BERNARD, Vice Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 22—Relating to retirement of federal employees—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

BERNARD, Vice Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 21—Relating to the Classification Act of 1923—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

BERNARD, Vice Chairman.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Senate Bill No 304—An act to provide for the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State and making an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 911—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 647*a*, relating to loitering and molestation of females, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

(Signed out)

WELLER, Chairman.
SPENCE
LITTLE.
FINNEY.
SEWELL.
WALTERS.
WRIGHT, S. V.
McDOWELL.
SMITH.
LYONS
CRITTENDEN.
JACOBSON.
HORNBLOWER.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1267—An act to appropriate $5,000,000 for the improvement of certain State highways and certain extensions thereof which are hereby declared to be State highways—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 1220—An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend sections 3 and 9 and to add a new section to be numbered 15 to an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain

cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," approved by electors November 2, 1920, as amended, relating to rights of aliens with respect to real property

Also Assembly Bill No 1297—An act to amend section 193 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for manslaughter.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1308—An act to amend section 1 of "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole.

Also Assembly Bill No 942—An act to amend section 57 of and to add a new section to be numbered 53*a* to the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923.

Also Assembly Bill No 1154—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle, to provide for certain exemptions, to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith,

Also Assembly Bill No. 903—An act to provide for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the union, and providing for the appointment of a committee, and making an appropriation therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," (approved April 7, 1911), by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

And reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 363—An act ceding and turning over to the State of California certain improved county highways in Napa and Solano counties commencing at a point where the same intersects the State highway in Napa County leading to Sacramento; thence southerly to the northerly end of the city of Vallejo, in Solano

County, and providing that all of said highways and roads shall be placed under the supervision of the State Highway Commission;

Also Assembly Bill No 27—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 480—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to appropriate money to be used as a revolving fund by the Sixth District Agricultural Association for the purpose of creating, installing and maintaining special expositions at Exposition Park, Los Angeles," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the disposition of funds;

Also Assembly Bill No. 481—An act to amend section 2158 of the Political Code, relating to hospital funds;

Also Assembly Bill No. 550—An act to add a new section to article III of chapter II of title III of part I of division IV of the Civil Code, to be known as section 3397, and relating to specific performance of marketing agreements of cooperative marketing associations;

Also Assembly Bill No 707—An act to amend section 19*x*17 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also Assembly Bill No. 787—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances, wherein or upon which any opium, morphine, cocaine, heroin or other narcotic is unlawfully sold, served or given away, or which are used for the purpose of unlawfully selling, serving or giving away such narcotics, and providing for the abatement of such nuisances;

Also Assembly Bill No. 794—An act to provide for the licensing, inspection and regulation of maternity hospitals or lying-in asylums, by the State Board of Health, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also Assembly Bill No 1052—An act to cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over Lassen Volcanic National Park, in the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1182—An act to add a new section to be numbered 2*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the protection of fur-bearing mammals, defining fur-bearing mammals, providing for a license for hunting or trapping such fur-bearing mammals and requiring reports to be filed with the Fish and Game Commission," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to the protection of bears;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1236—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the city of Long Beach upon certain trusts and conditions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1234—An act to amend sections 1 and 17 and to add a new section to be numbered 17½ to "An act to provide for the erection and management of a State hospital for the insane to be located in southern California," approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to the erection and management of the State hospital in southern California;

Also Assembly Bill No 1253—An act to amend section 19*x*12 of the "Juvenile Court Law, approved May 5, 1915," as amended, relative to the salary of probation officer in counties of the twelfth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 7—An act to amend section 19*x*31 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons; fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons and defining such crimes, and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, said section relating to the salaries of probation officers;

Also Assembly Bill No 478—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b* relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts and

to punish the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depositary wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or credit for the payment of the same, and providing penalties therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 960—An act to regulate the conduct of canneries, to create a Division of Cannery Inspection to carry on such regulation, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of canneries, under the State Board of Health;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 9—An act declaring and establishing a State highway between Bakersfield and Mojave in Kern County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 108—An act to amend section 273*h* of the Penal Code, relating to public works by persons convicted of failure to provide for minor children;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 109—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the creation of a Board of Parole Commissioners for each county in this State for the paroling of prisoners confined in county jails and authorizing and empowering such boards to make rules and regulations in relation thereto," approved March 25, 1909, as amended, relating to boards of parole commissioners in cities and counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 169—An act to supervise, regulate and control the business of dealing in poultry, to provide rules and regulations therefor and provide a penalty for violations thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 372—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language, to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, relating to part-time schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 444—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the fortieth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 603—An act authorizing and directing the State Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Oxnard to a point to be selected by the State Highway Commission upon the State highway extending from Los Angeles to Ventura, such point to be at or near the town of El Rio, Ventura County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1025—An act to amend section 311 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may call stockholders' meetings of corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1221—An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of, and to prevent fraud in, sales of fertilizer as the same is therein defined; to provide for license to engage in the business of selling or dealing in such fertilizer; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1237—An act to regulate the cutting of trees and other vegetation upon the watersheds of the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1239—An act to authorize counties to dispose of material removed from stream beds which belong to the State, when making improvements thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 616—An act to amend section 4241 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of the twelfth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 726—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act relating to the liquidation of banks by the Superintendent of Banks, empowering him to levy assessments against the members and stockholders of any bank in process of liquidation by him to an amount which he may determine to be necessary to promptly pay the creditors of such bank in full; to enforce such assessments by suit and empowering the superior court to determine the equities of the members and stockholders of any such bank to any surplus which may remain after the payment of the creditors of such bank in full and to award and distribute the same accordingly," approved May 17, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 899—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the Real Estate Commission;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1095—An act granting certain tidelands and submerged lands of the State of California to the county of Los Angeles in said State upon certain trusts and conditions;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this sixteenth day of April, 1925, at four o'clock p m

ROBERTS, *Chairman.*

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 1733*a* of the Political Code, relating to high school districts

Also: Assembly Bill No 738—An act to amend section 8 of, and to add a new section, to be numbered 10*b*, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes, the acquisition of property thereby, the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance, and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violation thereof," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, relating to listing of property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the west side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same;

Also Assembly Bill No 462—An act to provide for the survey of and works in and upon the Santa Ana River watershed and basin for flood control; and making an appropriation therefor,

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to provide for a permanent historical exhibit at Sutter's Fort, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also. Assembly Bill No 37—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the "upholstered furniture inspection fund"—and reports that the same have been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

This is to advise you that I have signed the following bills

Senate Bills Nos. 213 and 753.

Assembly Bills Nos. 469, 742 and 593

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 950 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill is endorsed by the grand jury. Two of the supervisors have written favoring the bill but, according to the county clerk, the board has taken no official action.

Taxpayers from all parts of this large county have petitioned me to withhold my approval of this bill and thus help them to maintain economy. I have carefully examined the petitions and find that they are signed by many of the leading citizens and taxpayers. The total number of petitioners is 1,211. That the opposition to increased salaries in Riverside county is general and widespread is evident. Petitions of protest have been received from Corona, Arlington, Mecca, Riverside, Banning, Beaumont, Indio, Palm Springs, Coachella, High Grove, San Jacinto, Hemet, Perris, Elsinore, Morena, El Casco, Ethanac, Agaunga, Jurupa, Lakeview, Nuevo, Winchester, Murietta, Temecula, and other places in that county. The sentiment against the bill appears to be general. The petitions presented show a need for economy and read as follows

"We, the undersigned voters and taxpayers of Riverside county, respectfully call to your attention our protest in the matter of an increase in the salaries of the county officials of this county, of between $40,000 and $50,000 annually.

Recent low temperatures have caused serious loss to the citrus industry, and the continued dry weather in the south has similarly affected the grain crop, as well as making more precarious, and more expensive, the procuring of water for irrigation purposes.

We appreciate the fact that our county is increasing in population, that new subdivisions are being placed on the market, thereby increasing to a certain extent the work in some of the offices, notably the assessor and tax collector, and we feel some relief should be given them by providing extra help. However, four, at least, of the present officials readily accepted appointment quite recently, knowing full well what salary they were to receive.

We believe that the present salaries paid our county officials, which are in the nature of a steady income, compare more than favorably with the compensation paid for like services in private life.

We respectfully request your assistance in vetoing any bill that may be presented to you looking toward any increase of salaries at the present time."

In view of this great protest from the men who pay the taxes I do not feel that I can add to their burden even if the increases are endorsed by the grand jury.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 730 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends two sections of the Municipal Corporations Act. Section 852*a* is amended to provide for the establishment of city manager form of government in cities of the sixth class. This amendment appears to be unobjectionable.

The bill also amends section 881 by empowering trustees of sixth class cities to fix by resolution the compensation of all city officers. The present statute requires that the salaries must be fixed by ordinance and such ordinances must lie over one week and be published. Publication of ordinances fixing salaries of officials of small cities have a beneficial effect and result in economy

I regret that these two sections are in the same bill but I must withhold my approval on account of the undesirable change in section 881. Publication of such matters is a valuable safeguard to taxpayers

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 746 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill proposes to grant to the town of Sausalito certain submerged lands belonging to the State to be used as streets or for any other public purpose and to relinquish and abandon all right, title and interest of the State to such streets

This bill fails to expressly show the nature of the State's interest in the lands sought to be abandoned and transferred It may be that the lands are tidelands, but that does not definitely appear in the bill. If they are tidelands, the Legislature is without power to make an absolute unconditional gift thereof, for, by the State constitution, there is reserved to the people of the State the right to fish in the waters on which said lands may front, with the right of convenient access to said waters over those lands for that purpose, and also the guarantee of unobstructed navigation and commerce

Section 25, article I, California constitution
Article XV, California constitution,
Oakland vs Oakland Waterfront Co 118 Cal 160

This bill also omits to make a provision characteristic of bills heretofore enacted conveying tidelands from the State to public agencies prohibiting the alienation of the property transferred by the transferee, and it also omits a declaration that the property transferred shall be retained in trust for the use of the public

It may be said that such reservations would be read in by the courts if the bill is enacted That would probably be the result, but it might well happen that the burden would be cast upon the State of commencing litigation to obtain judicial declaration of the existence of public rights in the property transferred

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No 375 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill increases the salary of the probation officer of Riverside County from $2 400 to $2,800 per year, and the assistant from $1,200 to $1 500 per year

I am withholding my approval for the reasons expressed in returning Assembly Bill No 950 without approval

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 911—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 647*a*, relating to loitering and molestation of females, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

Strike out the first four lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to amend section six hundred forty-seven of the Penal Code, relating to vagrancy"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Strike out lines 1 to 4, inclusive, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1 Section six hundred forty-seven of the Penal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

647. 1. Every person (except a California Indian) without visible means of living who has the physical ability to work, and who does not seek employment, nor labor when employment is offered him; or

2. Every beggar who solicits alms as a business; or,

3. Every person who roams about from place to place without any lawful business; or,

4. Every person known to be a pickpocket, thief, burglar or confidence operator, either by his own confession, or by his having been convicted of either such offenses, and having no visible or lawful means of support, when found loitering around any steamboat landing, railroad depot, banking institution, broker's office, place of amusement, auction-room, store, shop or crowded thoroughfare, car, or omnibus, or any public gathering or assembly; or,

5. Every idle, or lewd, or dissolute person, or associate of known thieves; or,

6. Every person who wanders about the streets at late or unusual hours of the night, without any visible or lawful business; or,

7. Every person who lodges in any barn, shed, shop, outhouse, vessel, or place other than such as is kept for lodging purposes, without the permission of the owner or party entitled to the possession thereof; or,

8. Every person who lives in and about houses of illfame; or,

9. Every person who acts as a runner or capper for attorneys in and about police courts or city prisons; or,

10. Every common prostitute; or,

11. Every common drunkard; or,

12. Every person who accosts, annoys or molests any female, or who loiters about any school or public place at or near which females attend or are employed.

Is a vagrant and is punishable by a fine of not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 1267—An act to appropriate $5,000,000 for the improvement of certain State highways and certain extensions thereof which are hereby declared to be State highways.

Bill read second time, ordered to engrossment, and third reading.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At five o'clock and forty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Browne.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—Brock, Broughton, Carter, Cloudman, Dayton, Foster, Heisinger, Lyons, McDowell, Roland, and Sewell—11

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 32

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend section 1 of article XIII of the constitution of said State, relating to taxation.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-sixth session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, proposes to amend section 1 of article XIII of the constitution of the State to read as follows

Section 1. All property in the State except as otherwise in this constitution provided, not exempt under the laws of the United States, shall be taxed in proportion to its value, to be ascertained as provided by law, or as hereinafter provided,

The word "property," as used in this article and section, is hereby declared to include moneys, credits, bonds, stocks, dues, franchises, and all other matters and things, real, personal, and mixed, capable of private ownership; *and further provided*, that property used for free public libraries and free museums, growing crops, property used exclusively for public schools, and such as may belong to the United States, this State, or to any county, city and county, municipal corporation, or irrigation district, within this State shall be exempt from taxation, except such lands and the improvements thereon located outside of the county, city and county, municipal corporation or irrigation district, owning the same as were subject to taxation at the time of the acquisition of the same by said county, city and county, municipal corporation or irrigation district; *provided*, that no improvements of any character whatever constructed by any county, city and county, municipal corporation or irrigation district shall be subject to taxation. All lands or improvements thereon, belonging to any county, city and county, municipal corporation or irrigation district not exempt from taxation, shall be assessed by the assessor of the county, city and county, or municipal corporation in which said lands or improvements are located, and said assessment shall be subject to review, equalization and adjustment by the State Board of Equalization. The Legislature may provide, except in the case of credits secured by mortgage or deed of trust, for a deduction from credits of debts due to bona fide residents of this State.

RECESS.

At five o'clock and fifty minutes p. m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p. m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED

At eight o'clock p. m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to approval of amendments to the charter of the city of San Diego.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24 read, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 596—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of hunting and fishing licenses to hunt, take, pursue, or kill, wild birds or mammals, or to take, catch, or kill, game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration, defining game fishes; providing a method for the issuance of such licenses; defining resident and nonresident licenses, prohibiting the sale or issuance of any such license to any alien, providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act.

Also: Senate Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to nuisances so as to repeal certain portions thereof relating to nuisance.

Also: Senate Bill No. 811—An act to amend an act approved April 30, 1919, to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the water front of the city and county of San Francisco'".

Also: Senate Bill No. 818—An act conveying certain tidelands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of Chula Vista, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

Also: Senate Bill No. 819—An act to amend section 1914 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fourteenth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 596 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 654 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 811 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 818 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 819 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Joint Resolution No 28—Relating to the appointment of commissioners to negotiate with like commissioners from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of lower basin states in and to the waters of the lower basin of the Colorado River system.

Also Senate Constitutional Amendment No 39—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 4, authorizing the issuance and sale of $500 bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, authorizing the disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds for certain purposes, and approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and completely effective the California State buildings and State university buildings bonds act of 1925 as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-sixth session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor.

Also Senate Bill No. 797—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 read, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 39 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Bill No. 797 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 404—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 467*a*, to the Civil Code of the State of California, providing for and authorizing the construction of additional tracks by railroad corporations.

Also Senate Bill No 484—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State buildings and State university buildings bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the completion and equipment of State buildings at Sacramento and the construction and equipment of a State building at Los Angeles, to create and provide for a fund for the construction and equipment of a building or buildings for the University of California at Berkeley and a building or buildings for the University of California at Los Angeles, authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Building Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $10,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective:

Also, Senate Bill No. 486—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act, providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor, providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and

for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Also Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 71 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define the powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division 1 of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 404 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Senate Bill No. 484 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 486 read first time, and referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 528 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Utilities.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 9, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 52?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

After the word "section" in line 30 of the printed bill, add the sentence "Nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to, refer to or affect county mutual fire insurance companies or reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges."

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Eksward moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, eight o'clock and seventeen minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Mixter, Murray Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rumner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—34.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 37 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 957—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the Supreme Court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 957 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M.—55

NOES—Bernard, Heisinger, Jost, Runner, Spalding, and Mr. Speaker—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 958—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 958 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—45.

NOES—Bernard, Foster, Heisinger, Jost, Runner, and Mr. Speaker—6

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 894—An act to regulate the planting of trees along the public highways of California and a plan for the planting, care, maintenance and replacement of trees along all public roads.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 894 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes,

Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.
NOES—Graves—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to authorize and empower the Director of the Department of Agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno and Los Angeles, making the expenditure of funds under the provisions hereof contingent upon the expenditure of a like sum by the United States Department of Agriculture, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, authorizing the acceptance by the Department of Agriculture of donations to be expended in accordance with the provisions hereof and creating the agricultural leased wire fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 706 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—Cloudman, and Smith—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the willful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 613 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Levey, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Spence, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—27.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 1287 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend section 241 of the Civil Code, relating to appointment of guardians by will or deed.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1019 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1174—An act to amend section 542 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to attachments of real and personal property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1174 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, relating to the salaries of the commissioners thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 29 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Dorris, Heisinger, Roland, Runner, Spalding, and Wright, T. M.—13

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 276—An act to amend section 3817 of the Political Code, relating to redemption of property from delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 276 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dodge, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Weller, and Mr Speaker—21

NOES—Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jones, Levey, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—46.

Assembly Bill No. 213—An act to modify the elective provisions of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917" with respect to acceptance of provisions of said act by persons engaged in farm, dairy, agricultural, viticultural or horticultural employments and in stock or poultry raising by providing that employers and employees in such employment shall be presumed to have elected to have accepted the provisions of said act unless such employer or employee shall have made and filed a notice of disaffirmance of said act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 213 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—35.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller,

Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—40.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

I changed my vote from "no" to "aye" in order to move to reconsider in the event the bill carried.

BRADFORD CRITTENDEN.

Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, Statutes 1921, page 815, as amended by chapter 405, Statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1015 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to promote and increase the distribution and marketing of California grapes; to provide for an investigation of the methods to improve the quality of and demand for such products; and making an appropriation to carry out such investigation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1043 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—65.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 292—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the completion of construction and equipment and furnishing State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 292 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1160 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 15—An act relating to the Piute Pass State highway; appropriating money for the survey, location and estimate of cost of the State highway to be known as the Piute Pass road, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake, on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 15 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the west side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 233 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Foster moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the fifth and sixth lines of the title of the amended bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "highway; appropriating funds for the survey and the providing of plans for financing the same"

Amendment adopted.

Title read as amended and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 462—An act to provide for the survey of the Santa Ana River watershed and basin to determine the work necessary and proper to be done for flood control of the Santa Ana River and its tributaries, providing for an appropriation therefor and expenditure thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 462 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1154—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence,

Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1154 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1312—An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1312 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to amend section 1365 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to letters of administration, to whom granted, and the order in which they are granted.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1208 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1243 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Coombs, Crittenden, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Jones, Smith, and Walters—12.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about South Basin and South Basin Canal and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "South Basin–South Basin Canal Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said South Basin–South Basin Canal Reclamation District.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 993 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 993 re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to amend section 72 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 942 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Burns, Fry, Jacobson, and Oliva—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected

on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 602 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—Heisinger—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to amend sections 8 and 10½ of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby: the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance, and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, relating to listing of property.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 738 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the department of public accounting.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1283 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell,

McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1310—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin prison manufacturing revolving fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1310 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartmanft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36 read.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Heisinger, and Roland—2.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 36.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring. That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-sixth regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 18 of article XI of the constitution of this State be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 18. No county, city, town, township, board of education, or school district, shall incur any indebtedness or liability in any manner or for any purpose exceeding in any year the income and revenue provided for such year, without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof, voting at an election to be held for that

purpose, nor unless before or at the time of incurring such indebtedness provision shall be made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity, which shall not exceed forty years from the time of contracting the same, *provided, however*, anything to the contrary herein notwithstanding, when two or more propositions for incurring any indebtedness or liability are submitted at the same election, the votes cast for and against each proposition shall be counted separately, and when two-thirds of the qualified electors, voting on any one of such propositions, vote in favor thereof, such proposition shall be deemed adopted; *provided further, however*, that the city and county of San Francisco may at any time pay the unpaid claims, with interest thereon at the rate of five per cent per annum, for materials furnished to and work done for said city and county during the forty-first, forty-second, forty-third, forty-fourth, and fiftieth fiscal years, and for unpaid teachers' salaries for the fiftieth fiscal year, out of the income and revenue of any succeeding year or years, the amount to be paid in full of said claims not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of $500,000, and that no statute of limitations shall apply in any manner to these claims; *and provided, further*, that the city of Vallejo, of Solano County, may pay its existing indebtedness, incurred in the construction of its waterworks, whenever two-thirds of the electors thereof, voting at an election held for that purpose, shall so decide, and that no statute of limitations shall apply in any manner; *provided, further*, that the city of Venice may pay all of its indebtedness incurred during the years 1914, 1915 and 1916 in excess of the income and revenue for said years, the amount to be paid in full of said indebtedness not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of $60,000, whenever two-thirds of the voters thereof voting at an election held for that purpose shall so decide, and that no statute of limitations shall apply in any manner. Any indebtedness or liability incurred contrary to this provision, with the exceptions hereinbefore recited, shall be void. The city and county of San Francisco, the city of San Jose, and the town of Santa Clara may make provision for a sinking fund, to pay the principal of any indebtedness incurred, or to be hereafter incurred by it, to commence at a time after the incurring of such indebtedness of no more than a period of one-fourth of the time of maturity of such indebtedness, which shall not exceed seventy-five years from the time of contracting the same. Any indebtedness incurred contrary to any provision of this section shall be void; *and provided, further*, that the county of Alameda may, upon the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof voting at an election to be held for that purpose, incur a bonded indebtedness of not to exceed one million dollars, and the legislative authority of said county of Alameda shall issue bonds therefor and grant and turn over to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of California, March 22, 1910, the proceeds of said bonds for stock in said company or under such other terms and conditions as said legislative authority may determine, the same to be used and disbursed by said exposition company for the purposes of an exposition to be held in the city and county of San Francisco to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal, said bonds, so issued, to be of such form and to be redeemable, registered and converted in such manner and amounts, and at such times not later than forty years from the date of their issue as the legislative authority of said county of Alameda shall determine; the interest on said bonds not to exceed five per centum per annum, and said bonds to be exempt from all taxes for State, county and municipal purposes, and to be sold for not less than par at such times and places, and in such manner, as shall be determined by said legislative authority; the proceeds of said bonds, when sold, to be payable immediately upon such terms or conditions as said legislative body may determine, to the treasurer of said Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, upon demands of said treasurer of said exposition company, without the necessity of the approval of such demands by other authority, than said legislative authority of Alameda County, the same to be used and disbursed by said Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company for the purposes of such exposition, under the direction and control of said exposition company; and the legislative authority of said county of Alameda is hereby empowered and directed to levy a special tax on all taxable property in said county each year after the issue of said bonds to raise an amount to pay the interest on said bonds as the same become due, and to create a sinking fund to pay the principal thereof when the same shall become due.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend the constitution of said State by adding to article VI thereof a new section to be numbered 26, relative to judicial vacancies.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29 read third time.

The question being on the adoption of the constitutional amendment.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J. Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Fin-

ney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Broughton, and Dorris—2

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 29 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 29

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend the constitution of said State by adding to article VI thereof a new section to be numbered 26, relative to judicial vacancies

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of the Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to amend the constitution of said State by adding to article VI thereof a new section, to be numbered 26, and to read as follows:

SEC. 26. If a vacancy occur in the office of Chief Justice or associate justice of the Supreme Court, or in the office of presiding justice or justice of the district courts of appeal, or the office of judge of a superior court, the Governor shall appoint a person to hold such office and the justice or judge so appointed shall hold office for the remainder of the unexpired term

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 12—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 12 of article XIII thereof, relating to poll taxes.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12 read

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Eksward, Hawes, Jost, Byrne and Davis demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Weller, West, and Williamson—48

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Foster, Heisinger, Johnson, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Runner, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—26.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Spence gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12 was this day refused adoption.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and fifty minutes p m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 52 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—Roland—1.

Assembly Bill No. 52 ordered to enrollment.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 42 be withdrawn from Committee on Ways and Means and placed upon the file for passage.

The question being on the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No 42 from committee.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Sewell, Brock, Murray, McDonough and Byrne demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 42 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Schmidt, Sewell, Spence, Weller, and Williamson—33.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jones, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—37.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was received and read:

By the San Francisco delegation:

Assemblyman Albert A. Rosenshine, being compelled to absent himself from the deliberations of this body on account of illness, his fellow members desire to convey to him their sympathy, and to express the hope of his speedy recovery and an early return to the activities of this House.

HORNBLOWER.
MILLER J A.
OLIVA.
MORRISON.
SCHMIDT.
BURNS.
MITCHELL.
JACOBSON.
FRY
HAWES.
LEVEY
WILLIAMSON

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 31—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274c, empowering the board of supervisors of any county to provide a fund from the filing fees in civil litigation for the payment of a State compensation to official reporters of the superior court for attendance and reporting, authorizing county clerks to collect stated fees and pay the same into county treasuries, and authorizing county treasuries to pay the compensation of such official reporters from said fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1267—An act to appropriate $5,000,000 for the improvement of certain State highways and certain extensions thereof which are hereby declared to be State highways;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of and to add a new section to be numbered 11 to an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relative to an invitation to be extended to the National Conference on State Parks to hold its next regular convention in the State of California;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Relative to the California State Parks Association;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be adopted

DORRIS, Chairman.

The above reported concurrent resolutions ordered to engrossment.

SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILL—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 31—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and

repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill after the word "amend" insert the following, "section three of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the twelfth line of the title of the printed bill after the word "amended" strike out the period and add a comma and the following "relating to the salary of the real estate commissioner."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 1 of the printed bill after the period following the figure "1" insert the following: "Section three of an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation supervision and licensing thereof; to create a state real estate department and the office of real estate commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of real estate commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 3. There is hereby created a state real estate department. The chief officer of such department shall be the real estate commissioner. He shall be appointed by the governor and hold office at the pleasure of the governor. He shall receive an annual salary of *six thousand dollars*, to be paid monthly out of the state treasury upon a warrant of the controller. He shall within fifteen days from the time of notice of his appointment take and subscribe to the constitutional oath of office, and file the same in the office of the secretary of state and execute to the people of the State of California a bond in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars executed by two or more sureties, or by a surety company duly authorized to do business in this state, to be approved by the governor of the state, for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office. The real estate commissioner shall have full power to regulate and control the issuance and revocation, both temporary and permanent, of the licenses to be issued under the provisions of this act, and to perform all other acts and duties provided in this act and necessary for its enforcement. The real estate commissioner shall publish or cause to be published on or about March first and August first of each year a directory or list of licensed brokers and salesmen and may publish therewith such matter as he may deem pertinent to the act, and shall mail one copy of such directory to each licensed broker without charge. The real estate commissioner shall employ such deputies, clerks and assistants as he may need to discharge in proper manner the duties imposed upon him by law. Neither the real estate commissioner, nor any of his deputies, clerks or assistants shall be interested in any real estate company or real estate broker as director, stockholder, officer, member, agent or employee. Such deputies, clerks and assistants shall perform such duties as the real estate commissioner shall assign to them. The real estate commissioner shall fix the compensation of such deputies, clerks and assistants, which compensation shall be paid monthly on a certificate of the real estate commissioner and on the warrant of the controller out of the state treasury. Each deputy shall, after his appointment, take and subscribe to the constitutional oath of office and file the same in the office of the secretary of state.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, engrossment, and third reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-eight minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Friday, April 17, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 17, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—41.

Quorum present

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Easley, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Graves, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Graves, Mr. Sewell was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Graves, Mr. Rosenshine was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mrs L. T. Allee of Sacramento, California, and Mrs. Ethel Caldwell Hall of Cloverdale, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 1308—An act to amend section 1 of "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Jones moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and eighteen minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Brock, Browne, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—33.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to approval of amendments to the charter of the city of San Diego—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported Senate Concurrent Resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 264—An act defining and prohibiting blacklisting and unlawful interference with laborers, and providing for the punishment thereof and the recovery of damages therefor, and defining what shall be accepted as evidence in blacklist cases—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BROWNE, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 15, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 596—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of hunting and fishing licenses to hunt, take, pursue, or kill, wild birds or mammals, or to take, catch, or kill, game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration; defining game fishes; providing a method for the issuance of such licenses; defining resident and nonresident licenses; prohibiting the sale or issuance of any such license to any alien; providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

GRAVES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to approval of amendments to the charter of the city of San Diego.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield,

Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 24.

Relative to approval of amendments to the charter of the city of San Diego.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to provide for the submission to the qualified electors of cities, or cities and counties, the question of the establishment of municipal courts therein.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 610 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 798—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire a right of way or rights of way and construct a highway or highways extending from a point at or near and west of Cordelia, Solano County, to and in a general southwesterly direction through the American canyon and thence extending said highway or highways by the most direct and practicable route in a southerly direction to a connection with the north end of the Carquinez bridge now being constructed by the American Toll Bridge Company over and across the straits of Carquinez and declaring and establishing the same a State highway or State highways.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 798 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—45
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20—Relative to requesting the presence of the United States fleet at San Francisco during the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the Union.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION No. 20

Relating to requesting the presence of the United States fleet at San Francisco during the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the Union.

WHEREAS, The State of California will celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the admission of California into the Union in San Francisco on the fifth to ninth of September, 1925, and

WHEREAS, The admission of California into the Union began an epoch of great importance to the United States, and

WHEREAS, It is fitting that the United States be adequately represented at such celebration; therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California jointly, That the Secretary of Navy be requested to issue orders for the presence of the United States fleet, or a representative portion thereof, and the airships Shenandoah and Los Angeles at the port of San Francisco during the Diamond Jubilee celebration, September 5 to 9, inclusive, 1925, and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is hereby directed to send a copy of these resolutions to the President of the United States and to the Secretary of the Navy

Assembly Bill No. 1297—An act to amend section 193 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for manslaughter.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1297 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—43.

NOES—Browne, Graves, and Mr. Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1294 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy,

Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 973—An act to amend section 1665 of the Political Code, relating to schools.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 973 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Carter, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Schmidt moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.
Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1296 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1282 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1220 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 907—An act to prohibit any hospital from refusing to receive and treat any patient for emergency treatment.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Roberts moved that Assembly Bill No. 907 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 907 re-referred to Committee on Hospitals and Asylums.

Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 519, Statutes 1921, page 815, as amended by chapter 405, Statutes 1923, page 911, approved June 16, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1012 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding,

Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—52.
NOES—*None*

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," (approved April 7, 1911), by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1298 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—56
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Assembly Bill No. 28—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers and agents; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide penalties for the violation thereof; to create the office of Commissioner of Corporations and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 28 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—57.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1054 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—60

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 17—An act to amend sections 92 and 139 of the Civil Code and to add a new section to said code, to be numbered 108, relating to the causes of divorce.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs Brock, McDonough, Byrne, Smith and Spence demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 17 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Cleveland, Cloudman, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—35.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—32.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 945—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 904—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, fixing the terms and conditions of the grant, providing

for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 911—An act to amend section 647 of the Penal Code, relating to vagrancy—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 1302—An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 1047—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for local improvements upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities, such act to be known as 'The Local Improvement Act of 1901,'" which became a law under constitutional provision without the Governor's approval February 26, 1901, as amended—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No 1132—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909—and reports that the same has been correctly re-engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 read.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekseward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 ordered transmitted to the Senate

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 37.

Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-sixth regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that a new section to be called section 15 is hereby added to article XIII of the constitution of the State of California, said section to read as follows

Sec. 15. Taxes levied, assessed and collected as hereinafter provided upon companies owning, operating or managing any automobile, truck or auto truck, jitney bus, stage or auto stage used in the business of transportation of persons or property as a common carrier for compensation over any public highway in this state between fixed termini or over a regular route, other than busses used exclusively for the transportation of pupils to or from any public school, when owned or operated by the school or school district, shall be entirely and exclusively for State highway purposes, and shall be levied, assessed and collected in the manner hereinafter provided. The word "companies," as used in this section, shall include persons, partnerships, joint stock associations, companies and corporations

(*a*) All such companies engaged in the business of transportation of persons, or persons and baggage, or persons and express, or persons, baggage and express where the same is transported on the same automobile, jitney bus, stage or auto stage transporting said persons shall annually pay to the State a tax upon their franchises, cars, equipment, and other property, or any part thereof, used exclusively in the operation of their business in this State, equal to four and one-quarter per cent of the gross receipts from operations of such companies, and each thereof, within this State.

All such companies operating trucks or auto trucks engaged in the business of transporting property shall annually pay to the State a tax upon their franchises, trucks or auto trucks, equipment, and other property, or any part thereof, used exclusively in the operation of their business in this State, equal to five per cent of the gross receipts from operations of such companies, and each thereof, within this State.

When such companies are operating partly within and partly without this State, the gross receipts within this State shall be deemed to be all receipts on business beginning and ending within this State, and a proportion, based upon the proportion of the mileage within this State to the entire mileage over which such business is done, of receipts on all business passing through, into, or out of this State.

Such taxes shall be in lieu of all other taxes and licenses, State, county and municipal, upon the property above enumerated of such companies; *provided*, that nothing herein shall be construed to release any such company from the payment of any amount to be paid or required by law to be paid for any special privilege or franchise heretofore granted by any of the municipal authorities of this State.

The revenues from the taxes provided for in this section shall be used for the reconstruction, maintenance and repair of State highways and shall be placed in the general fund, or such special funds as may be provided by law. In the event that all other State revenues are at any time deemed insufficient to meet the annual expenditures of the State, there may be levied in the manner to be provided by law, a tax, for State purposes, on all the property in the State, including the classes of property enumerated in this section, sufficient to meet the deficiency. All property enumerated in this section shall be subject to taxation, in the manner provided by law, to pay the principal and interest of any bonded indebtedness created and outstanding by any city, city and county, county, town, township, or district on the first day of October, 1925. The taxes so paid for principal and interest on such bonded indebtedness shall be deducted from the total amount paid in taxes hereunder.

(*b*) All the provisions of this section shall be self-executing, and the Legislature shall pass all laws necessary to carry this section into effect, and shall provide for the valuation and assessment of the property enumerated in this section, and shall prescribe the duties of the State Board of Equalization and any other officers in connection with the administration thereof.

The rates of taxation fixed in this section shall remain in force until changed by the Legislature, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses voting in favor thereof. The taxes herein provided for shall become a lien on the first Monday in March of each year after the adoption of this section and shall become due and payable on the first Monday in July thereafter. The gross receipts herein mentioned shall be computed for the year ending the thirty-first day of December prior to the levy of such taxes and the value of any property mentioned herein shall be fixed as of the first Monday in March. Nothing herein contained shall affect any tax levied or assessed prior to the adoption of this section.

(*c*) No injunction shall ever issue in any suit, action or proceeding in any court against this State or against any officer thereof to prevent or enjoin the collection of any tax levied under the provisions of this section, but after payment action may be maintained to recover any tax illegally collected in such a manner and at such time as may now or hereafter be provided by law.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relating to the compilation or codification of the laws of California.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 26 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—70

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 26.

Relating to the compilation or codification of the laws of California.

WHEREAS, There appears to be a serious need for the compilation or complete codification of the laws of the State of California, now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the legislative counsel be and he hereby is instructed and directed to make a study of the methods used in the compilation and codification of the laws of the other states, and present and submit a report to the Legislature embodying an outline of the various methods used, together with his comments suggestions and recommendations in regard to the applicability of these methods to a compilation or complete codification of the laws of the State of California.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 14—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 11 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds by corporations.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14 read.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., and Wright, T M—66

NOES—Anderson, R J., and Mr Speaker—2.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 14 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 14.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 11 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds by corporations.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-sixth regular session, commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of

said Legislature voting therefor, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 11 of article XII of the constitution of the State be amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 11. No corporation shall issue stock or bonds, except for money paid, labor done, or property actually received, and all fictitious increase of stock or indebtedness shall be void. The stock and bonded indebtedness of corporations shall not be increased, except in pursuance of general law, nor without the consent of the persons holding at least two-thirds of the amount in value of the stock.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 12 of article XIII thereof, relating to poll taxes.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Spence moved that the vote whereby Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12 was refused passage be reconsidered.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Smith, Schmidt, Levey, Byrne and Mrs. Saylor demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the motion to reconsider.

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12 reconsidered by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—43.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Deuel, Duval, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, McDowell, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Roberts, Walters, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—23.

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION

Messrs. McDonough, Byrne, Davis, Smith and Little demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12

The roll was called, and Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 12 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Olivia, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—44

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger,

Johnson, Jost, McDowell, McPherson, Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—27.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relating to an invitation to be extended to the National Conference on State Parks to hold its next regular convention in the State of California;

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Relating to the California State Parks Association;

And reports that the same have been correctly engrossed

ROBERTS, Chairman

The above reported concurrent resolutions ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 31—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the salary of the Real Estate Commissioner—and reports that the same has been correctly engrossed.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for third reading

THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS—(RESUMED).

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article XX thereof, relative to proportional representation

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Spence moved that Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24 re-referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relative to an invitation to be extended to the national conference on State Parks to hold its next regular convention in the State of California

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller,

Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 27.

Relating to an invitation to be extended to the National Conference on State Parks to hold its next regular convention in the State of California.

WHEREAS, California has always been a leading state in all matters pertaining to park legislation; and

WHEREAS, California is a State of surpassing natural beauty; and

WHEREAS, The parks of this State are an inspiration to any person interested in work of this character; and

WHEREAS, The California State Parks Association has rendered invaluable service to the State in its constant and effective encouragement of all matters pertaining to park development; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California does hereby invite the National Conference on State Parks to hold its next regular convention in the State of California; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be directed to send a copy of these resolutions to Judge John Barton Payne, of Washington, D. C., chairman of the National Conference on State Parks

Assembly Bill No. 1132—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard form of fire insurance policy and to prevent variations therefrom, excepting under certain stated conditions and restrictions," approved March 18, 1909.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Jost, Deuel, Eksward, Melville and McDonough demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1132 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Brock, Broughton, Burns, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Schmidt, Spalding, West, Williamson, and Woodbridge—26.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—40.

Assembly Bill No. 903—An act making an appropriation for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 903 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell,

Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Assembly Bill No. 720—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors, and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to the appointment of employees

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Cleveland moved that Assembly Bill No 720 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 720 re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Assembly Bill No. 941—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3066 and 3066*a*, providing for liens on crops by persons who by their own labor, or by using their live stock, machinery or appliances, or who by furnishing seed or other materials, assist in producing, caring for or harvesting such crops, providing for means of enforcing such liens and for means by which the owner of such crop or crops may protect himself by a contractor's bond against any liens in excess of the contract price agreed upon between the said owner and any contractor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Fry, Levey, Jacobson, Mitchell and Morrison demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 941 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Brock, Burns, Byrne, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—33

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Reindollar, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—37

Assembly Bill No 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, pro-

viding for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the "Division of Weights and Measures fund."

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No 657 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fester, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S V.—44

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dorris, Fry, Graves, Jones, Levey, Melville, Murphy, Nielsen, Roland, Saylor, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—28

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 1047—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for local improvements upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities, such act to be known as 'The Local Improvement Act of 1901'" which became a law under constitutional provision without the Governor's approval, February 26, 1901, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1047 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., and Wright, T M.—63.

NOES—Crittenden, and Mr. Speaker—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the superintendents of schools.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Eksward moved that Assembly Bill No 672 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Education.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No 672 re-referred to Committee on Education.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28—Relative to the California State Parks Association.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 28 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Little, Brock, Walters, Badham and Anderson, R. J., demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—35.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Deuel, Fry, Hawes, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Murray, Nielsen, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—28.

Assembly Bill No. 945—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 945 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, West, and Williamson—37.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Finney, Foster, Graves, Jacobson, Jones, Little, Melville, Murray, Roland, Runner, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—28

Assembly Bill No. 1302—An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1302 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 605—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 274c, empowering boards of supervisors of any county to provide a fund from the filing fees in civil litigation for the payment of a fixed salary of official reporters of the superior court and authorizing county treasurers to pay the salaries of official reporters from such fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 605 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Williamson, and Woodbridge—33.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Dayton, Duval, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Roland, Saylor, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—40.

Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend sections 3 and 9 and to add a new section to be numbered 15 to an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," approved by electors November 2, 1920, as amended, relating to rights of aliens with respect to real property.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 1270 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 1270 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 1267—An act to appropriate $5,000,000 for the improvement of certain State highways and certain extensions thereof which are hereby declared to be State highways.

Bill read third time

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION

Messrs. Smith, Brock, McDonough, Badham and Dodge demanded the previous question

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1267 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell,

Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, Williamson, and Mr Speaker—48

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Foster, Melville, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—24.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 31—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 31 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M—54.

NOES—Anderson, R. J, Bernard, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Deuel, Dorris, Fry, Jacobson, Miller, Eleanor, Murphy, Schmidt, Walters and Mr Speaker—14.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No 911—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 647*a*, relating to loitering and molestation of females, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 911 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Burns—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 254—An act to amend sections 9 and 12 of "The Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Byrne, Dodge, Lyons, McDonough and Brock demanded the previous question.

The question being put, Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Assembly Bill No. 250 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Schmidt, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., and Wright, T. M.—34.

NOES—Anderson, R J., Badham, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, and Mr Speaker—35

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered.

By Messrs. Adams, Dayton and Cleveland:

WHEREAS, Death removed from this sphere on April 15, 1925 Henry A. Jastro, who for more than forty years was among those blazing the trail of progress and development in California, particularly along the lines of agriculture and stock raising and land colonization, and

WHEREAS, In recognition of Mr Jastro's peculiar fitness for the position, he had been for many years President of the State Agricultural Society and on the Agricultural Committee of the Regents of the University of California, in which position he served his adopted State honorably and well, and

WHEREAS, In his passing, one more pioneer whose works made possible comfort and enjoyment of life for thousands of Californians has left a valuable heritage to those remaining therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Assembly, upon adjournment this day, do so out of respect to the memory of Henry A. Jastro.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

Assembly Bill No 904—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Hornblower moved that Assembly Bill No. 904 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Motion carried

Assembly Bill No. 904 re-referred to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

MOTION.

Mr. Eksward moved that when the Assembly adjourns today it do so to reconvene Saturday, April 18, 1925, at nine o'clock a.m.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Eksward, Adams, Carter, Spalding, and Jost, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Eksward to adjourn to nine o'clock Saturday, April 18, 1925.

The roll was called, and the motion by Mr. Eksward carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—48

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Levey, McDonough, Mitchell, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M—19.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and forty minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the house were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jones.

The roll of absentees was called, and Assembly Bill No. 1308 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—Davis, and Dorris—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Spence the consideration of Senate Bills Nos. 599 and 600 were made a special order for Tuesday, April 22, 1925, at ten o'clock a.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 466—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to construction and repairs of bridges.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R. J, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—55.

Assembly Bill No. 196—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1900*a*, relating to uniform proof of Statutes.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

Assembly Bill No. 969—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

Assembly Bill No. 970—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of municipal corporations," approved June 11, 1913, relating to consolidating of territory in adjoining counties.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

Assembly Bill No. 746—An act to abandon and relinquish any and all claim to portions of streets designated as Railroad avenue, Humboldt avenue, B, C, D and E streets in the town of Sausalito and providing for the transfer and recession thereof to said town of Sausalito.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

Assembly Bill No. 730—An act to amend sections 852*a* and 881 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections for and adoption of the commission form of government, and relating to the compensation of officers of municipalities.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Saturday, April 18, 1925, out of respect to the memory of late Henry A. Jastro.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Saturday, April 18, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.

Quorum present.

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rabbi Harold F. Reinhardt, of Sacramento, California.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Walters, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Hawes, Messrs. Levey, Fry, Williamson, Rosenshine, Morrison, Mitchell, Hornblower and Burns were granted leaves of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Smith, Messrs. Croter and McDonough were granted leaves of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr Carter, Messrs Dodge and Lyons were granted leaves of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr McDowell, Mr. Foster was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Miss Broughton, Mrs. Woodbridge was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Davis, Mr Pierce was granted leave of absence for the day.

On motion of Mr. Weller, Mr. Roberts was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUEST ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Messrs Miller and Oliva, Mr. Raymond Nunez of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 360—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way, and to construct and maintain a highway, which is hereby declared to constitute and be a State highway, extending from Needles or from a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission upon the route of the State highway extending from San Bernardino to Needles in the county of San Bernardino to a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Arizona opposite the town of Topock, Arizona, or at such other point thereon as may be selected by said California Highway Commission

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 437—An act to authorize the State Highway Commission to cooperate with the federal Bureau of Public Roards in numbering and marking the road of interstate character.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "highways" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following "*provided*, that nothing herein shall be construed to prevent the erection or maintenance of highway

warning or direction signs heretofore or hereafter erected by permission of the California highway commission or by permission of any city, city and county or county."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 24—An act to amend section 421 of the Civil Code, relating to investments of insurance companies.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 414—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 453*hh*, defining and regulating the business of land value insurance, declaring the conditions on which land value insurance may be done and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 415—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 506*b*, relative to embezzlement by insurance agents and brokers.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 10½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the practice of optometry.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 23, of the amended printed bill, strike out every word and number beginning with and including the number "10" down to and including the word "act" on line 30

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 139—An act to amend section 360*d* of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction of the Department of Finance

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 816—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation, in the State of California to donate and grant to the regents of the University of California, as a public trust for the State of California, any real property owned by it, or which it may hereafter acquire, within or without its corporate limits, for a site upon which the regents of the University of California may erect university buildings or maintain grounds in connection therewith, and also authorizing and empowering any of the same to use such part of its funds as deemed necessary toward the acquisition of such a site, also authorizing the incurring of indebtedness for any of the purposes aforesaid, and validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in further-

ance of any such purpose, and all of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of bonds for any such purpose

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 364—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI, inclusive, of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code; all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 370—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 817—An act to validate certain bonds of certain irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 507—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District Act,' creating a consolidated irrigation, protection and reclamation district, subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District,' for the purpose of taking over the water rights and water system of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and of the stockholders thereof, the levees, properties and functions of the Palo Verde joint levee district of Riverside and Imperial counties, California; the properties and functions of the Palo Verde Drainage District; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable low lands of Palo Verde Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, destruction of mosquito pests, and protecting all the lands within the district, and the water system, from flood waters of the Colorado River, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, protection and reclamation systems through a single district organization; providing also for the assumption, funding and payment of the bond and other obligations of said Palo Verde Mutual Water Company and said levee and drainage districts, and for the issuance of bonds for all of the aforesaid purposes; and providing for the payment, funding and refunding of all such indebtedness; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized, and for the organization, management and control of the district through a board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties

of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments to finance the acquisition of the properties, to carry on the construction work, maintenance and operation of the same, and for the payment of bonds and the expense of maintaining the district created hereby, providing also a means for dissolving said district," approved June 21, 1923, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 15*a*, whereby the "Palo Verde Irrigation District" authorized to be created by the act above mentioned, shall be empowered to authorize and issue bonds of the district for redemption of bonds of the Palo Verde joint levee district of Riverside and Imperial counties, California, and of the Palo Verde Drainage District and of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company; to exchange bonds of the district for such bonds or to make use of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the district for the redemption of all such bonds, and to assess all of the lands and improvements within the Palo Verde Irrigation District uniformly for the payment of principal and interest of all such redemption or refunding bonds.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a guardian for the Marshall monument and grounds; prescribing his duties and appropriating money therefor," approved March 31, 1891, as amended, relating to the salary of said guardian

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 5—An act to provide for the cooperation with the United States government in establishing and operating a forest experiment station in the State of California and to make an appropriation therefor

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 133—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the street facing the grounds of the State hospital at Stockton.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 176—An act appropriating $50,000 for the construction and maintenance of fire lanes and trails on the mountains composing the watersheds of Los Angeles County.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No 228—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R. B Hale against the State of California

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 336—An act providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the economic, sanitary and educational conditions, needs and general welfare of the Indians of California, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 to cover the cost of such investigation.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 699—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the board of State Harbor Commissioners to expend the sum of $25,000 for advertising the port of San Francisco in foreign publications and in newspapers published in the United States for the purpose of promoting traffic through said port, and authorizing the withdrawal of said moneys from the San Francisco harbor improvement fund.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 775—An act appropriating money for the purchase of additional land for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 805—An act to appropriate money to pay the expenses of certain sewer improvements of benefit to the southern branch of the University of California, situated in the county of Los Angeles.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 346—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "appropriated" strike out the following: "state treasury not otherwise appropriated" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "San Francisco harbor improvement fund"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 337—An act making an appropriation for emergency relief of Indians in California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the amended bill, after the word "investigation", strike out the comma and the following "approved_____, 1925," and insert in lieu thereof a colon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the amended bill, strike out "or for" and insert in lieu thereof "For"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c* and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 399—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known and numbered section 4041*h*, relating to levy of a special tax for pension or retirement system purposes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 264—An act defining and prohibiting blacklisting and unlawful interference with laborers, and providing for the punishment thereof and the recovery of damages therefor, and defining what shall be accepted as evidence in blacklist cases

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 596—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of hunting and fishing licenses to hunt, take, pursue, or kill, wild birds or mammals, or to take, catch, or kill, game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration; defining game fishes; providing a method for the issuance of such licenses; defining resident and nonresident licenses; prohibiting the sale or issuance of any such license to any alien; providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 508—An act to amend section 598 of the Civil Code, relating to property of religious corporations.

Also Senate Bill No 705—An act to amend section 627 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass

Also Senate Bill No 757—An act providing for and relating to damages resulting from or caused by the acquisition of a water supply or taking, diverting and transporting of water from a watershed and from the lands, streams and waters therein, to and for use in and by municipal corporations and providing for compromise arbitration and settlement and payment of claims for any such damage and empowering and authorizing municipal corporations and persons, firms and corporations furnishing water to or for use in municipal corporations to pay, compromise, arbitrate and settle any and all damage caused, or claimed to have been caused, by the acquiring of such land or water, or the taking, diverting or transporting the same for the purposes aforesaid, fixing the time for the presentment of such claims and relating generally to such damages:

Also Senate Bill No 578—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

WELLER, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON DRAINAGE, SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 808—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County flood control district'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating

to powers of such district—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

EASLEY, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No 819—An act to amend section 19r14 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fourteenth class—has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

DAYTON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9—Relating to records of service in the Army.

Also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13—Relative to the improvement of the San Joaquin River and Stockton Channel by the United States, and asking the United States to appropriate sums of money for dredging, deepening, widening, and otherwise improving the said channels;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this seventeenth day of April, 1925, at three o'clock p m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported joint resolutions ordered on file for adoption. Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 368—An act to amend section 600 of the Penal Code, relating to arson,

Also Assembly Bill No. 471—An act to amend sections 4236*a*, 4236*b*, 4236*c* 4236*d*, 4236*e*, 4236*f*, 4236*g*, 4236*h*, 4236*i*, 4236*j*, 4236*k*, 4236*l*, 4236*m*, 4236*n*, 4236*o*, 4236*p* inclusive of the Political Code, and to add a new section to said code to be numbered 4236*q*, relating to county and township officers in counties of the seventh class, the assistants, deputies, and other employees of said officers, and provided for the compensation of said officers and said assistants, deputies, and other employees.

Also Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 1131 of the Political Code, relating to the conduct of elections.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 446—An act to amend sections 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, relating to the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 489—An act to amend section 4295 of the Political Code, relating to official fees and services;

Also, Assembly Bill No 878—An act to amend section 12 of the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered section 214, relating to imitation milk, oleomargarine, and renovated butter, prohibiting the use of dairy terms and symbols in connection therewith, and creating the oleomargarine enforcement and dairy control fund;

Also, Assembly Bill No 948—An act to amend section 4243 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the fourteenth class, and fixing their mileage and per diem of grand and trial jurors in such counties;

Also Assembly Bill No. 971—An act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of regional or county planning commissions and prescribing their powers and duties,

Also: Assembly Bill No 999—An act authorizing the State Director of Institutions with the approval of the State Board of Control to grant to the county of Los Angeles for highway and road purposes the use of certain lands belonging to the State of California situated in Los Angeles County,

Also Assembly Bill No 168—An act providing for the certification of cotton seed, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereof, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish stations for the inspection and certification of cotton seed, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to issue certificates to the seller of cotton seed showing that the same has been certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of California; prohibiting the sale of cotton seed as certified unless the same shall have been inspected and certified by the Department of Agriculture; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 918—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 452—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of funds received by the Department of Education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 242—An act to provide for the treatment and surgical care of deformed, crippled or injured children by the State of California, in its general hospitals and institutions, and providing funds therefor.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 152—An act to amend sections 2, 5½, and 8 of an act entitled "An act to promote the better education of nurses and the better care of the sick in the State of California, to provide for and regulate the examination and registration of graduate nurses, and to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered nurses to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health, and to repeal an act approved March 20, 1905, entitled 'An act to promote the better education of the practice of nursing the sick in the State of California, to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as a registered nurse, to qualified applicants of the board of regents of the University of California, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,'" approved June 12, 1913, as amended, relative to registration of nurses.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 174—An act appropriating money to provide for the grading, paving, curbing, guttering and drainage of those portions of Normal street, Normal-Campus intersection, Campus street, Campus-Meade intersection, and Meade avenue, in San Diego, California, fronting on property of the San Diego State Teachers College.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 470—An act establishing a State Department of Mines and Mineral Resources, creating the office of director of said department, providing rules and regulations therefor, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof; providing for the furnishing of information in certain cases by said director to the Commissioner of Corporations and the Surveyor General; providing for the transfer to the said department and director of all the authorities, rights, duties and obligations of the State Mining Bureau, including the Department of Petroleum and Gas; creating a State mineral resources fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, and repealing an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines, mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a board of trustees, to be known as the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the board of trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith,' approved June 16, 1913.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 673—An act to amend section 8 of an act known as the 'Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the sale of market milk;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 837—An act to provide for the disposition of certain material of the former geological survey of California delivered to the president of the University of California pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 27, 1874;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 869—An act to amend section 4239 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of counties of the tenth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 959—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the creation, government and maintenance of county sanitation districts, the issuance of bonds by such districts and the powers thereof," approved May 29, 1923, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 19*a*, to provide for the joint administration of county sanitation districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 962—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitary conditions of bakeries, prescribing conditions connected with the manufacture and sale of bakery products and fixing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1004—An act to prohibit the erection, construction or maintenance of dwellings or other places of human habitation upon any beach within the State of California, bordering upon the Pacific Ocean, unless such dwellings or other places of human habitation shall be provided with adequate sewage disposal facilities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1107—An act relating to employment where the work is to be performed outside of this State by persons hired within this State; prohibiting false statements regarding the conditions of such employment and providing penalties for the violation hereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 1180—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. Mortimer Smith against the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1229—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the Legislative Manual or State Blue Book.

Also Assembly Bill No 171—An act to regulate the employment of moving picture operators and to provide a penalty for violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 249—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 21, and 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of bridge and highway districts and to provide for the acquisition and construction by said districts of bridges and approaches thereto, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the issuance and payment of bonds by said districts, for the levying of taxes and the collection of tolls by said districts and for the annexation of additional territory thereto," relative to the construction of bridges and highways, approved May 25, 1923.

Also Assembly Bill No. 356—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Political Code, relating to holidays

Also Assembly Bill No 357—An act to amend section 7 of the Civil Code, relating to holidays.

Also Assembly Bill No 358—An act to amend section 10 and to repeal section 11 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to holidays

Also Assembly Bill No 652—An act to add a new section to an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15 1923, to be numbered section 16½, relating to the licensing of dairy produce exchanges,

Also Assembly Bill No 287—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property

Also Assembly Bill No. 1016—An act to amend section 682 of the Political Code, relative to the powers of the Board of Control,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1209—An act regulating the manufacture and packing of alimentary pastes, prohibiting the use of second hand boxes for packing such pastes prohibiting the manufacture, production, preparation compounding, packing, selling or keeping for sale or the introduction into the State of artificially colored alimentary pastes, vesting the State Board of Health with enforcement of the provisions of this act and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the time this act shall go into effect.

Also Assembly Bill No 502—An act to provide that life insurance companies shall be credited upon forthcoming taxes in the respective sums heretofore collected from them under an erroneous construction of the provisions of section 14 of article XIII of the constitution and of the legislation enacted in pursuance thereof, prescribing certain duties of the Insurance Commissioner and of the Board of Equalization with respect to such credits, and prescribing the conditions under which such credits shall be granted;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this seventeenth day of April, 1925, at three o'clock p m

ROBERTS, Chairman.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 229—An act declaring Peralta street from Seventh street to San Pablo avenue in the city of Oakland a State highway and making an appropriation therefor

Also Senate Bill No 672—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 229 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 672 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 826—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the chief of engineers of the United States Army and the board of engineers for rivers and harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Senate Bill No. 828—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor,' approved March 18, 1899, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*a* and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State; providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act;

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 826 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and means.

Senate Bill No. 828 read first time, and referred to Committee on Live Stock and Dairies.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 536—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Senate Bill No. 575—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Senate Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the Chief Justice and of each of the associate justices of the Supreme Court;

Also: Senate Bill No. 680—An act appropriating money for the purpose of placing a memorial tablet in "memorial grove" located in Capitol Park, in the city of Sacramento;

Also: Senate Bill No. 711—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to the forfeiture of the undertaking of bail, or the money deposited instead of bail, and the discharge of forfeiture thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts to levy tax to meet deficiencies;

Also Senate Bill No. 823—An act making an appropriation for the repair of the State Armory at San Francisco.

Also, Senate Bill No. 825—An act making an appropriation for the repair and alteration of the east wing of the State Exposition building at Exposition Park, Los Angeles.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 536 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 575 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 576 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No 680 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 711 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 821 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 823 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 825 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 57—An act to provide for the reforestation, constructing and maintaining of fire lanes and fire trails on the Angeles National Forest, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also, Senate Bill No 287—An act to amend section 1241 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to proceedings in eminent domain,

Also Senate Bill No 288—An act to amend section 1243 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to proceedings in eminent domain;

Also Asembly Bill No 289—An act to amend section 1240 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to property which may be taken for public use in eminent domain proceedings,

Also Senate Bill No 298—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Institute;

Also Senate Bill No 392—An act to amend section 1618 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the compensation of executors and administrators,

Also Senate Bill No 432—An act to regulate the use of property and the operation of places of business surrounding public school buildings and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,

Also Senate Bill No. 493—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Virgil Perrone against the State of California.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 57 read first time, and referred to Committee on Conservation.

Senate Bill No. 287 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 288 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 289 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 298 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 392 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 432 read first time, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 493 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No 326—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 326 read first time, and referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into senatorial and assembly districts

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 read first time, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to the National Editorial Association.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relative to approving certain amendments to charter of the city of San Bernardino, a municipal corporation in the county of San Bernardino, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein, on the thirteenth day of April, 1925

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 read first time, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 16, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Approving sixteen certain amendments to the charter of the city of Long Beach, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighth day of April, 1925.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported Assembly concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23—Relating to pay increases of government employees.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the resolution, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, strike out the word "for" and in line 12 strike out the words "the increase" and insert in lieu thereof the following "substantial increases".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, strike out the word "wherefore" and insert in lieu thereof the word "therefore"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, strike out the word "similar" and insert in lieu thereof the word "proportionate"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, before the word "secretary" insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, before the word "secretary" insert the word "the".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22—Relating to retirement of federal employees.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the resolution, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "their".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, before the word "operation" insert the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, after the word "of" insert the following "the state of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, strike out the word "improve" and insert in lieu thereof the word "approve"

Amendments adopted

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption

Senate Joint Resolution No. 21—Relating to the Classification Act of 1923.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the resolution, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, strike out the word "proposition" and insert in lieu thereof the word "purpose".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, strike out the word "wherefore" and insert in lieu thereof the word "therefore".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed resolution, as amended April 3, 1925, strike out the word "improve" and insert in lieu thereof the word "approve".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 21 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20—Relative to the enforcement of the Alien Land Law.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—42

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 20.

Relative to the enforcement of the Alien Land Law

WHEREAS, The people of the State of California did in the year 1920 pass the so-called "Alien Land Act" which act has been strengthened by certain amendments passed by this Legislature; and

WHEREAS, It has been currently reported that certain of the authorities of this State and its political subdivisions, have, and now are, refusing or neglecting to enforce the provisions of said act and are permitting infractions and evasions of said act to go unpunished, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Attorney General and the various district attorneys of the State be and they are hereby requested to immediately take steps looking to the complete enforcement of said act, and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be forwarded to the district attorney of every county in the State

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, State of California.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 19.

Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Santa Cruz, State of California.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 27—Relating to California Indians' court of claims bill, United States Senate No. 4301

Senate Joint Resolution No 27 read

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 27 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Cuttenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 27 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No 27

Relating to California Indians' court of claims bill, United States Senate No 4301.

WHEREAS, The State Legislature, at the request of the Indian Board of Cooperation, Incorporated, of California, and the Indian auxiliaries thereof, has on two occasions memorialized California Congressmen, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs and the Secretary of the Interior to secure the passage of a bill conferring jurisdiction upon the United States Court of Claims to hear and to adjudicate all claims that might be presented thereto by the tribes and bands of Indians of California, and

WHEREAS, A bill conferring jurisdiction upon the court of claims to hear and determine all claims of whatsoever nature which any tribes or bands of Indians of California may have against the United States for lands formerly occupied and claimed by them in California and to render a judgment against the United States government for any amount found due said tribes or bands of Indians was given unanimous approval by Secretary of Interior, the Commissioner of the Indian Affairs, the House and Senate Committees on Indian Affairs and was unanimously passed by the Senate of the United States at the sixty-sixth Congress, and

WHEREAS, The late Honorable Franklin K. Lane as Secretary of the Interior, in his letter to the sixty-sixth Congress under date of February 9, 1920, said: "As these bands or tribes of Indians in California have, prima facie, a meritorious claim against the United States, and the said bill properly protected their interests and the interests of the government as well, I recommend that it receive your favorable consideration", and

WHEREAS, The House and Senate Committees on Indian Affairs in their recent reports to the sixty-eighth Congress with reference to Senate Bill No 4301 have said concerning same to their respective bodies, "Your committee has carefully investigated the claims of these Indians and are convinced that they have shown sufficient proof to grant them the right to have their day in court. This measure protects the government in all of these claims and allows any and all offsets which can be shown to have been given to these Indians. Your committee unanimously recommends the enactment of this bill. The legislation meets with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior," and

WHEREAS, Senator Hiram W. Johnson and Congressman John E. Raker, supported by other California Congressmen, the Indian Board of Cooperation and Congressional Hearings (entitled 'Indian Tribes of California,' dated March 23, 1920 and April 28, and 29, 1922) have succeeded in gaining the unanimous approval and passage of Senate Bill No 4301 by both houses of the sixty-eighth Congress ending March 4, 1925, and

WHEREAS, The passage of Senate Bill No 4301 during the last days of the sixty-eighth Congress failed to gain the signature of the President of the United States, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That our Representatives in Congress be and are hereby memorialized to regain the passage by Congress of the court of claims bill Senate No. 4301, and to secure the endorsement of the President of the United States thereto, and be it further

Resolved, That the Governor of the State of California, upon passage of this resolution, shall forward a copy thereof to each of our Representatives in Congress to the chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs of the Senate and to the chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs of the House of Representatives, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, to the Secretary of the Interior and to the President of the United States.

Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 216 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer in counties and cities and counties of the first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth class, and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation board in said counties and cities and counties.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Spalding moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 in title of printed bill, near bottom of title, strike out the words "in counties and cities and counties of the first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth class operating under a freeholder's charter and having a population of more than three hundred thousand and under five hundred thousand and also in any county or counties having a population of more than one hundred thousand and under one hundred and ten thousand, as the same is determined by the federal census taken in the year anno Domini one thousand nine hundred twenty, in which counties and cities and counties the adult probation officers, assistant and deputy adult probation officers appointed under subdivision six of this section shall serve under this act *provided, however*, that in all cases of offenses defined by section twenty-one of said act, known as the juvenile court law and by section two hundred seventy of the Penal Code, the same probation officers, assistants and deputies shall serve under this act as are appointed under said juvenile court law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figure "6" strike out line 3 and line 4 to the words "the judges" and insert in lieu thereof the words: "in any city and county, and in any said county or counties having a population of more than three hundred thousand and under five hundred thousand and also in any county or counties having a population of more than one hundred thousand and under one hundred and ten thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 4, of the printed bill, after the figure "7" strike out all of line 4 and insert in lieu thereof the words: "in and city and county".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 6, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 6, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one hundred seventy-five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out words "in counties of the third class" and insert in lieu thereof the words "In any county or counties of more than three hundred thousand and under five hundred thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out words: "in the county of the sixth class" and insert in lieu thereof the words "in any county or counties of more than one hundred thousand and under one hundred and ten thousand"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one hundred twenty five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Spalding as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 199, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SPALDING, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 634 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 635—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relative to the county high school tax.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 635 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield

Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—Cleveland, and Graves—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 636—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to apportionment of school funds.
Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Campbell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, in lines 38 and 39, strike out the words "on the basis of teacher units credited to it".

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Campbell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 636, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CAMPBELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

Senate Bill No. 637—An act to amend section 1616 of the Political Code, relating to kindergartens.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 637 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—42.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 305—An act authorizing the transfer of all funds collected by any of the county treasurers of the State of California on assessments of the Sacramento Drainage District, by said county treasurers to the Reclamation Board to vest in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District, and authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the benefit of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District for general administrative purposes.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 305 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S V, and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 604—An act to authorize the sale and conveyance by the State Board of Control of any real estate acquired by the State for use of the California Highway Commission, and to credit the proceeds of such sale to such fund as the California Highway Commission may direct.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 604 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 113—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and government of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, to be numbered 43, relating to assessment.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 113 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R J, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson Jost, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S V, and Mr. Speaker—46

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 427—An act to amend section 597 of the Political Code, relating to the examination of insurance companies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 427 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval,

Easley, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 215—An act making an appropriation for the restoration, care and upkeep of the Mission San Francisco del Solano.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 215 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 684—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexation thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 684 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 564—An act to amend section 1543*a* of the Political Code, relating to the payment of interest on unpaid orders or demands against any school district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 564 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield,

Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 689—An act to amend section 1583 of the Political Code, relating to joint school districts

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 689 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roland, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—49.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 784—An act to allow unincorporated cities, towns and districts to equip and maintain a fire department

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 784 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—49
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Duval moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 10, line 45, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "no certificate shall be issued by any person, firm" and all of lines 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 and 52 and on page 11, strike out all of lines 1, 2 and 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided, further*, that no certificate shall be issued by the state or any person, firm, corporation or organization for fruits, nuts or vegetables of a kind

specified in this act unless such fruits, nuts or vegetables have been inspected and found to meet the requirements of this act Any certificate issued by the state or any person, firm, corporation or organization under the provisions of this act shall truly state the grade, quality and condition of the fruits, nuts or vegetables certified and a true copy of such certificate shall be furnished to the director of agriculture or his duly authorized agents or the county horticultural commissioner on demand."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Duval as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No 422, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DUVAL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 7, of said bill, strike out the word "Five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Two".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 369, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 802—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 640*a*, for the prevention of the fraudulent operation of slot machines or coin receptacles, or making or furnishing devices to defraud owners of the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 802 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva Reindollar,

Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 379—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and in lieu thereof insert the word "two".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 379, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 438—An act declaring the public highway extending from the city of El Centro to the city of Calexico in Imperial County to be a State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 438 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Niel-

sen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 161—An act to provide that a certain highway in Santa Cruz County shall become a State highway on approval of such highway by the California Highway Commission.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 161 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J. Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—48
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 107—An act recognizing and declaring valid Tia Juana River Irrigation District, and approving and declaring valid all proceedings on formation and organization thereof.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 107 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making

an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended relating to the salary of the Sealer of Weights and Measures in counties of the fifth class

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 157 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Walters gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 157 was this day passed.

Senate Bill No. 384—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af* inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the" and in lieu thereof insert the following, "their"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill strike out all of said line after the word "residences" and insert a period after the word "residences."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "7" and in lieu thereof insert the figure "6"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "The" and in lieu thereof insert the following "Such corporation shall not issue capital stock and its business shall not be carried on for profit The"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "members" and the balance of said line.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "ration from their number,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 32 of the printed bill, strike out the word "may" and in lieu thereof insert the following, "shall elect officers of the corporation from their number,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 and 52 and in lieu thereof insert the following "enjoy, to sell, lease, mortgage and other

wise encumber and dispose of any, all and every kind of real or personal property, including stock in other corporations, subject to the terms and conditions of bequests, donations and gifts whenever the same apply; also to carry on any and all operations necessary or convenient in connection with the transaction of any of its business, to make contracts, borrow money, issue bonds, debentures, promissory notes, or other obligations and secure the same. No such corporation shall sell, or offer for sale, negotiate for the sale of, or take subscriptions for any security of its own issue until it shall have first applied for and secured from the commissioner of corporations a permit authorizing it so to do, and complied with all the terms and conditions of chapter 532, statutes 1917; as amended, chapter 148, statutes 1919, known as the Corporate Securities Act. All the provisions of said Corporate Securities Act are hereby made applicable to and binding upon corporations incorporated under this title."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 384, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 809—An act to add section 309½ to the Civil Code, relating to the authorization of the distribution of the capital stock or capital assets of a corporation among its stockholders, and the procedure therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 809 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—51

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 498—An act to amend section 4270 of the Political Code, relating to creation and compensation of county officers in the forty-first class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 498 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 431—An act to amend section 19*f* of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants and clerks in counties of the seventh class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 431 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 327—An act confirming, legalizing and validating a certain grant of land made by the city of San Diego to the United States for the use of the Navy Department.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 327 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 328—An act confirming, legalizing and validating a certain grant of land made by the city of San Diego to the United States for the use of the Navy Department.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 328 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 188—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of transferring bodies from the old to the new cemetery of the State Hospital at Stockton

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. McPherson moved that Senate Bill No. 188 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried

Senate Bill No. 188 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No 344—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608*e*, to authorize the governing boards of school districts to rent, purchase, or build, and furnish school buildings to house pupils or employees of the school districts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McPherson moved that Senate Bill No. 344 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 344 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No 382—An act to amend section 1374 of the Penal Code, relating to expenses of persons committed to State hospitals.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McPherson moved that Senate Bill No. 382 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 382 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Murray:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 14, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution by Mr. Foster

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a resolution of the Assembly a committee was appointed to make an investigation of the courses of study and expenditures of the State Teachers Colleges, and

WHEREAS, The committee in making such investigation has incurred certain necessary expenses, therefore be it

Resolved, That the State Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant upon the contingent fund of the Assembly in favor of the Chief Clerk of the Assembly for $387 05 to pay the expenses of the said committee in making the above mentioned investigation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully *reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.*

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
NOYES
SPENCE
LEVEY.
MILLER, J A.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 36 of the Assembly Journal of March 25, in line 7, of the printed resolution introduced by Mr Foster, relative to the investigation of the courses of study and expenditure of the teachers colleges, strike out the words "chief clerk", and insert in lieu thereof "S. E Hartranft." In line 8, of the printed resolution, strike out the figures "$387 05" and insert in lieu thereof the following figures: "$372 05".

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the resolution as amended.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution as amended.

The roll was called, and the resolution as amended adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward,

Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, Jost, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant from the contingent expenses fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same in the sum of fifty dollars ($50), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expense of the Chief Clerk's office.

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $253.80 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

Wood Curtis Company	$8 25
Pioneer Baking Company	8 00
Tacoma Brewing Company	7 50
Capital Dairy Company	3 60
Capitol Grill	100 00
H. S. Crocker Company	5 95
Virginia Crossan	6 50
Cascade Towel Supply Company	114 00
	$253 80

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

By Mr. Dillinger:

WHEREAS, The grim reaper has, on the 17th day of April, 1925, called from his earthly labors Honorable C. H. Dunton, whose years of unselfish efforts in the interests of the growth and welfare of California and particularly of the mining industry of our State, have contributed most to that growth and welfare; therefore, be it

Resolved, That when the Assembly adjourns today, it do so in respect to the memory of that sterling citizen, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread on the Journal of the Assembly and that a copy thereof be sent to the family of the deceased.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

ADJOURNMENT.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Monday, April 20, 1925, out of respect to the memory of the late C. H. Dunton.

IN ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Monday, April 20, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson,

Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Burns, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr. Crittenden, Mr. Louttit was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Walters, Mr. Glenn "Tiny" Hartranft, Robt. Glenn Hartranft and Mrs. Glenn Hartranft of Palo Alto, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Davis, Honorable Henry H. Yonkin, former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dayton, Hon. Dan McCloskey, a former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Saylor, Mrs. A. H. Booth of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Spence, Mrs. Clarke Spence of Alameda was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Spence, Mrs. L. M. Kinsman of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. West, Mr. Ray C. Waring of Oakland, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

PRESENTATION OF PETITION.

The following petition was presented, and ordered printed in the Journal:

LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA, April 19, 1925.

Honorable Frank Merriam,
Speaker of Assembly, Sacramento, California.

Through misinformation and misrepresentation the Senate was led to believe that Senate Bill No. 201 was satisfactory to optometrists. We assure you that amendment is being fostered by enemies of optometry and if passed will practically nullify all we have fought for and won in twenty years. Please do what you can to prevent any amendment to present law. The law is all right as it stands.

J. M. CRAWFORD
JOHN M. FORSYTH.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1924

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Approving certain amendments to charter of the city of San Bernardino, a municipal corporation in the county of San Bernardino, State of California, voted and ratified by the electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein, on the thirteenth day of April, 1925—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported Senate concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 486—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor, providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold, providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass.

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 52—An act to amend section 623 of the Political Code, relating to bonds required to be filed by insurance companies operating in this State.

Also Assembly Bill No. 100—An act declaring the public highway extending from a point one-half mile north of the town of Bishop, Inyo County, thence to Laws, thence north over the road recently constructed by Mono County, to the Nevada state line near the point where the main branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad crosses such state line to be a State highway.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this eighteenth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Approving sixteen certain amendments to the charter of the city of Long Beach, State of California, ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special municipal election held therein on the eighth day of April, 1925—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this eighteenth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 38—An act to amend section 452 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer;

Also: Senate Bill No. 479—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts and places within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 480—An act authorizing the regents of the University of California to convey certain land in the city of Los Angeles to the city of Los Angeles for the purpose of widening Vermont avenue:

Also: Senate Bill No. 606—An act to divide the highways of the State of California into a primary system and a secondary system, and designating the roads within each system, providing for the manner of expenditure of State funds in the construction of said roads and authorizing the California Highway Commission to designate the order of construction of said roads

Also: Senate Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game:

Also: Senate Bill No. 647—An act to empower the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to license those engaged in catching or marketing fish; and to provide penalties for violation of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 626c of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No 38 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 479 read first time, and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 480 read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Senate Bill No. 606 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 641 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game

Senate Bill No 647 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 652 read first time, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for an acceptance by the State of California of the provisions of an act passed by the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to authorize a more complete endowment of agricultural experiment stations and for other purposes, approved February 24, 1925," and to authorize the regents of the University of California to receive grants of money thereunder for the benefit of the University of California agricultural experiment station:

Also: Senate Bill No. 102—An act to provide for the establishment of a highway, to be known as the Bay Shore highway, in the counties of San Francisco, San Mateo and Santa Clara,

Also: Senate Bill No. 571—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,'" approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 2½,

Also: Senate Bill No. 572—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators,

Also: Senate Bill No. 829—An act to amend section 360c of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Finance

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 822 read first time, and referred to Committee on Universities.

Senate Bill No. 102 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 571 read first time, and referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 572 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 829 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters;

Also Senate Bill No 664—An act to amend section 1517 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents,

Also Senate Bill No 666—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices to relatives of persons under guardians;

Also Senate Bill No 698—An act to amend section 2552 of the Political Code;

Also Senate Bill No 700—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to broker's commissions on such sales,

Also Senate Bill No 702—An act to amend sections 1552, 1554, and 1561 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to probate sales of real estate,

Also Senate Bill No. 712—An act to amend sections 4014, 4015, and 4016, of the Political Code, relating to judicial townships and the officers thereof;

Also Senate Bill No 812—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, defining its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the disposition of fines

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 662 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 664 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 666 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 698 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 700 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 702 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 712 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No 812 read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Senate Bill No 119—An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to maps unless the same are recorded; prescribing penalties for the violation hereof and to repeal an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act,

Also Senate Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior courts

Also Senate Bill No. 824—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way, and to construct and maintain

a highway, which is hereby declared to constitute and be a State highway, extending from Barstow, in the county of San Bernardino, to a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission on the boundary line between the State of California and the State of Nevada, near the town of Jean, Nevada, or at such other point thereon as may be selected by said California Highway Commission, which said highway is commonly known and referred to as the Arrowhead Trail;

Also Senate Bill No. 827—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered and designated section 739, relating to the compensation of the judges of the superior court.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 119 read first time, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 815 read first time, and referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 824 read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads and Highways.

Senate Bill No. 827 read first time, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April, 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 14 of article I thereof relating to the taking of private property under eminent domain proceedings.

Also Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40—Relative to revenue and taxation.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 17 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40 read, and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April, 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide that the Department of Engineering of the State of California may acquire for and in the name of the people of the State of California, by purchase, donation, dedication or by proceedings in eminent domain, additional rights of way, land and trees on and along the course of any State highway," approved April 1, 1915;

Also Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the abandonment of portions of routes of State roads and highways by the Advisory Board of the State Department of Engineering, and for consent thereto in certain cases by county boards of supervisors," approved May 20, 1915;

Also Assembly Bill No. 132—An act confirming and validating the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of J. B. Enright against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to establish in the State of California an educational institution for the care,

supervision, education, training, discipline and employment of boys, to be known as the 'Whittier State School,'" approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to dismissals from such school;

Also Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products;

Also Assembly Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 633c of the Political Code, relating to insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 1027 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 845—An act to amend section 279 of the Political Code, relating to allowances to organizations of the California National Guard;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 3480 of the Political Code, relating to the issuance of bonds of reclamation districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to amend section 3480½ of the Political Code, relating to and providing for a method of refunding the installments of the principal of any reclamation district bonds now or hereafter issued as and when the said installments, or any thereof, or any part thereof, shall mature;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agricultural lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend section 1912 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1285—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to approve, confirm, ratify, and validate sales and leases of real property made by school districts or high school districts or by boards of education or boards of school trustees, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of such sales or leases.

Also Assembly Bill No. 135—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to amend section 1873 of the Political Code relating to the administration of oaths by educational officers

Also Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend sections 1775 and 1778 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of teachers certificates;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1087—An act to amend section 1548 of the Political Code, relating to the office expenses of the Superintendent of Schools.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relating to the California Diamond Jubilee celebration

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was taken up, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

GENTLEMEN: This is to advise you that I have signed the following bills.

Senate Bills Nos. 630 and 782;

Assembly Bills Nos. 95 and 476.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 508—An act to amend section 598 of the Civil Code, relating to property of religious corporations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 16 to 21, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "to appear to the court that the bishop or other ecclesiastical authority of the church, or religious denomination, sect, religious community, or organization under which, or to carry out the purpose of which, such corporation applicant was incorporated, has been notified in writing of the proposed selling, mortgaging, altering, encumbering or granting of such property."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 705—An act to amend section 627 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out "/or" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "at".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "written".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 757—An act providing for and relating to damages resulting from or caused by the acquisition of a water supply or taking, diverting and transporting of water from a watershed and from the lands, streams and waters therein, to and for use in and by municipal corporations and providing for compromise, arbitration and settlement and payment of claims for any such damage and empowering and authorizing municipal corporations and persons, firms and corporations furnishing water to or for use in municipal corporations to pay, compromise, arbitrate and settle any and all damage caused, or claimed to have been caused, by the acquiring of such land or water, or the taking, diverting or transporting the same for the purposes aforesaid, fixing the time for the presentment of such claims and relating generally to such damages.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, following line 43, of the printed bill, add the following

"SEC. 2*a*. Nothing in this act shall confer the right to recover damages resulting directly or indirectly by reason of the construction operation or maintenance of any conduit, pipe line, canal, ditch, aqueduct, reservoir, power transmission line or power house."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "representatives" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "successors", strike out the words "and assigns".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the comma following the word "directly" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, lines 2 and 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or consequentially".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 578—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the period at the end of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following "and for the selection of jurors therein."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 14 following the question mark, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Opposite such question the words "Yes" and "No" shall be printed in separate lines with voting squares. If an elector shall stamp a cross "X" in the voting square opposite the printed word "Yes" his vote shall be counted in favor of the establishment of such municipal court and if an elector shall stamp a cross "X" opposite the printed word "No" his vote shall be counted against the establishment of such municipal court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill, after the period insert the following: "Upon the establishment of a municipal court as herein provided all existing inferior courts, except as above provided, in the city or city and county wherein such municipal court is established and in a township situated wholly within such city or city and county shall be superseded by the municipal court, and the judges, justices, clerks and other attaches of such inferior court or courts shall become and be the judges, clerks and other attaches of the municipal court, in the manner and until such time as their successors are elected or appointed as hereinafter provided."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 11 to 32, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"of the first class shall be constituted and the judges, officers and attaches thereof, shall receive compensation as follows

(*a*) There shall be fifteen judges, each of whom shall receive six thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments,

(*b*) There shall be one clerk to be appointed by the judges of the court;
(*c*) The clerk shall appoint the following:
One chief deputy clerk; one cashier and head bookkeeper; one messenger; five registry clerks; ten assistant registry clerks; fifteen court clerks, twelve copyists.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 34 following the word "first", and all the rest of the page, all of page 4 and all of page 5 to and including line 16, and insert in lieu thereof the following, "and one-half class shall be constituted and the judges, officers and attaches thereof shall receive compensation as follows
(*a*) There shall be twenty-four judges, each of whom shall receive six thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments;
(*b*) There shall be one clerk to be appointed by the judges of the court who shall receive three hundred twenty-five dollars per month;
(*c*) The clerk shall appoint the following:
One chief deputy clerk, who shall receive three hundred dollars per month;
One chief clerk of the civil department who shall receive two hundred fifty dollars per month;
One chief clerk of the criminal department who shall receive two hundred fifty dollars per month;
Fourteen court clerks, criminal department, each of whom shall receive two hundred twenty-five dollars per month
Seventeen court clerks, civil department, each of whom shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month;
One cashier and bookkeeper who shall receive two hundred fifty dollars per month;
One assistant cashier and bookkeeper who shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month.
Twenty deputy clerks, each of whom shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
One stenographic secretary who shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month.
Three typist clerks, each of whom shall receive one hundred twenty-five dollars per month;
One head file clerk who shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
Three file clerks, each of whom shall receive one hundred twenty-five dollars per month,
(*d*) There shall be one marshal to be appointed by the judges of the court, who shall receive three hundred twenty-five dollars per month,
(*e*) The marshal shall appoint the following:
One assistant marshal who shall receive two hundred fifty dollars per month;
One chief criminal deputy who shall receive two hundred twenty-five dollars per month;
One secretary (male) who shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month;
Four counter clerks (male), each of whom shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
Two stenographers (male), each of whom shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
Four typist clerks (male), each of whom shall receive one hundred twenty-five dollars per month;
One head bookkeeper (male), who shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month,
Three bookkeepers (male), each of whom shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
Ten criminal deputies, each of whom shall receive one hundred ninety dollars per month;
Twenty-six deputies, each of whom shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 20 to 38, inclusive

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 43 to 52, inclusive, and all of lines 1 to 9, inclusive, on page 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following
(*a*) There shall be four judges, each of whom shall receive five thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments,
(*b*) There shall be one clerk, to be appointed by the judges of the court, who shall receive two hundred twenty-five dollars per month:
(*c*) The clerk shall appoint the following
Four court clerks, each of whom shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month,
Three deputy clerks, each of whom shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month;

One stenographer, who shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
(*d*) There shall be one marshal, to be appointed by the judges of the court, who shall receive three hundred dollars per month;
(*e*) The marshal shall appoint the following
One chief deputy, who shall receive two hundred dollars per month;
Four deputies, each of whom shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
One stenographer, who shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word and figure "grade 1" and insert in lieu thereof the word "male".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 6, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the word "grade" and the figure "2" in line 25, and insert in lieu thereof the word "female".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 6, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a period. Strike out all the rest of line 32 and all of line 33.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 38 to 52, inclusive, and lines 1, 2 and 3 on page 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
(*a*) There shall be four judges, each of whom shall receive five thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal monthly installments;
(*b*) There shall be one clerk, to be appointed by the judges of the court, who shall receive two hundred twenty-five dollars per month;
(*c*) The clerk shall appoint the following:
Four court clerks, each of whom shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month;
Three deputy clerks, each of whom shall receive one hundred seventy-five dollars per month;
One stenographer who shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
(*d*) There shall be one marshal, to be appointed by the judge of the court, who shall receive three hundred dollars per month;
(*e*) The marshal shall appoint the following
One chief deputy who shall receive two hundred dollars per month;
Four deputies, each of whom shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month;
One stenographer who shall receive one hundred fifty dollars per month

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 7 following the word and figure "Sec. 13" and strike out all of line 8 to 42, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
"The clerk, or chief clerical officer by whatever name known, his deputies and other attaches in his office and the constable, or similar official, his deputies and attaches, of each court superseded by a municipal court, shall become the clerk, his deputies and attaches and the marshal, his deputies and attaches of the municipal court upon its organization, so far as such positions are provided by law. All such persons shall be deemed to be appointed upon the organization of the court and to have met all of the requirements for appointment to permanent positions as hereinafter provided and shall be removed only for the causes and in the manner provided for the removal of officers and attaches, *provided*, that any police office appointed and acting as bailiff in any police court superseded by a municipal court shall be deemed to be appointed ex officio a deputy marshal subject to the same conditions under which he shall have been first appointed, without prejudice, however, to his rights by virtue of his employment as such police officer; *and, provided further*, that in any city or city and county having a consolidated city and county government the sheriff of the city and county and his deputies shall be ex officio the marshal and deputy marshals of the municipal court and shall perform all the duties imposed and exercise all the powers conferred upon the marshal and deputy marshals of the municipal court
SEC. 14. *Upon the consolidation of two or more inferior courts into a municipal* court as herein provided, if it shall appear that two or more clerks, officers, deputies or attaches, are by virtue of the office held in any superseded court, equally entitled to any one office in the municipal court the judges shall by a majority vote determine which person shall be entitled to the office wherein the conflict exists. Upon the organization of the court as herein provided, the clerks, deputies and attaches of the superseded court or courts shall be assigned to positions in the municipal court similar in duties and compensation to the positions held in any such superseded court. Every person who succeeds to any office or position in the municipal court by virtue of any of the provisions of this act shall continue in office and be entitled to all of the benefits and privileges, not inconsistent herewith, which attached to any such person by virtue of his office or position in any superseded inferior court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 8, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 25 following the period, strike out all of lines 26 to 31, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"All vacancies in the office of clerk or marshal shall be filled by appointment by majority vote of the judges. All vacancies in the clerk's office shall be filled by appointment by the clerk. All vacancies in the marshal's office shall be filled by appointment by the marshal, and it shall be competent for the marshal to appoint a deputy clerk or court clerk, ex officio a deputy marshal; *provided*, that no person so appointed shall receive any increased compensation. In any city or city and county which has a civil service commission all appointments to fill vacancies as provided in this section shall be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 8, line 47, of the printed bill, after the period add the following: "such appointments however shall be subject to confirmation by the judge or by a majority of the judges of the court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 9, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided*, that nothing herein contained shall limit the right of any person to the benefits of the civil service provisions of the charter of the city or city and county wherein any such municipal court is situated, or of the rules of the civil service commission having jurisdiction of such person, respecting suspensions and dismissals".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 9, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out all of line 38 following the period and all of lines 39, 40, 41, 42 and all of line 43 up to and including the period, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The salaries of the judges, clerks, marshals, officers and other attaches of each municipal court shall be paid out of the salary fund, or if there be no salary fund, then out of the general fund, of the county in which any such court is situated".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 9 of the printed bill, between lines 46 and 47, insert the following:

"SEC. 23. Whenever a municipal court is established for any city which lies partly within and partly without one or more judicial townships, the board of supervisors of the county within which the municipal court is established shall immediately by ordinance divide such county into judicial townships as public convenience may require". Renumber "Sec. 23" in line 47 to read "Sec. 24".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 10, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "including the prosecution of appeals in criminal cases arising in the municipal court and the defense of all writs arising out of arrests for offenses triable in the municipal court in whatever court or courts the same may be appealed to or initiated in."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 10, line 3, of the printed bill, renumber section 24 to read "Sec. 25".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 10, between lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, insert the following:

"SEC. 26. The municipal court and each judge thereof shall have and exercise all of the powers and shall do and perform all of the acts which were conferred upon, or required of, any police court, justice's court, police judge or justice of the peace, by law, whenever any such inferior court shall have been superseded by a municipal court and whenever any such police judge or justice of the peace shall become a judge of the municipal court by reason of any of the provisions of this act, and all such laws, not inconsistent herewith, are made applicable to any such municipal court and to each judge thereof.

SEC. 27. Whenever by law any power is conferred, or duty imposed, upon a clerk of any inferior court, superseded by a municipal court, the person discharging the same or similar duties in the municipal court shall be vested with the same power and shall be charged with the same duty with respect to his office in the municipal court.

SEC. 27*a*. In the month of January of each year, it shall be the duty of each municipal court, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, to make an order designating the estimated number of trial jurors that will, in the opinion of said court, be required for the transaction of the business of said court and the trial of causes therein during the ensuing year, or until new lists of jurors shall be provided, and the selection and listing of such jurors shall be made of men and women suitable and competent to serve as such jurors. Jurors in municipal courts shall be drawn

and summoned in the manner provided in title III of the Code of Civil Procedure for the drawing and summoning of trial jurors in the superior court, in so far as such provisions are applicable in their nature to municipal courts, and the powers, duties and functions with respect thereto of the superior court, the judge or a majority of the judges thereof, of the county clerk or of the clerk of the superior court, and of the sheriff as therein provided, shall be severally vested in, imposed upon and exercised by the municipal court, the judge or a majority of the judges thereof, the clerk of the municipal court and the marshal thereof, *provided, however*, that when there is more than judge of such municipal court, a majority of the judges thereof shall submit the names of such jurors, and the qualifications and exemptions of jurors in the municipal court shall be the same as of jurors in the superior court as provided in said title, except that the persons so selected as jurors must be residents of the city or city and county in which such municipal court is situated, *and provided, further*, that whenever the judge or judges of any municipal court shall by order enter upon the minutes of the court, determine that the transaction of the business of such municipal court and the trial of causes therein does not require the selection of trial jurors in the manner herein specified, jurors in such municipal court shall be selected in the manner provided by law for the selection of jurors in courts not of record."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE

On page 10, line 11, of the printed bill, renumber section 23 to read "Sec. 28" and in line 17 renumber section 25 to read "Sec 29".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 10, line 30, of the printed bill, after the period add the following: "Each municipal court shall have concurrent original jurisdiction with the superior court or the justices' courts of all such cases arising within the county in which such court is situated except such territory as is within the exclusive jurisdiction of any other municipal court."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE

On page 10, line 31, of the printed bill, renumber section 26 to read "Sec. 30".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 808—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District', to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 819—An act to amend section 19*x*14 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fourteenth class.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

ASSEMBLYMAN BERNARD IN THE CHAIR.

At nine o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Van Bernard, member from the Fifth District, was called to the chair.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At nine o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor, regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund, providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor, providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation, providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund, providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison, authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor; providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 586?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, after the word "hundred", strike out "fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 32, of the amended bill, strike out the word "drivers" and insert in lieu thereof the word "driver".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, lines 41 and 42, of the amended bill, strike out the following: "county or federal government".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 586 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 507?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "peace" strike out the remainder of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following "four thousand eight hundred dollars per annum."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 507 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway and providing for the construction of the same—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 2?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 20, strike out the period following the word "highway" and add the following: "and providing for the construction of the same".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 2 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1205—An act to amend sections 1 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State, to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons, to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases, to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder; and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen, guards and messengers—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1205?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 20, 1925, commencing with the parenthesis at the end of line 23, strike out all down to and including the parenthesis in line 24, and in lieu thereof insert the following: ", or law enforcement officers from carrying any wooden club,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in Senate April 9, 1925, in line 1 of the title, strike out the words "section one", and in lieu thereof insert the following: "sections one and six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in Senate April 9, 1925, in the last line of the title, strike out the period after the word "policemen", and in lieu thereof insert the following ", guards and messengers."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in Senate April 9, 1925, after the word "California", in line 28, add the following:

SEC. 2. Section six of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 6. Nothing in the preceding section shall be construed to apply to or effect sheriffs, constables, marshals, policemen, whether active or honorably retired, or other duly appointed peace officers, nor to any person summoned by any such officers to assist in making arrests or preserving the peace while said person so summoned is actually engaged in assisting such officer; nor to the possession or transportation by any merchant of unloaded firearms as merchandise; nor to members of the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States, or the national guard, when on duty, or to organizations which are by law authorized to purchase or receive such weapons from the United States, or from this state, nor to duly authorized military or civil organizations while parading, nor to the members thereof when going to and from the places of meeting of their respective organizations; nor to the guards or messengers of common carriers, banks and other financial institutions while actually employed in and about the shipment, transportation or delivery of any money, treasure, bullion, bonds or other thing of value within this state, nor to members of any club or organization now existing, or hereafter organized, for the purpose of practicing shooting at targets upon established target ranges, whether public or private, while such members are using any of the firearms referred to in this act upon such target ranges, or while going to and from such ranges; nor to licensed hunters or fishermen while engaged in hunting or fishing, or while going to or returning from such hunting or fishing expedition

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1205 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Rutherford, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Burns, Croter, Hornblower, Mitchell, and Morrison—6.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 860?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, strike out the word "term" and insert in lieu thereof the words "period of time".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 860 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray,

Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617½, relating to the selling or leasing of real property upon which no public school is being maintained—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 834?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three"

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 834 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Little, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42

NOES—Broughton, and Runner—2

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to protective tariff on cherries—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 17, after the word "and" insert the word "it".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

At the end of the bill add the following: "*Resolved further*, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded by the chief clerk of the assembly to the senate and to the house of representatives of the United States, and to each of the United States senators from California and to each member of the house of representatives from the State of California"

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 816—An act to

amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 816?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fourteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 816 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 10½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the practice of optometry.

Bill read third time.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Hornblower, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 201 was made a special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1925, at ten o'clock a. m.

Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 4269 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fortieth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 442 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 796—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improve-

ment bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Crittenden, moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the word "either"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Crittenden as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 796, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CRITTENDEN, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 224—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to support of wards of the juvenile court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 224 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Noves, Pierce, Rumer, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spence, Walters, Weller Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 595—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipalities where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such municipalities voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 595 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes Jacobson Johnson Jost, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder Sewell Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER THREE HUNDRED THIRTEEN.

Senate Bill No. 313—An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, as modified by the report of California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and providing the extent to which the State of California will contribute to the expense of executing the plan approved in said report, conditioned upon the United States assuming a corresponding obligation and further providing the purposes to which said expenditures made hereunder shall be applied

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 313 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Runner Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spald-

ing, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—Jones—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 194—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to the annexation of a high school district or union high school district to a junior college district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 194 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 314—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District based upon assessments levied by the reclamation board upon lands in said district." approved May 27, 1919, by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 59, said new section relating to and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 314 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as

amended, by amending sections 7, 12, 13, 15 and 32 thereof and by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 37, said new section relating to the disposition and application to be made of certain moneys heretofore appropriated for controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, if said moneys shall be reimbursed or released to the State of California by the federal government

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 315 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Remdollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woolbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M, and Mr Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 605—An act declaring and establishing the roads from San Rafael to Point San Quentin, from Crescent City to the Oregon line, (coast route), Alturas to the Oregon line, near New Pine Creek, from Coleville to the Nevada state line in Mono county, from Bakersfield to Mojave, from Needles to Topoc, from Shavers Wells to Coachella, from Blythe to the Colorado River, from Oxnard to the main coast highway, Bay Shore highway commencing at a point at or near the intersection of Army street and San Bruno avenue, San Francisco, to a point in San Jose to be designated by the California Highway Commission, as State highways adopting all public highways along said routes as State highways without compensation being paid therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 605 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Ekswaid, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—59.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 18—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 18 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—49
NOES—None

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 447—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 447 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—57.
NOES—Anderson, R J, Campbell, Deuel, and Murphy—4.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 212 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter; Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—Broughton—1

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No 221—An act authorizing municipal corporations to discontinue the use of land for park purposes when the fee thereof is vested in the municipal corporation, and authorizing the sale or other disposition of such lands

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 221 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris,

Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 184—An act to amend sections 7, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 184 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not accurately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and provided penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to certificates and permits to work issued to pupils in full-time day schools.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 348 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—56

NOES—Broughton—1.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Smith moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 7 of the title, after the word "not", strike out the word "accurately" and insert in lieu thereof the word "adequately".

Amendment adopted.

Title read as amended, and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 828—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor, approved March 18, 1899, as amended,' approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*a* and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State, providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California:

Assembly Bill No. 209 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill adds a new section to the Political Code and authorizes the use of certain symbols on election ballots for the alleged purpose of distinguishing between candidates who have similar names. It is proposed when several John Smiths run for office to tag one with a mark showing a diamond, others with a bell, a star, a circle, an anchor or a heart. A man of vacuous mental equipment should have a circle. An honest John Smith would naturally claim a diamond. A tool of the bosses would properly have a bell tagged after his name. A star political programmer would want a star. A John Smith of generous propensities should have a heart sign in red on the ballot after his name. A sailor would need an anchor. If more than six John Smiths ran for the same office the seventh could run as Plain John Smith, and others could pick out various vegetables or animals to identify them. Thus the voters would see an onion, a potato, a radish, a weasel, a donkey, a hyena, a monkey, or other sign indicating the symbol the candidate thought most appropriate for illustrating his major propensity.

A registrar of voters writes that he does not see how a symbol helps to identify a candidate, and that Attorney John Doe would distinguish him from Doctor John Doe better than a symbol. A large number of county clerks doubt the wisdom of the bill and point out the danger of conflict over the choice of symbols, each wanting the

diamond and none the turnip. Another clerk suggests the sign of the tomahawk for belligerent candidates and the symbol of the lamb for mild ones. The county clerk's association says the bill will bear watching even if a watch symbol is not provided.

This bill must have been considered a joke as both houses passed it without a dissenting vote or symbol. As a bill it is a joke, but as a law it would be confusing. The law now provides an easy and adequate manner of court procedure for changing names so as to avoid confusion.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

Senate Bill No. 632—An act defining and regulating the business of dry-cleaning and dyeing, standardizing the business of, and providing for the maintenance, construction and inspection of dry-cleaning and dyeing buildings and establishments, providing ways and means for enforcing this act and fixing penalties for the violation thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended April 7, 1925, after the word "used" insert the following: "For purposes of this act a "dry cleaning room or structure" is defined as being any enclosure, whether the same be separate or a part of another building, wherein the process of "dry cleaning" and "dyeing" as above defined is carried on, and any such enclosure wherein said process is carried on shall be deemed a "dry cleaning room or structure", and all specifications of construction and equipment hereinafter set forth shall apply only to a "dry cleaning room or rooms" as herein defined."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 9, of the printed bill as amended April 7, 1925, after the word "openings" insert the following: "to and from the dry-cleaning room".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 8 of the printed bill as amended April 7, 1925, strike out all of lines 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 8, line 32 of the printed bill as amended April 7, 1925, strike out the figures "36" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "37".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 450—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, maintenance and use of entrances and exits in certain buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated towns, incorporated cities and incorporated cities and counties, to provide for its enforcement and to provide penalties for the violation thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 450?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "entrances and exits from", and insert in lieu thereof "main entrance to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "such", strike out the words "entrances and exits", and insert in lieu thereof "main entrance".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, following the period after the word "institutions" insert "The words "main entrance," as herein used, shall be deemed to mean the main entrance or entrances, usually used by patients in entering or leaving such hospital".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 450 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 216?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 216 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Jost, Davis and Scudder as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 216.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE.

Mr. Schmidt moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 352—An act to amend section 1734*b* of the Political Code by omitting therefrom the words "not later than August 31, 1921."

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 352 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor;

Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—None

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Adams moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the second, third and fourth lines of the title of the amended bill and insert in lieu thereof the following "four *b* of the Political Code, relating to the annexation of elementary school districts to high school districts"

Amendment adopted.

Title read as amended, and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 286—An act authorizing the State Board of Control to grant to or consent to the condemnation by the city of Oakland of a right of way for a public street and highway over and across the lands of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 286 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 278—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 278 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Saylor, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—Deuel, and Runner—2

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 481—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for

work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended, by adding a new section to be numbered 38, relating to the making of reassessments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 481 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At two o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., Hon. Homer R Spence, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 360—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way, and to construct and maintain a highway, which is hereby declared to constitute and be a State highway, extending from Needles or from a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission upon the route of the State highway extending from San Bernardino to Needles in the county of San Bernardino to a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Arizona opposite the town of Topock, Arizona, or at such other point thereon as may be selected by said California Highway Commission.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 360 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T M—48.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 24—An act to amend section 421 of the Civil Code, relating to investments of insurance companies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 24 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—54

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING

Senate Bill No. 414—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 453*hh*, defining and regulating the business of land value insurance, declaring the conditions on which land value insurance may be done and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 414 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 415—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 506*b*, relative to embezzlement by insurance agents and brokers.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 415 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—42.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At two o'clock and forty-two minutes p. m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 816—An act authorizing and empowering any city and county, or county, or city operating under freeholders' charter or otherwise, or any town, or any municipal corporation, in the State of

California to donate and grant to the regents of the University of California, as a public trust for the State of California, any real property owned by it, or which it may hereafter acquire, within or without its corporate limits, for a site upon which the regents of the University of California may erect university buildings or maintain grounds in connection therewith; and also authorizing and empowering any of the same to use such part of its funds as deemed necessary toward the acquisition of such a site, also authorizing the incurring of indebtedness for any of the purposes aforesaid, and validating, legalizing and ratifying any bonded indebtedness which may be incurred in furtherance of any such purpose, and all of the proceedings leading up to the issuance and the proposed issuance of bonds for any such purpose.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 816 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 364—An act to repeal chapter I and articles I to VI, inclusive, of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter I of title X of part IV, division III, in place thereof, and to declare title XI of part III of the Code of Civil Procedure in certain respects limited by said new chapter I, and to amend article VII of chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, by making said article VII, chapter II of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, all relating to partnerships; and to make the partnership law of the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 364 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 370—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 370 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 507—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District Act,' creating a consolidated irrigation, protection and reclamation district, subject to the approval of the owners of property within the district, to be known as 'Palo Verde Irrigation District,' for the purpose of taking over the water rights and water system of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company, a corporation, and of the stockholders thereof; the levees, properties and functions of the Palo Verde Joint Levee District of Riverside and Imperial counties, California; the properties and functions of the Palo Verde Drainage District; and for the acquiring of such other properties, the construction of such other improvements and the doing of such other things as may be necessary for providing a unified and comprehensive method of supplying the irrigable low lands of Palo Verde Valley comprised within the district with water for irrigation and domestic uses, reclaiming the swamp lands, destruction of mosquito pests, and protecting all the lands within the district, and the water system, from flood waters of the Colorado River, and for maintaining, improving, expanding and operating and governing the entire irrigation, protection and reclamation systems through a single district organization, providing also for the assumption, funding and payment of the bond and other obligations of said Palo Verde Mutual Water Company and said levee and drainage districts, and for the issuance of bonds for all of the aforesaid purposes; and providing for the payment, funding and refunding of all such indebtedness; providing also for an election to determine whether this district shall be organized, and for the organization, management and control of the district through a board of trustees if the proposed district is organized; defining the powers and duties of the board, authorizing the district to sue and be sued, providing for the levy and collection of assessments to finance the acquisition of the properties, to carry on the construction work, maintenance and operation of the same, and for the payment of bonds and the expense of maintaining the district created hereby, providing also a means for dissolving said district," approved June 21, 1923, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 15*a*, whereby the "Palo Verde Irrigation District" authorized to be created by the act above mentioned, shall be empowered to authorize and issue bonds of the district for redemption of bonds of the Palo Verde Joint Levee District of Riverside and Imperial counties, California, and of the Palo Verde Drainage District and of the Palo Verde Mutual Water Company; to exchange bonds of the district for such bonds or to make use of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the district for the redemption of all such bonds, and to assess all of the lands and improvements

within the Palo Verde Irrigation District uniformly for the payment of principal and interest of all such redemption or refunding bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 507 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seefield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 5—An act to provide for the cooperation with the United States government in establishing and operating a forest experiment station in the State of California and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 5 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 817—An act to validate certain bonds of certain irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 817 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

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Senate Bill No. 133—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the street facing the grounds of the State Hospital at Stockton.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 133 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 775—An act appropriating money for the purchase of additional land for the State Teachers College at Santa Barbara.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 775 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 805—An act to appropriate money to pay the expenses of certain sewer improvements of benefit to the southern branch of the University of California, situated in the county of Los Angeles

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 805 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 346—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 346 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 311—An act to amend section 649 of the Civil Code and to add certain new sections to be known as sections 649*a*, 651*a*, 651*b*, 651*c* and 651*d*, relating to the incorporation of colleges and seminaries of learning.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 311 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hawes Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 596—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of hunting and fishing licenses to hunt, take, pursue, or kill, wild birds or mammals, or to take, catch, or kill, game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration; defining game fishes; providing a method for the issuance of such licenses; defining resident and nonresident licenses; prohibiting the sale or issuance of any such license to any alien, providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill as amended, strike out the word "such" at the beginning of the line and insert in lieu thereof the word "hunting".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill as amended, after the word "person" insert the words "over the age of eighteen years".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of said line beginning with the word "at" and insert in lieu thereof the words "under such limitations and restrictions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the words "allowed or permitted" and insert in lieu thereof the words "imposed or provided".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of said line beginning with the word "at" and insert in lieu thereof the words "under such limitations and restrictions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the words "allowed or permitted" and insert in lieu thereof the words "imposed or provided".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the words "December 31" and insert in lieu thereof the words "June 30".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4, line 50, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the word "only" and strike out the word "December" at the end of the line, and insert in lieu thereof the word "June".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 4, line 51, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the numerals "31, 1925" and insert in lieu thereof the numerals "30, 1926".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was refeired Senate Bill No. 596, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Senate Bill No. 157—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making

an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the salary of the sealer of weights and measures in counties of the fifth class.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr Walters waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 157 was passed.

Senate Bill No 157 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California relating to the giving or lending of public credit.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 read.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Heisinger—1.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 24.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California relating to the giving or lending of public credit

The Legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of the Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California to read as follows

SEC 31. The Legislature shall have no power to give or to lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State, or of any county, city and county, city, township, or other political corporation or subdivision of the State now existing, or that may be hereafter established, in aid of or to any person, association, or corporation, whether municipal or otherwise, or to pledge the credit thereof, in any manner whatever, for the payment of the liabilities of any individual, association, municipal or other corporation whatever, nor shall it have power to make any gift or authorize the making of any gift, of any public money or thing of value to any individual, municipal or other corporation whatever; *provided*, that nothing in this section shall prevent the Legislature granting aid pursuant to section 22 of this article, and it shall not have power to authorize the State or any political subdivision thereof, to subscribe for stock or to become a stockholder in any corporation whatever; *provided, further* that irrigation districts for the purpose of acquiring the control of any entire international water system necessary for its use and purposes, a part of which is situated in the United States, and a part thereof in a foreign country, may in the manner authorized by law, acquire the stock of any foreign corporation which is the owner of, or which holds the title to the part of such system situated in a foreign country; *provided further*, that irrigation districts for the purpose of acquiring water and water rights and other property necessary for their uses and purposes, may acquire and hold the stock of corporations, domestic or foreign, owning waters, water rights, canals, waterworks, franchises or concessions subject to the same obligations and liabilities as are imposed by law upon all other stockholders in such corporations; and

Provided, further, that nothing contained in this constitution shall prohibit the use of State money or credit, in aiding veterans who served in the military or naval service of the United States during time of war, in the acquisition of, or payments

for, farms or homes, or in projects of land settlement or in the development of such farms or homes or land settlement projects for the benefit of such veterans

The California Veterans' Welfare Bond Act of 1921 (Statutes of 1921, chapter 578), as enacted at the forty-fourth session of the Legislature of the State of California, authorizing the issuance and sale of State bonds in the sum of $10,000,000, for the purpose of creating a fund to carry out the provisions of the California Veterans' Welfare Act, providing land settlement for veterans (Statutes of 1921, chapter 580), and the provisions of the "Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act," providing farm and home aid for veterans (Statutes of 1921, chapter 519) is hereby approved, adopted, legalized, validated and made fully and completely effective irrespective of the vote that may be cast upon the proposition of approving or disapproving such Veterans' Welfare Bond Act of 1921 at the general election of November 7, 1922. All provisions of this section shall be self-executing and shall not require any legislative action in furtherance thereof, but this shall not prevent such legislative action.

And provided, still further, that notwithstanding the restrictions contained in this constitution the treasurer of any city, county, or city and county shall have power and it shall be his duty to make such temporary transfers from the funds in his custody as may be necessary to provide funds for meeting the obligations incurred for maintenance purposes by any city, county, city and county, district, or other political subdivision whose funds are in his custody and are paid out solely through his office. Such temporary transfer of funds to any political subdivision shall be made only upon resolution adopted by the governing body of the city, county, or city and county directing the treasurer of such city, county, or city and county to make such temporary transfer. Such temporary transfer of funds to any political subdivision shall not exceed eighty-five per cent of the taxes accruing to such political subdivision, shall not be made prior to the first day of the fiscal year nor after the last Monday in April of the current fiscal year, and shall be replaced from the taxes accruing to such political subdivision before any other obligation of such political subdivision is met from such taxes.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 32—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California, an amendment to the constitution of the State of California, by adding a new section to article XIII thereof, to be designated as section 1*b*, relating to revenue and taxation.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 32 read.

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 32.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Little moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, three o'clock and forty-eight minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Elsward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senate Bill No. 123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3650½, relating to assessments.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 123 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50

NOES—Burns, Eksward, and Hawes—3

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING

Senate Bill No. 342—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 13*a*.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 342 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright T M., and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 659—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1731*a*, relating to the formation of a consolidated school district and for the government of the elementary and secondary schools therein by a Board of Education.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 659 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes,

Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 17—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 421*a*, providing that officers, directors, trustees, agents or attorneys for insurance companies shall not receive benefits from loans or investments made by such companies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 17 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 20—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 633*c*, defining insurance adjusters and providing for licensing, supervising and regulating them and for the suspension and revocation of their licenses by the Insurance Commissioner.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 20 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 30—An act to repeal section 622*a* of the Political Code, relating to the taxation of insurance companies operating in this State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 30 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller,

Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 638—An act to amend sections 1612*a*, 1756 and 1839 of the Political Code, relating to school taxation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 638 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 145—An act to amend section 1431 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to change of place of trial in justice's courts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 145 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Smith, Walters, and Wright, T. M.—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At four o'clock and forty-four minutes p. m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Little.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 32 adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekseward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—61

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Campbell, Dayton, Deuel, Johnson, Nielsen, Scudder, West, and Wright, T. M.—10

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 32 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 32.

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California, an amendment to the constitution of the State of California, by adding a new section to article XIII thereof, to be designated as section 1*b*, relating to revenue and taxation.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to amend the constitution of the State of California by adding a new section to article XIII thereof, to be designated as section 1*b*, and to read as follows:

Sec. 1*b*. All property used or held exclusively for the burial or other permanent deposit of the human dead or for the care, maintenance or upkeep of such property or such dead, except as used or held for profit, shall be free from taxation and local assessment.

Senate Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 96, 98, 100, 102, 114, 130, 138, 145, 153, 154, 155 and 159, relating to the use, operation and equipment of vehicles, the registration of vehicles and the fees to be paid therefor, notices to be given upon exporting or dismantling motor vehicles and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provisions of the act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Spence moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the title of the printed bill as amended in the Assembly April 15, 1925, on page 2, line 2, of said title, after the words "one hundred fourteen", insert the words "one hundred thirty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 15, after line 34, of the printed bill as amended in the Assembly April 15, 1925, add a new paragraph as follows

SEC 15*a* Section one hundred thirty of said act is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec 130 Signals on turning (*a*) The driver of any vehicle upon a public highway before starting, turning or stopping such vehicle shall first see that such movement can be made in safety, and if it can not be made in safety, shall wait until it can be made in safety; then, if the operation of any other vehicle may reasonably be affected by such movement, the driver shall give a signal plainly visible to the driver of such other vehicle of the intention to make such movement. Such signal may be given either by the use of the hand and arm in the manner hereinafter provided, or by means of a mechanical or electric device which meets the requirements hereinafter set forth and which has been approved by the division of motor vehicles as hereinafter provided

Whenever the signal is given by means of the hand and arm, the driver shall indicate his intention to turn to the left by extending his hand and arm horizontally from and beyond the left side of the vehicle, his intention to turn to the right by extending his hand and arm upward and beyond the left side of the vehicle, and his intention to stop or to suddenly decrease speed by extending his hand and arm downward from and beyond the left side of the vehicle.

The signal herein required to be given before turning to the right or left, whether given by means of the hand and arm or by means of an approved mechanical or electric device, shall be given continuously during the last fifty feet traveled by the vehicle before turning.

(*b*) Any person may submit a mechanical or electrical signal device to the division for its inspection and approval The division shall charge and collect a fee of fifty dollars for examining any such signal device which is manufactured for sale. All such fees shall be paid by the division into the state treasury and deposited in a fund to be known as the signal device testing fee fund, and the moneys in such fund, or so much of them as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated to meet the expenses of the test provided for in this section, and the balance thereof, if any, shall be paid into the motor vehicle fund No fee shall be charged for examining a device not manufactured for sale

The division shall not approve any stop signal device unless such signal when used upon a vehicle shall give a stop signal plainly visible during the times specified in section ninety-nine of this act, for a distance of at least one hundred feet to the rear of such vehicle nor any device intended to give a signal that the vehicle upon which it is used is about to turn, unless such device, when used upon a vehicle, clearly indicates the direction in which such vehicle is to be turned, which signal shall be plainly visible at least one hundred feet to the rear of the vehicle upon which the same is used.

Whenever the division shall approve a signal device as meeting the requirements hereinabove set forth, it shall give to the applicant a certificate of approval.

(*c*) Any vehicle which is so constructed or carries a load in such manner as to prevent the hand and arm signal specified in subdivision (*a*) of this section from being visible both to the front and rear of such vehicle shall be equipped with an approved mechanical or electrical signal device which shall fulfill the requirements of this section with reference thereto

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Spence as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No 600, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SPENCE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No 15—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article VI a new section to be num-

bered 1*a*, and by amending sections 6, 7 and 8 of said article, relative to the Judicial Department, by providing for a Judicial Council.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 15 read.

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 15.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 15 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 15 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 15

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article VI a new section to be numbered 1*a*, and by amending sections 6, 7 and 8 of said article, relative to the Judicial Department, by providing for a Judicial Council

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-sixth regular session, commencing on the fifth day of January 1925, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the houses thereof voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California to amend the constitution of this State by adding to article VI a new section to be numbered 1*a*, and by amending sections 6, 7 and 8 of said article, to read as follows

Sec. 1*a*. There shall be a Judicial Council It shall consist of the Chief Justice or acting Chief Justice, and of one associate justice of the Supreme Court, three justices of district courts of appeal, four judges of superior courts, one judge of a police or municipal court, and one judge of an inferior court, assigned by the Chief Justice to sit thereon for terms of two years; *provided*, that if any judge so assigned shall cease to be a judge of the court from which he is assigned, his term shall forthwith terminate The Chief Justice or acting Chief Justice shall be chairman. No act of the council shall be valid unless concurred in by six members

The Judicial Council shall from time to time:

(1) Meet at the call of the chairman or as otherwise provided by it

(2) Survey the condition of business in the several courts with a view to simplifying and improving the administration of justice.

(3) Submit such suggestions to the several courts as may seem in the interest of uniformity and the expedition of business

(4) Report to the Governor and Legislature at the commencement of each regular session with such recommendations as it may deem proper.

(5) Adopt or amend rules of practice and procedure for the several courts not inconsistent with laws that are now or that may hereafter be in force; and the council shall submit to the Legislature, at each regular session thereof, its recommendations with reference to amendments of, or changes in, existing laws relating to practice and procedure

(6) Exercise such other functions as may be provided by law.

The chairman shall seek to expedite judicial business and to equalize the work of the judges, and shall provide for the assignment of any judge to another court of a like or higher jurisdiction to assist a court or judge whose calendar is congested, to act for a judge who is disqualified or unable to act, or to sit and hold court where a vacancy in the office of judge has occurred

The Clerk of the Supreme Court shall act as secretary of the council

The several judges shall cooperate with the council shall sit and hold court as assigned, and shall report to the chairman at such times and in such manner as he shall request respecting the condition, and manner of disposal, of judicial business in their respective courts

No member of the council shall receive any compensation for his services as such, but shall be allowed his necessary expenses for travel, board and lodging incurred in the performance of his duties as such Any judge assigned to a court wherein a judge's compensation is greater than his own shall receive while sitting therein the

compensation of a judge thereof. The extra compensation shall be paid in such manner as may be provided by law. Any judge assigned to a court in a county other than that in which he regularly sits shall be allowed his necessary expenses for travel, board and lodging incurred in the discharge of the assignment.

Sec. 6. There shall be in each of the organized counties, or cities and counties, of the State a superior court, for each of which at least one judge shall be elected by the qualified electors of the county, or city and county, at the general State election. There may be as many sessions of a superior court, at the same time, as there are judges elected, appointed or assigned thereto. The judgments, orders, and proceedings of any session of a superior court, held by any one or more of the judges sitting therein, shall be equally effectual as though all the judges of said court presided at such session.

Sec. 7. The judges of each superior court in which there are more than two judges sitting, shall choose, from their own number, a presiding judge, who may be removed as such at their pleasure. Subject to the regulations of the judicial council, he shall distribute the business of the court among the judges, and prescribe the order of business.

Sec. 8. The term of office of judges of the superior courts shall be six years from and after the first Monday of January after the first day of January next succeeding their election. A vacancy in such office shall be filled at the next succeeding general state election after the first day of April next succeeding the accrual of such vacancy by the election of a judge for a full term to commence on the first Monday of January after the first day of January next succeeding his election. The Governor shall appoint a person to hold such vacant office until the commencement of such term.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto, creating a Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee; defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans' Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof, providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures; appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1011?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 48, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1925, after the semicolon in said line 48, insert the following: "*provided*, that the state veterans' welfare board must pay over to the general fund of the state from the proceeds of the sale of the bonds all money which has been appropriated subsequent to December 31, 1924, or which may be hereafter appropriated and advanced out of the state treasury for the use of the said veterans' welfare board on condition that it shall be so paid over."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 16, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 1, 1925, after the period in said line 16, insert the following: "Interest accruing upon the deposit of money appropriated for the use of the veterans' welfare board or of any of the funds subject to the control of said board shall be paid into and credited to the respective appropriation or fund to which the money so deposited belongs."

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1011 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton,

Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 216 the following Senators: West, Swing and Powers, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section number 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators West, Swing and Powers, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

JOST.
DAVIS.
SCUDDER.
Assembly Committee on Conference.

Report adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Spence, Smith and Dillinger as a Committee on Free Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 216.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Senate Bill No. 216 the following Senators Hurley, Christian, and Lewis, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 18, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 28—Relating to the appointment of commissioners to negotiate with like commissioners from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of lower basin states in and to the waters of the lower basin of the Colorado River system—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

(Signed out)
BERNARD, Vice Chairman.
BROWNE.
SAYLOR.
BADHAM.
WRIGHT, T. M.
MITCHELL.

The above reported joint resolution ordered on file for adoption.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Joint Resolution No. 28—Relating to the appointment of commissioners to negotiate with like commissioners from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights

of lower basin states in and to the waters of the lower basin of the Colorado River System.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of Senate Joint Resolution No. 28, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the word "commissioners and insert the words "a legislative committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "like", strike out the word "commissioners", and insert the word "committee"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "states", and the words "so as to be effective in said states".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the word "necessary", and insert the word "desirable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the words "in and to the", insert the words "use of."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the "semicolon" following the word "defined", strike out the word "and", and all of lines 24, 25, and 26, to and including the semicolon after the word "rights".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 2, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one member", and insert the words "two members".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one member", and insert the words "and two members".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, after the word "assembly", strike out the comma and the words "and one member to be appointed by the governor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 2, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "basin", strike out the word "commission", and insert the words "legislative committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "which", strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "commissions", strike out the comma and the words "of like number", and insert "or committees".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 2, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commissioners", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "they", and insert the word "it".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 2 line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "are", and insert the word "is".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 2, line 30, of the printed bill, after the word "use", strike out the comma and the words "benefit and disposition of that portion"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 2, lines 31 and 32, after the word "system", strike out the words "allocated, by the aforesaid compact to said lower basin", and insert "and shall report at the next session of the legislature its findings, the agreement in respect to the use of such waters, together with its recommendations in regard thereto".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 2, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 2, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven", and insert the word "twelve"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT

On page 2, line 44, of the printed bill, after the word "dollars", strike out the following "($750)".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commis-" at the end of the line, and the word "sioners" at the beginning of line 48, and insert the word "committeemen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission", and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 3, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "com" at the end of said line, and the word "missioners" at the beginning of line 5, and insert the word "committee".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "governors", insert the words "and to the secretaries of state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commissioners", and insert "representatives"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 3, line 10 of the printed bill, strike out the "semicolon" after the word "meeting", and the words "provided, how-", and all of lines 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, and insert a "period"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, add a new paragraph "The state engineer is hereby requested to advise said committee and furnish it with such engineering information and data regarding matters herein mentioned as is within his knowledge or possession".

Amendments adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution, introduced by Mr. Murray.

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $253.80 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

Wood Curtis Company	$8 25
Pioneer Baking Company	8 00
Tacoma Brewing Company	7 50
Capital Dairy Company	3 60
Capitol Grill	100 00
H. S. Crocker Company	5 95
Virginia Crossan	6 50
Cascade Towel Supply Company	114 00
	$253 80

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
LEVEY.
NOYES.
MILLER, J. A.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution, introduced by Mr. Murray:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant from the contingent expenses fund in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same in the sum of fifty dollars ($50), said amount being for the payment of postage, telegraphing, expressage and incidental expense of the Chief Clerk's office.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.
NOYES.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 272—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 401, relating to the return of files of cases relating to real property and which have been transferred for trial, to the court in which the action was begun.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "had" insert the following: "if said action shall have been originally commenced in a county where said real property or some part thereof is located,".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 272, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

SEWELL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 693—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the commissioner, or for failing

to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Williamson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 29, of the amended printed bill, strike out the quotation mark before the word "agency", and insert a quotation mark before the word "theatrical" so as to make the term referred to read as follows: "theatrical employment agency".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Williamson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 693, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WILLIAMSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding section 2¼ to article II of said constitution, relating to election to nonpartisan office at a primary election.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20 read.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed constitutional amendment, between the word "on" and the word "majority", insert the word "a".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20 ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts

and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Duval moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 11, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or his duly authorized agents".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Duval as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 422, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DUVAL, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 361—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25, and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Rosenshine moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 44, of the printed bill, insert "(The candidate may here insert, at his option, in not over fifty words, a statement of what he considers to be his special fitness, training or experience in the line of work which he will be called upon to perform in case of his election.)"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Rosenshine as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No 361, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ROSENSHINE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

GENTLEMEN: This is to advise you that I have signed the following bills Assembly Bills Nos 3, 7, 21, 465 and 601.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No 120 is returned herewith without my approval.

This bill amends section 1131 of the Political Code by requiring all polling places for elections to be on the ground floor There is no demand for this change in the election law and the county clerk's association opposes the bill. Boards of supervisors can be depended upon to pick out proper polling places. A similar bill was returned without approval two years ago. See page 2278, Journal of the Assembly, forty-fifth session 1923

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 683 is returned herewith without my approval This bill amends section 1357 of the Political Code and the method of procuring of ballots by absent voters The bill changes the word "will" to "expects" so that a voter on the statement that he "expects" to be absent could obtain a ballot, while now he must state that he "will" be absent

The amendment also eliminates the provision that the county clerk shall not be required to mail a ballot to any address within the city or county in which the officer is situated

The original section was enacted at the 1923 session of the Legislature as an enabling act to carry out the provisions of the constitutional amendment relating to absent voters. It is doubtful whether this bill is constitutional Article II, section 1, of the constitution provides "That the Legislature may, by general law, provide for the casting of votes by duly registered voters, who, by reason of their occupation, are regularly required to travel about the State, and who, by such affidavit as the Legislature may prescribe, show that they will be absent from their respective precincts of the date * * * election is held" It is to be observed that the constitution limits such balloting to those who will be absent and not to those who expect to be absent.

This bill would undoubtedly permit loose practice and cause unnecessary expense and labor to county clerks A number of county clerks have written in protest of this bill, and especially in regard to the second amendment. The clerk of one of the largest counties says that if voters were allowed to vote wherever they happened to be in the county it would make the work of his office burdensome and that official now has a very difficult time keeping up with the great registration The clerk of another large county says that this amendment would not help anybody but make it easier to secure a ballot, and that it is too easy now to secure these ballots The general concensus of county clerks is that the present act has not accomplished its purpose and that more than fifty per cent of the limited number who avail themselves of the privilege of voting in this manner had no right to vote at all because their business did not require them to travel about the State.

This bill appears to me to be a dangerous amendment, tending to invite fraud, and adding complications and difficulties to the work of the county clerks of the State, besides being unconstitutional.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Messrs. West, Bernard and Nielsen:

WHEREAS, There occurred on April 20, 1925, in the city of Los Angeles, the death of Marshall Diggs, President of the California State Life Insurance Company, and a former member of the California Legislature, and

WHEREAS, In the death of Senator Diggs, the State of California has lost one of its most honored citizens and the county of Sacramento has suffered an irreparable loss, therefore be it

Resolved, That when the Assembly adjourn today that it do so out of respect to the memory of the late Senator Diggs, and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby directed, to forward a copy of this resolution to the family of the late Senator Marshall Diggs

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and read:

ON UNIVERSITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 480—An act authorizing the regents of the University of California to convey certain land in the city of Los Angeles to the city of Los Angeles for the purpose of widening Vermont avenue;

Also, Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for an acceptance by the State of California of the provisions of an act passed by the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to authorize a more complete endowment of agricultural experiment stations and for other purposes, approved February 24, 1925," and to authorize the regents of the University of California to receive grants of money thereunder for the benefit of the University of California Agricultural Experiment Station;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

(Signed out)

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.
MILLER, ELEANOR.
CARTER.
ROLAND.
DAVIS.
MUELLER.
CAMPBELL.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No 486—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor, providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant, providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 828—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment

and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor,' approved March 18, 1899, as amended,'' approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*a* and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State; providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At five o'clock and fifty-seven minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Tuesday, April 21, 1925, out of respect to the late Marshall Diggs, former member of the Legislature.

IN ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Tuesday, April 21, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Smith, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING

GUEST ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Woodbridge, Hon. William David, member of Nevada Assembly from Washoe County, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 1240 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to property which may be taken for public use in eminent domain proceedings.

Also: Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 129 of the Civil Code, relating to the domicile and place of residence of the parties in an action for divorce;

Also: Senate Bill No. 392—An act to amend section 1618 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the compensation of executors and administrators;

Also: Senate Bill No. 572—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators;

Also: Senate Bill No. 365—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states;

Also: Senate Bill No. 711—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to the forfeiture of the undertaking of bail, or the money deposited instead of bail, and the discharge of forfeiture thereof;

Also: Senate Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 243 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exclusion of witnesses;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 798—An act to amend section 176 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges of jurors in criminal cases;

Also: Senate Bill No. 516—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to increase the allowance for burial expenses when the injury results in death, from $100 to $150, and to make the allowance for burial expenses in addition to the death benefit for both total and partial dependency;

Also: Senate Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 24 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to secure to claimants for benefits under said act preference over other debts of the employer or his estate or of the insurance carrier;

Also: Senate Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 1241 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to proceedings in eminent domain;

Also: Senate Bill No. 288—An act to amend section 1243 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to proceedings in eminent domain;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 367—An act creating a commission for the reform of criminal procedure and appropriating funds therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

WELLER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Assembly Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to pro-

pose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into senatorial and assembly districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted, and be re-referred to Committee on Reapportionment.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 23—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V thereof, relating to the compensation of executive officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 480—An act authorizing the regents of the University of California to convey certain land in the city of Los Angeles to the city of Los Angeles for the purpose of widening Vermont avenue

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for an acceptance by the State of California of the provisions of an act passed by the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to authorize a more complete endowment of agricultural experiment stations and for other purposes, approved February 24, 1925," and to authorize the regents of the University of California to receive grants of money thereunder for the benefit of the University of California Agricultural Experiment Station.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 1240 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to property which may be taken for public use in eminent domain proceedings.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 129 of the Civil Code, relating to the domicile and place of residence of the parties in an action for divorce.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 392—An act to amend section 1618 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the compensation of executors and administrators.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 572—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 365—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships,

and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 711—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to the forfeiture of the undertaking of bail, or the money deposited instead of bail, and the discharge of forfeiture thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 243 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exclusion of witnesses.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 798—An act to amend section 176 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges of jurors in criminal cases

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 516—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to increase the allowance for burial expenses when the injury results in death, from $100 to $150 and to make the allowance for burial expenses in addition to the death benefit for both total and partial dependency.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 24 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to secure to claimants for benefits under said act preference over other debts of the employer or his estate or of the insurance carrier

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No 48—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 287—An act to amend section 1241 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to proceedings in eminent domain.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 288—An act to amend section 1243 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to proceedings in eminent domain.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 636—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to apportionment of school funds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Campbell moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and fifteen minutes a m

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Badham, Brock, Campbell, Easley, Foster, Fry, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—24.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULE

Mr Schmidt moved that Rule 71 be suspended for the remainder of the day.

Motion lost.

SPECIAL ORDER SET

On motion of Mr. Weller, the consideration of Senate Constitutional Amendment No 9 and Senate Bill No 326 were made a special order for Wednesday, April 22, 1925, at ten o'clock and thirty minutes a m

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Approving certain amendments to charter of the city of San Bernardino, a municipal corporation in the county of San Bernardino, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein, on the thirteenth day of April, 1925.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes Olivа Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 26 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No 26

Approving certain amendments to charter of the city of San Bernardino, a municipal corporation in the county of San Bernardino, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city at the general municipal election, held therein, on the thirteenth day of April, 1925.

Senate Bill No. 290—An act to amend sections 2 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State

Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision, and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to definitions of real estate salesmen and brokers and penalties for violations of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 290 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Davis, Dayton, Easley, Finney, Fry, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 819—An act to amend section 1971/4 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the fourteenth class.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 819 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 508—An act to amend section 598 of the Civil Code, relating to property of religious corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 508 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Mitchell, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 437—An act to authorize the State Highway Commission to cooperate with the federal bureau of public roads in numbering and marking the road of interstate character.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 437 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At nine o'clock and fifty-five minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Campbell.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 636 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER

The hour of ten o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED NINETY-NINE.

Senate Bill No. 599—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters

embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees; fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of act in conflict with this act," by amending sections numbered 58, 59, 61, 63, 64 and 73 thereof, relating to operators and chauffeurs licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 599 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—51

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 209—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1197c, relating to a means of distinguishing between similar names on the ballot.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called.

Pending the announcement of the vote Mr. Schmidt moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Schmidt, Jacobson, Fry, Reindollar and Runner, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Schmidt for a call of the house.

The roll was called, and the motion for a call of the house carried by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Davis, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—32.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Campbell, Coombs, Dayton, Dodge, Hartranft, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—17

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Time, ten o'clock and thirty-five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rob-

erts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senate Joint Resolution No 28—Relating to the appointment of commissioners to negotiate with like commissioners from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of lower basin states in and to the waters of the lower basin of the Colorado River system.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called and Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 finally adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—46

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 28.

Relating to the appointment of a legislative committee to negotiate with like committee from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of lower basin states in and to the waters of the lower basin of the Colorado River system.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to an act of Congress and acts of the various states hereinafter mentioned, representatives of the United States of America and of the states of Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming, met at Santa Fe, New Mexico, and did on the twenty-fourth day of November, 1922, enter into and execute a compact, known as the Colorado River Compact, which compact was subject to ratification as therein provided, and

WHEREAS, Said compact has been formally ratified by six of said states, and

WHEREAS, For the purpose of said compact and the allocation of the waters of the Colorado River system therein described, the aforesaid states were grouped into what is therein defined as the upper basin and the lower basin, which lower basin comprises the states of Arizona, California and Nevada; and

WHEREAS, In and by said compact there was allocated to said lower basin certain portions of the waters of said Colorado River system, and

WHEREAS, It is desirable to have the respective rights of the states in said lower basin, in and to the use of said waters of said Colorado River system, so allocated to said lower basin, determined, fixed and defined, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a legislative committee consisting of two members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, two members of the Assembly to be appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly which committee shall be known as the Lower Basin Legislative Committee and which committee shall have authority, and it shall be its duty to confer and negotiate with duly authorized commissions or committees, representing the state of Arizona and the state of Nevada, or either, or with any committee of the Congress of the United States, respecting the respective claims and rights of the said states of said lower basin, in and to the waters of said Colorado River system, and said committee is hereby authorized to make any and all investigations which may be or become necessary in order to sufficiently advise the members of said committee with reference to said matters and of the rights of the State of California and its citizens in and to the use and benefit of the waters of said Colorado River system, and to that end the members of said committee shall have authority to administer oaths, examine and require the attendance of witnesses and perform such other duties as may be necessary to sufficiently apprise the members of such committee of the necessary facts and furnish them with information adequate to enable them to properly perform their duties.

Be it further resolved, That said committee be and it is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, in behalf of the State of California, with the said states of Arizona and Nevada, or with either of them, fixing and determining the rights of said lower basin states, or either or any of them, in and to the use of the waters of the Colorado river system and shall report at the next session of the Legislature its findings, the agreement in respect to the use of such waters, together with its recommendations in regard thereto; *provided, however*, that any agreement entered into by said committee shall not be binding or obligatory upon any of the contracting parties or the states they represent, unless and until such agreement shall have been ratified and approved by the legislatures of the states entering into such agreement and by the congress of the United States.

Be it further resolved, That the members of said committee shall serve without compensation, but each shall be allowed his traveling, hotel expenses and necessary incidental expenses, and said committee shall be authorized to employ such clerical assistance as shall be necessary. The sum of $1,250 is hereby set aside from the Contingent Fund of the Senate, and a like sum from the Contingent Fund of the Assembly, and made available for the purpose of defraying the expenses, if any, of such committee and committeemen, which expenses shall be paid equally from such contingent funds of the Senate and Assembly, and the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the members of said committee, for such expenditures as may be certified to him from time to time by said committee, and that the State treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

The Governor of the State of California shall certify copies of this resolution, and the names and credentials of the committee appointed hereunder to the governors and to the secretaries of state of Arizona and Nevada, and shall arrange with the representatives of said states for a joint meeting of the respective representatives of said states, or with such as wish to meet and negotiate regarding the matters herein mentioned, and shall arrange for a time and place of the holding of such meeting. The State Engineer is hereby requested to advise said committee and furnish it with such engineering information and data regarding matters herein mentioned as is within his knowledge or possession.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Senate Bill No. 705—An act to amend section 627 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 705 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—Croter, and Murphy—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Schmidt.

The roll of absentees was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Croter, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, West, Williamson, and Woodbridge—30

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Hartranft, Johnson, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—35.

Assembly Bill No. 120—An act to amend section 1131 of the Political Code, relating to the conduct of elections.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, and Broughton—3

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartrantt, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—54

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 100, 101, 102, 114, 131, 138, 145 153, 154, 155 and 159, relating to the use, operation and equipment of vehicles, the registration of vehicles and the fees to be paid therefor, notices to be given upon exporting or dismantling motor vehicles and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provisions of the act.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION

Messrs Badham, Murphy, Roland, Eksward and Jost demanded the previous question

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 600 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—69.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 272—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 401, relating to the return of files of cases relating to real property and which have been transferred for trial, to the court in which the action was begun.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 272 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 406—An act to prohibit the solicitation of the business of collecting personal injury or death claims arising within this State, with the intention of instituting suit thereon outside of this State, and to prohibit the promotion of prosecution of such suits, and to provide a penalty for a violation of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 406 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—Finney—1.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 796—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, via-

ducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Senate Bill No. 796 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto, creating a Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee; defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof, providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures; appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued, and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926—and appointed Senators Maloney, Nelson and Harris as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Cleveland, Jacobson and Levey as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1011.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under 18 years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under 21 years of age who can not accurately speak, read or write the English language;

to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and provide penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to certificates and permits to work issued to pupils in full-time day schools—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 348?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 348 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Mixter, Reindollar and Byrne as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 348.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p. m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 818—An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of Chula Vista, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 811—An act to amend an act approved April 30, 1919, to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco'"—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

SCOFIELD, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ON FISH AND GAME

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 559—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation,

propagation and protection—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

CLEVELAND, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No 146—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,' approved May 15, 1915," approved May 28 1917, as amended,

Also Senate Bill No 500—An act to amend section 628*b*, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Senate Bill No 502—An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended relating to fish and game district four "E",

Also Senate Bill No 557—An act to amend section 626*e* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Bill No 57—An act to provide for the reforestation, constructing and maintaining of fire lanes and fire trails on the Angeles National Forest, and to make an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

(Signed out)

NOYES, Chairman
MURRAY
MURPHY
MELVILLE
WOODBRIDGE
BROWNE

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No 654—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to nuisances so as to repeal certain portions thereof relating to nuisance—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

(Signed out)

SCOFIELD, Chairman
BADHAM,
WALTERS
HARTRANFT
MORRISON
OLIVA

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 541—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court,

Also Senate Bill No 727—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an

appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 760—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office by authorizing the appointment of one additional clerk and two additional stenographers in such office, and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of such additional clerks and stenographers during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years,

Also: Senate Bill No. 761—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by authorizing the appointment of two additional deputies in such office, and making appropriation to pay the salaries of such additional deputies during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years,

Also: Senate Bill No 788—An act appropriating money for the erection and construction of buildings and improvements at the San Jose State Teachers College,

Also: Senate Bill No 789—An act appropriating money for the purchase and improvement of land for the San Jose State Teachers College;

Also Senate Bill No 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pearl E Green, against the State of California;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 185—An act to create the State Park Commission; to define its powers and duties, to make an appropriation therefor and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund;

Also: Senate Bill No. 188—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of transferring bodies from the old to the new cemetery of the State Hospital at Stockton;

Also: Senate Bill No 232—An act to appropriate money to pay the expense of making the exchange of certain lands as provided by chapter 229, Statutes of California, 1923.

Also: Senate Bill No. 263—An act authorizing the Board of Control to reconvey certain real property to L B Collins,

Also Senate Bill No 270—An act to provide for the sale of the sovereign lands of the State of California, lying within the United States meander lines of Clear Lake, Lake County, that are susceptible of reclamation,

Also: Senate Bill No 298—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Farm Institute,

Also: Senate Bill No 304—An act to provide for the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State and making an appropriation therefor.

Also. Senate Bill No 308—An act making an appropriation for the Calaveras River flood control project of the city of Stockton, California,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.
Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 826—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, and making an appropriation for such work, and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Missis-

sippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917,

Also Senate Bill No 303—An act to amend section 445 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the Inheritance Tax Department,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 6—An act to appropriate $5000 to be used by the California Highway Commission for the purpose of making a survey for a road from the city of Hollister to Soledad,

Also Senate Bill No. 13—An act making an appropriation for the encouragement of county agricultural fairs and providing for the distribution of the moneys hereby appropriated;

Also Senate Bill No 15—An act to provide for the survey and construction of a State highway from Governor's Camp in the California Redwood Park, to the coast road at the point where said coast road crosses the divide between Waddell Creek and Scott Creek, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also Senate Bill No 49—An act appropriating money for painting and repairing the State Capitol building,

Also Senate Bill No 50—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer,

Also Senate Bill No 51—An act appropriating money for the purpose of remodeling and making repairs to certain buildings at Sutter's Fort,

Also Senate Bill No. 152—An act appropriating money to meet the deficiency in the appropriation of salaries of Senators and Assemblymen for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 125—An act making an appropriation for the erection and construction of a new grandstand at the State agricultural grounds at Sacramento, California,

Also Senate Bill No 484—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State buildings and State university buildings bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the completion and equipment of State buildings at Sacramento and the construction and equipment of a State building at Los Angeles, to create and provide for a fund for the construction and equipment of a building or buildings for the University of California at Berkeley and a building or buildings for the University of California at Los Angeles, authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Building Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $10,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective,

Also Senate Bill No 485—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission, and for their compensation and traveling expenses, providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof, to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 344—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608e, to authorize the governing boards of school districts to rent, purchase, or build, and furnish school buildings to house pupils or employees of the school districts

Also Senate Bill No 400—An act to amend section 412, and to repeal section 413 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of said appointees, not otherwise provided for during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eight fiscal years,

Also. Senate Bill No. 468—An act making an appropriation for research work as to citrus by-products by the University of California,

Also Senate Bill No. 608—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks, authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey, and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey,

Also· Senate Bill No 680—An act appropriating money for the purpose of placing a memorial tablet in "Memorial Grove" located in Capitol Park, in the city of Sacramento;

Also: Senate Bill No 743—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California and making an appropriation therefor; Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 536—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor,

Also Senate Bill No 432—An act to regulate the use of property and the operation of places of business surrounding public school buildings and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

HARTRANFT, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No 163—An act to amend section 345 of the Civil Code, relating to extension of time of delinquent stock sale and notice thereof,

Also Senate Bill No 405—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations affecting actions against directors or stockholders of corporations,

Also Senate Bill No 713—An act to amend section 361*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the transfer as a whole of the business franchise and property of corporations,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

(Signed out)

PIERCE, Chairman.
NOYES
SEWELL
McPHERSON
SMITH.
JACOBSON.
FRY.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER· Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 40—Relative to revenue and taxation—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R J, Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 39—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 4, authorizing the issuance and sale of $500 bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1000 each, authorizing the disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds for certain purposes, and approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and completely effective the California State buildings and State University buildings bonds act of 1925 as passed by the Senate and Assembly

at the forty-sixth session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it be adopted.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Relative to the work of the American Legion.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1277—An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 160—An act declaring the public highway extending from Fresno, in Fresno County, to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, and running through Mendota, Dos Palos, Newman and Crows Landing, to Tracy, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 219—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 290—An act declaring a certain highway between Mission San Jose and Dublin by way of Sunol in the county of Alameda, to be a State highway.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 482—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to funds of said society.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge, and from the south end of said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half miles south of the new bridge, and such highway continuing to Antioch, Pittsburg, Nichols, Bay Point, Concord, Walnut Creek and La Fayette, to the county line of Alameda county, to be a State highway.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 640—An act to amend section 29 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the labeling of market milk

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 69—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 70—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Griffith Company against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 71—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Whittier against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to appropriate $887.42 to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for setting back the curbs, constructing concrete curbs and gutters, paving and widening the area and providing drainage on those portions of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft Way fronting upon property of the University of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 114—An act authorizing certain improvements upon the grounds of the California schools for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley, California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 596—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 615—An act appropriating money for the restoration and rebuilding of Fort Ross, Sonoma County, California

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund; providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of such funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to teachers' retirement salaries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to add a new section to be numbered 52½ to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by public utilities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 426—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and

property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 521—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.' approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 52 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 614—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 1612*e*, relating to the education of children under control of the juvenile court,

Also Assembly Bill No. 822—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments

Also, Assembly Bill No. 825—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Assembly Bill No. 828—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills;

Also Assembly Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code relating to community property;

Also Assembly Bill No. 832—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 833—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship,

Also Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, relating to the course of study in elementary schools and the age of admission of children into the elementary schools and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1662*a*, relating to the registration of minors

Also Assembly Bill No. 1120—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to teachers, principals and supervisors

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1273—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921, by adding three new sections to be numbered 9, 10 and 11 respectively, relating to the acceptance of gifts, devises and bequests for the endowment and support of municipal hospitals, for the management and control of municipal hospitals, for the leasing and sale of municipal hospitals to nonprofit hospital associations. Repealing section 862*a* of an act entitled "An act

to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No 684—An act to amend section 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens.

Also Assembly Bill No 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward

Also Assembly Bill No 1261—An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts, providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor:

Also: Assembly Bill No 1286—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts and relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 1288—An act to amend section 1923 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the twenty-third class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 732—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious diseases, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposal of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Embalmers,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1189—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in Tulare County, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Tulare County to convey said road to the State of California:

Also Assembly Bill No. 1280—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein

Also Assembly Bill No 296—An act to amend "the California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44 and 47 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale,

Also: Assembly Bill No 655—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1271—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and

flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States.

Also Assembly Bill No. 274—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3779, relating to certain unclaimed tax sale moneys.

Also Assembly Bill No. 677—An act to amend section 637c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game.

Also Assembly Bill No. 622—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to service of writs, notices and other process in justices' courts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 784—An act to allow unincorporated cities, towns and districts to equip and maintain a fire department.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 818—An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of Chula Vista, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "conveying" and insert in lieu thereof "granting in trust".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

Beginning with line 1, on page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all to and including line 38 on page 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. There is hereby granted in trust to the city of Chula Vista, a municipal corporation of the State of California, and to its successors, all the right, title and interest of the State of California held by said State by virtue of its sovereignty, in all the tide and submerged lands in San Diego bay, lying and being between the line of mean high tide fronting on such city, and the pier head line in said bay as the same has been established by the federal government, and between the northern and southern boundary lines of the said city of Chula Vista.

SEC. 2. The said lands shall be used by said city and its successors only for the establishment, improvement, and conduct of a harbor, and for the construction, maintenance and operation thereon of wharfs, docks, piers, slips, quays and other utilities, structures and appliances necessary or convenient for the promotion and accommodation of commerce and navigation, and said city or its successors, shall not at any time grant, convey, give or lien said lands or any part thereof, to any individual, firm or corporation for any purposes whatever, *provided*, that said city or its successors may grant franchises thereon for wharfs and other public uses and purposes, and may lease said lands or any part thereof for a period of not exceeding fifty years for purposes consistent with the trusts upon which said lands were held by the State of California and with the requirements of commerce and navigation in said harbor, and upon such other terms and conditions as said city may determine, and may terminate the same on such terms and conditions as may be stipulated in the said lease or leases.

This grant shall carry the right to such city for the rents, issues and profits in any manner hereafter arising from the lands or wharfing-out privileges hereby granted.

SEC. 3. The State of California shall have at all times the right to the reasonable use without charge of all wharfs, docks, piers, slips, quays, and other improvements constructed on said lands or any part thereof, for any vessel or other water craft, owned or operated by the State of California.

SEC. 4. There is hereby reserved to the people of the State of California the right to fish in the waters on which said lands may front, with the right of convenient access to said waters over said lands for said purposes."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 811—An act to amend an act approved April 30, 1919, to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the water front of the city and county of San Francisco'."

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 559—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, following line 19, insert the following:

"SEC. 8. Any person legally killing a deer in this state may transport said deer into a closed district: *provided*, he shall, before transporting such deer, have the tag herein provided for countersigned by a regular salaried deputy fish and game commissioner or by some officer authorized to administer oaths, and if such officer has an official seal such tag shall, in addition, bear the imprint of such seal."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 146—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,' approved May 15, 1915." approved May 28, 1917, as amended

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 502—An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to fish and game district 4 "E."

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 557—An act to amend section 626c of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California and empowering the State Board of Health to enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to nuisances so as to repeal certain portions thereof relating to nuisance.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 541—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9 of the printed bill, after the word "dollars" insert the word "each" so that said line shall read as follows "thousand three hundred dollars (each) and one at two thousand four".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 727—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading

Senate Bill No 760—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office by authorizing the appointment of two additional stenographers in such office; and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of such additional stenographers during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 761—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies; and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 788—An act appropriating money for the erection and construction of buildings and improvements at the San Jose State Teachers College.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money for the purchase and improvement of land for the San Jose State Teachers College.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pearl E Green, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 185—An act to create the State Park Commission; to define its powers and duties; to make an appropriation therefor and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 188—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of transferring bodies from the old to the new cemetery of the State hospital at Stockton.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 232—An act to appropriate money to pay the expense of making the exchange of certain lands as provided by chapter 229, Statutes of California, 1923.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 263—An act authorizing the Board of Control to reconvey certain real property to L. B. Collins.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 270—An act to provide for the sale of the sovereign lands of the State of California, lying within the United States meander lines of Clear Lake, Lake County, that are susceptible of reclamation.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 298—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Farm Institute.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 304—An act to provide for the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 308—An act making an appropriation for the Calaveras River flood control project of the city of Stockton, California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 826—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said

commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 445 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the Inheritance Tax Department.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 6—An act to appropriate $5,000 to be used by the California Highway Commission for the purpose of making a survey for a road from the city of Hollister to Soledad.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 13—An act making an appropriation for the encouragement of county agricultural fairs and providing for the distribution of the moneys hereby appropriated.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 15—An act to provide for the survey and construction of a State highway from Governor's Camp in the California Redwood Park, to the coast road at the point where said coast road crosses the divide between Waddell Creek and Scott Creek, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 49—An act appropriating money for painting and repairing the State Capitol building.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 50—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 51—An act appropriating money for the purpose of remodeling and making repairs to certain buildings at Sutter's Fort.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 152—An act appropriating money to meet the deficiency in the appropriation of salaries of senators and assemblymen for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 125—An act making an appropriation for the erection and construction of a new grandstand at the State Agricultural Grounds at Sacramento, California.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "hundred" strike out the word "fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2 of the printed bill, after the word "dollars", insert the following "or as much thereof as may be necessary"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 484—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State buildings and State University buildings bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the completion and equipment of State buildings at Sacramento and the construction and equipment of a State building at Los Angeles, to create and provide for a fund for the construction and equipment of a building or buildings for the University of California at Berkeley and a building or buildings for the University of California at Los Angeles, authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Building Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $10,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the numeral "1926" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "1927".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 49, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2 1925, strike out the numeral "1926" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "1927".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the numeral "1926" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "1927".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 51, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 2, 1925, strike out the numeral "1926" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "1927".

Amendments adopted

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 485—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the

appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission, and for their compensation and traveling expenses; providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof, to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "be" strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 344—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608*c*, to authorize the governing boards of school districts to rent, purchase, or build, and furnish school buildings to house pupils or employees of the school districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 412, and to repeal section 413 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of said appointees, not otherwise provided for during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 468—An act making an appropriation for research work as to citrus by-products by the University of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 608—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey; and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 680—An act appropriating money for the purpose of placing a memorial tablet in "Memorial Grove" located in Capitol Park, in the city of Sacramento.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 743—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 536—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 432—An act to regulate the use of property and the operation of places of business surrounding public school buildings and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 163—An act to amend section 345 of the Civil Code, relating to extension of time of delinquent stock sale and notice thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 405—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations affecting actions against directors or stockholders of corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 713—An act to amend section 361*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the transfer as a whole of the business franchise and property of corporations.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No 808—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Sewell moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 46, of the amended printed bill, strike out the words "sell and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 46, of the amended printed bill after the word "same", strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, lines 46, 47 and 48 of the amended printed bill strike out the words "and to enter into contracts with persons, firms corporations and political subdivisions for such sale and disposal,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 48, of the amended printed bill, between the word "no" and the word "disposal", strike out the word "sale,"

Motion carried

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sewell as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 808, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

SEWELL, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto, creating a Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee, defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof, providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures, appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued, and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Maloney, Nelson and Harris, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed

CLEVELAND,
JACOBSON,
LEVEY,
Assembly Committee on Conference

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Walters, Williamson and Little as a Committee on Free Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1011.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 216—An act to amend section 4232 of the Political Code, relating to the compensation of officers in counties of the third class—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Hurley, Christian and Lewis, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Senate concur in the Assembly amendments, and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 10, lines 12 and 13, of the amended printed bill as amended in the Assembly April 10, 1925, strike out the words "three thousand six hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "four thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 12, line 25, of the amended printed bill as amended in the Assembly April 10, 1925, strike out the words "five deputies" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "such other deputies as may be appointed in accordance with law".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 12, line 29, of the amended printed bill as amended in the Assembly April 10, 1925, strike out the words "herein provided for".

SPENCE,
SMITH,
DILLINGER.
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments were adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 997—An act to amend section 637*a* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 997?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the amended bill, after the word "birds", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a colon.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 5, of the amended bill, after the word "three" insert a comma.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 997 were concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.
NOES—None.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23—Relating to pay increases of government employees.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 23.

Relating to pay increases of government employees.

WHEREAS, In the appropriation for allowed increase of compensation for government employees other than post office employees contained in bill H. R. 9561, passed by the Sixty-eighth Congress, first session. The packers and other lower paid employees of the War Department have only received $1,240 per annum, the other laborers $1,320 per annum, which merely made the increase of $240 the federal employees had received every year permanent; and

WHEREAS, Other highly paid employees have received for substantial increases in addition to the $240 bonus, now, therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California urgently petition and request that Congress provide proportionate pay increases to all classes of employees in government service and to provide for a minimum annual salary of $1,500 for the above named employees; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to send copies of these resolutions to the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Treasury and to the Senators and Representatives of the State of California in Congress.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22—Relating to retirement of federal employees.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 22

Relating to the retirement of federal employees

WHEREAS, A bill known as H. R. 8202 to amend the act entitled "An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service and for other purposes," approved May 22, 1920, failed to pass at the last session of Congress; and

WHEREAS, The retirement act now enforced allows employees only the maximum sum of $720 per annum, which is insufficient for their maintenance, and

WHEREAS, The sum of 2½ per cent of the salary of federal employees is deducted for the purpose of supplying a retirement fund, and

WHEREAS, As the last report shows that the employees during the operation of this act have contributed more than $55,000,000, and after paying annuities there remains a balance of more than $34,000,000, and

WHEREAS, This bill allows employees, after 30 years of service and after reaching the age of 63 years, to retire on an annuity of not more than $1,200 per annum, therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California does hereby heartily approve and indorse the passage of H. R. 8202 and earnestly requests the Senators and Representatives of California and Congress to do all in their power to secure an enactment of this bill, be it further

Resolved, The Secretary of the Senate be directed to send copies of these resolutions to the Senators and Representatives of the United States in Congress.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 21—Relating to the Classification Act of 1923.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 21 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 21 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor;

Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Rutner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 21 ordered transmitted to the Senate

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 21.

Relating to the Classification Act of 1923.

WHEREAS, A bill known as H. R. 6896 to amend an act entitled "The Classification Act of 1923," approved March 4, 1923, failed to pass at the last session of Congress; and

WHEREAS, The proposition of this said bill is to abolish the personal classification board created by the act entitled "The Classification Act of 1923," and to transfer the powers, duties and functions vested in said personnel classification board to the United States Civil Service Commission; and

WHEREAS, As the passage of this said bill H. R. 6896 by Congress will be beneficial to the federal employees, now, wherefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, jointly, That the Legislature of the State of California does hereby heartily approve and indorse this measure and earnestly request the Senators and Representatives of the State of California to do their utmost to secure the passage of this measure, and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to forward copies of these resolutions to the Senators in the State of California

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding section $2\frac{3}{4}$ to article II of said constitution, relating to election to nonpartisan office at a primary election.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20 read

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Smith moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, two o'clock and fifty minutes p. m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mueller, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senate Bill No. 165—An act to add a new section to be numbered 21*a* to an act entitled "An act creating a State Commission on Voting Machines, defining their powers, and providing for their use at the option of indicated local authorities of voting machines for receiving and registering the vote of one or more precincts of any county, or city and county, city or town, at any or all elections held therein, and for ascertaining the immediate result of such elections; and providing for

the punishment of all violations of the provisions of this act," approved May 3, 1923, relating to the use of voting machines

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 165 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Dodge, Dorris Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartiantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45

NOES—Anderson, R. J.—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 714—An act relating to and providing for the formation, organization and management of corporations for the purpose of receiving and maintaining a fund or funds and applying the income and principal thereof to promote the well-being of mankind.

Bill read third time

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Weller moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1925, strike out lines 41 to 46, inclusive

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Weller as such Select Committee

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 714, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WELLER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 320—An act to amend subdivision 7 of section 4041, Political Code, in order to empower boards of supervisors to provide more adequate medical, surgical, X-ray, laboratory, nursing and general hospital service for the needy sick.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McPherson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 10 of the amended bill, following line 14 insert the following:

40*a* To provide for the sale, at not less than cost, of copies of such maps as may be prepared by the surveyor or engineer for the use of the assessor under the provisions of section four thousand two hundred eighteen of the Political Code of California, as may be deemed desirable by the board of supervisors.

40b. To appropriate and expend money from the general fund of the county for the construction of work, improvements, levees or check-dams to prevent the overflow and flooding of streams and rivers in the county, and to construct such works, improvements, levees or check-dams outside the county for said purposes upon streams or rivers which flow in or through more than one county

40c. To levy a special tax which shall produce not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars to be used for the purpose of compiling a war history of the county.

41. To do and to perform all other acts and things required by law not in this title enumerated, or which may be necessary to the full discharge of the duties of the legislative authority of the county government

42. To plant shade and ornamental trees on the public roads and highways, and on or about the public grounds and buildings of the county and providing for the care of the same. The cost of the planting and caring for such trees to be paid for out of the county general fund.

43. To place in the custody and control of the county historical society or the trustees or other directors thereof, any records, landmarks or other property, real or personal of the county, having only historical value. Such trustees and directors shall at all times be appointed by such historical society with the consent and approval of the board of supervisors and shall receive no compensation from such county and such board of supervisors may prescribe whatever suitable or reasonable conditions that they see fit as a condition to the delivering of such property.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McPherson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 320, with instructions reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

McPHERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 817—An act to validate certain bonds of certain irrigation districts and all proceedings relative thereto, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 817 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Deuel, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 176—An act appropriating $50,000 for the construction and maintenance of fire lanes and trails on the mountains composing the watersheds of Los Angeles County.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 176 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell,

McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—Campbell—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 228—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of R. B. Hale against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 228 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobsen, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 778—An act to repeal section 13 of "The State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity licenses.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mrs. Woodbridge moved that Senate Bill No. 778 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 778 re-referred to Committee on Public Health and Quarantine.

Senate Bill No. 472—An act to prohibit the employment of aliens by contractors and subcontractors on public work being done under the authority of the State, or any officer or department thereof, or under the authority of any county, city and county, city, or town, or any officer or department thereof, except in cases of extraordinary emergency, caused by fire, flood, or danger to life or property, or except to work upon public, military or naval defenses or works in time of war, and except when it can be shown to the satisfaction of the proper constituted authorities that at the time of employment citizens of this State and of the United States were not available for employment, providing that where citizens are unavailable for employment and aliens are employed and citizens later become available, they shall be given the positions held by the noncitizens, and providing penalties for the violation of any of the provisions hereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 472 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Crotet, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry,

Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—Brock, Cleveland, Hartranft, Jones, Melville, and Walters—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 369—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 369 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 693—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke or refuse to grant, licenses and providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 693 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At three o'clock and forty minutes p m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Little.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No 20 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 20.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding section 2¾ to article II of said constitution, relating to election to nonpartisan office at a primary election

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-sixth regular session, commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two Houses voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that a new section be added to article II of the constitution of this State to be numbered section 2¾, and to read as follows:

SEC. 2¾ Any candidate for a judicial, school, county, township, municipal or other nonpartisan office who at a primary election shall receive votes on majority of all ballots cast for candidates for the office for which such candidate seeks nomination, shall be elected to such office Where two or more candidates are to be elected to a given office and a greater number of candidates receive a majority than the number to be elected, those candidates shall be elected who secure the highest votes of those receiving such majority, and equal in number to the number to be elected Where a different method of election is provided by a freeholders' charter, the charter provision shall govern.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1¼ of article XIII, relating to exemptions of property on account of military service.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 read

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Adams, Cleveland, Heisinger, Johnson, Schmidt, and Scudder—6.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 26 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 26.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1¼ of article XIII, relating to exemptions of property on account of military service.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its forty-sixth regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 1¼ of article XIII of the constitution of this State be amended to read as follows

Sec. 1¼. The property to the amount of $1,000 of every resident of this State who has served in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps or Revenue Marine Service of the United States in time of war, and received an honorable discharge therefrom or who has been released from active duty because of disability resulting from such service in time of peace or under other honorable conditions, or lacking such amount of property in his own name, so much of the property of the wife of any such person as shall be necessary to equal said amount; and the property to the amount of $1,000 of the widow resident in this State, or if there be no such widow, of the widowed mother resident in this State, of every person who has so served and has died either during his term of service or after receiving an honorable discharge from said service, or who has been released from active duty because of disability resulting from such service in time of peace or under other honorable conditions, and the property to the amount of $1,000 of pensioned widows, fathers, and mothers, resident in this State, of soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps or Revenue Marine Service of the United States shall be exempt from taxation; *provided*, this exemption shall not apply to any person named herein owning property of the value of $5,000 or more, or where the wife of such soldier or sailor owns property of the value of $5,000 or more. No exemption shall be made under the provisions of this act of the property of a person who is not legal resident of the State; *provided, however*, all real property owned by the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic and all property owned by the California Soldiers Widows Home Association shall be exempt from taxation.

Senate Bill No. 140—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the State Forester to protect such area.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 140 finally passed by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 804—An act to add to the Code of Civil Procedure a new section, to be known as section 302, relating to the practice by attorneys in the various courts of record of the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 804 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell,

Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 379—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code; to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods; to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures; to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 379 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—56
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 439—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way and to construct and maintain a highway, which shall constitute and be a State highway, extending from the town of Blythe in the county of Riverside to a point on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Arizona to be selected by the State Highway Commission, and also a connecting highway from a point on the present Mecca to Blythe State highway to a point on the present San Bernardino to Yuma State highway.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 439 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith,

Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 384—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af*, inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the amended bill, after the period following the figures "653*ab*." insert the following "1"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 10, of the amended bill, strike out the word "for"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 12, of the amended bill, after the comma following the word "library", strike out the word "to" and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 15 of the amended bill, strike out "Sec"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 384, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

LAKEPORT, CALIFORNIA, April 21, 1925.

Frank L. Coombs, Assembly,
Sacramento, California.

Urge favorable action on Indian bills. Realize grave necessity daily.

MRS. M. H. DAUNBAR.

BISHOP, CALIFORNIA, April 20, 1925.

Speaker Assembly,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

The Big Pine Indian Auxiliary of the Indian Board of Cooperation, with 160 members, at mass meeting April 18, 1925, decided against Senate Bills Nos. 336 and 337. Passage of these bills will do us more harm than good. Please kill them. We favor Senate Joint Resolution No. 27

JERRY BOWERS, President.

BISHOP, CALIFORNIA, April 20, 1925.

Speaker Assembly,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

The Bishop Indian Auxiliary of the Indian Board of Cooperation, with 395 members, at mass meeting April 19, 1925, decided against Senate Bills Nos. 336 and 337.

Passage of these bills will do us more harm than good. Please kill them. We favor Senate Joint Resolution No. 27.

JOHN KEITH, Vice President

EDITH DEWEY, Secretary

BISHOP, CALIFORNIA, April 20, 1925.

Speaker Assembly,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

The Independence Indian Auxiliary of the Indian Board of Cooperation, with 98 members, at mass meeting April 18, 1925, decided against Senate Bills Nos. 336 and 337. Passage of these bills will do us more harm than good. Please kill them. We favor Senate Joint Resolution No. 27.

HARRY MILLER, President.

IDA MILLER, Secretary.

BISHOP, CALIFORNIA, April 21, 1925.

Speaker Assembly,
Capitol Building, Sacramento, California.

The Benton Indian Auxiliary of the Indian Board of Cooperation, with 85 members, at mass meeting April 20, 1925, decided against Senate Bills Nos. 336 and 337. Passage of these bills will do us more harm than good. Please kill them. We favor Senate Joint Resolution No. 27.

LOUISE PEDRO.
LOUISE MOHLE

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 336—An act providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate and report upon the economic, sanitary and educational conditions, needs and general welfare of the Indians of California, and appropriating the sum of $25,000 to cover the cost of such investigation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 336 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—Eksward—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 337—An act making an appropriation for emergency relief of Indians in California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 337 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 264—An act defining and prohibiting blacklisting and unlawful interference with laborers, and providing for the punishment thereof and the recovery of damages therefor, and defining what shall be accepted as evidence in blacklist cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 264 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dodge, Dorris, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, West, and Woodbridge—26.

NOES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Williamson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 264 was this day refused passage.

Senate Bill No. 596—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of hunting and fishing licenses to hunt, take, pursue, or kill, wild birds or mammals, or to take, catch, or kill, game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration; defining game fishes; providing a method for the issuance of such licenses; defining resident and nonresident licenses; prohibiting the sale or issuance of any such license to any alien; providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 596 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—Bernard, Broughton, Campbell, Dorris, Melville, and West—6.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 632—An act defining and regulating the business of dry-cleaning and dyeing, standardizing the business of, and providing for the maintenance, construction and inspection of dry-cleaning and dyeing buildings and establishments, providing ways and means for enforcing this act and fixing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr Miller, J. A., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" after the word "academies" and insert in lieu thereof a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "colleges" and add the following "or any person, firm, business, association, or corporation, who or which is engaged only in the business of finishing cleaned and dyed cloth, feathers, fabrics or textiles of any kind cleaned or dyed with the above defined chemicals by some dry cleaning and dyeing establishment as defined in this act"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Miller, J. A., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 632, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

MILLER, J A, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to re-print, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No 578—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Weller moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 10, line 46, of the amended bill, after the words "is more than" insert the word "one".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Weller as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 578, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WELLER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code,

relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that the same do pass as amended

WRIGHT, S. V., Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into senatorial and assembly districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that the same be adopted as amended.

WRIGHT, S. V., Chairman.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 602—An act to amend sections 3 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, by increasing the amount and modifying the disposal of such license taxes, and prescribing certain duties of the State Controller State Highway Commission and boards of supervisors with reference thereto—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

COOMBS, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 180—An act to establish an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts, to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act, to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof, to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 543—An act to be known as the Twenty-four-hour School Act, providing for the establishing of twenty-four-hour schools by school districts, providing for admission to such schools and for the government, control, conduct, direction and support thereof—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ELECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No 70—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23, and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with

the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

LITTLE, Chairman
ADAMS
FINNEY.
DUVAL
CARTER
HORNBLOWER

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 455—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended

Also Senate Bill No. 812—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, defining its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the disposition of fines, Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

(Signed out)

WOODBRIDGE Chairman
SPALDING
ROSENSHINE
BERNARD.
BADHAM.
WEST
McDONOUGH

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations to which was referred Senate Bill No. 1—An act relating to assessments for city improvements—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

SEWELL, Chairman.
REINDOLLAR
MUELLER.
RUNNER
LEVEY
MORRISON.
DODGE
BYRNE
SAYLOR.
HORNBLOWER.
BROCK
DILLINGER

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations to which was referred Senate Bill No. 178—An act providing for the incorporation government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by officers of counties, providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts,

Also Senate Bill No. 67—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization of municipal improvement districts and declaring the urgency of said act

Also Senate Bill No. 68—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipal improvement districts where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such districts voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness,

Also Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by

municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grade of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent said assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to completion of work by city.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or *extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the* territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements, to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No. 479—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts and places within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts to levy tax to meet deficiencies;

Also Senate Bill No. 797—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

SEWELL, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 348 the following Senators, Hollister, West, and Young, to meet a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 1011 the following Senators Tubbs, Inman, and Christian, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not accurately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and provided penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to certificates and permits to work issued to pupils in full-time day schools—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Hollister, West, and Young, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

MIXTER,
REINDOLLAR,
BYRNE,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Brock, Noyes and Wright, S. V., as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 348.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto, creating a Veterans Welfare Finance Committee defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof, providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures; appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting Senators Tubbs, Inman, and Christian, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments, and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 24, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty".

WALTERS,
WILLIAMSON,
LITTLE,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson,

Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into senatorial and assembly districts.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 read

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During reading of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed amendment, as amended April 15, after line 26 add, as a new paragraph, the following

"Upon the adoption of this section as amended, the term of office of the senators elected at the general election in November, 1926, from the fourth, eighteenth, twenty-second and twenty-eighth senatorial districts as constituted by chapter thirty-seven of statutes of 1911, extra session, shall expire on January first, 1929, and, in addition to senators from the odd numbered districts to be elected for terms of four years, senators shall be elected at the general election in November, 1928, for a term of two years from the twenty-second, thirty-second, thirty-fourth and thirty-eighth senatorial districts as constituted by act of the regular session of the legislature in 1925. Thereafter the term of each senator shall be four years."

Amendment adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McPherson moved that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 be withdrawn from Committee on Ways and Means and be re-referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Motion carried.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 ordered re-referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the commitee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 6 of the printed bill as amended April 13, 1925, after line 25, insert the following "20 The county of Fresno shall constitute the twentieth senatorial district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 26, of the printed bill as amended April 13, 1925, strike out the figure "20", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "21".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7, of the printed bill as amended April 13, 1925, strike out lines 3 and 4.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 26, line 20, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, following the word "district", insert a comma and the following: "shall constitute the seventy-ninth assembly district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 26, line 22, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, following the word "districts", insert a comma and the following "shall constitute the eightieth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 26 of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out lines 30 and 31, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC 4 For the purpose of choosing members of the legislature, the state shall be divided into forty senatorial and eighty assembly districts, as nearly equal in population as may be, and composed of contiguous territory, to be called senatorial and assembly districts Each senatorial district shall choose one senator and each assembly district shall choose one member of assembly The senatorial districts shall be numbered from one to forty, inclusive, in numerical order, and the assembly districts shall be numbered from one to eighty in the same order, commencing at the northern boundary of the state and ending at the southern boundary thereof In the formation of such districts no county, or city and county, shall be divided, unless it contain sufficient population within itself, to form two or more districts, nor shall a part of any county, or of any city and county, be united with any other county, or city and county, in forming any district The census taken under the direction of the congress of the United States in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and every ten years thereafter, shall be the basis of fixing and adjusting the legislative districts, and the legislature shall, at its first session after each census, adjust such districts and reapportion the representation so as to preserve them as nearly equal in population as may be, *provided, however*, that the three counties or cities and counties, (or the territory thereof as constituted at the time of the adoption of this section, should the boundaries thereof be subsequently changed), which by the then last preceding decennial federal census are greatest in population shall together contain no more than fifteen senatorial districts, said fifteen districts to be as nearly equal in population as may be, *provided, further, however*, that should the legislature at the first regular session following any decennial federal census fail to reapportion the senatorial and assembly districts the supreme court of California shall apportion such senatorial and assembly districts in accordance with the provisions of this section, and such apportionment by the supreme court shall be immediately effective But in making such adjustment no persons who are not eligible to become citizens of the United States, under the naturalization laws, shall be counted as forming a part of the population of any district Until such districting as herein provided for shall be made, senators and assemblymen shall be elected by the districts according to the apportionment now provided for by law

Upon the adoption of this section as amended, the term of office of the senators elected at the general election in November, 1926, from the fourth, eighteenth, twenty-second and twenty-eighth senatorial districts as constituted by chapter thirty-seven of statutes of 1911, extra session, shall expire on January 1, 1929, and, in addition to senators from the odd numbered districts to be elected for terms of four years, senators shall be elected at the general election in November, 1928, for a term of two years from the twenty-second, thirty-second, thirty-fourth and thirty-eighth senatorial districts as constituted by act of the regular session of the legislature in 1925 Thereafter the term of each senator shall be four years

SEC. 5. It is expressly declared to be the intention of the legislature that the effectiveness of each and every section and part of this act is dependent upon the adoption, by the electors of the state, of the foregoing amendment to the constitution, and should said amendment be not adopted, no part or portion of this act shall become effective

Upon the adoption of such amendment by the electors of the state this act shall become immediately effective, and senators and members of the assembly shall be elected, at the next ensuing general election after the adoption of the foregoing amendment, and thereafter, in accordance with the senatorial and assembly districts established by this act, except as otherwise provided in said amendment.

SEC 6 All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 7, line 18, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words, "fifty-third and fifty-fourth" and insert in lieu thereof the following "fifty-fifth and fifty-sixth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 23, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "fifty-fifth and fifty-sixth" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "fifty-third and fifty-fourth"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 28, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "fifty-seventh and fifty-eighth" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "fifty-ninth and sixtieth"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 7, line 33, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "fifty-ninth and sixtieth" and insert in lieu thereof the following "fifty-seventh and fifty-eighth"

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 7, line 38, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "sixty-first and sixty-second" and insert in lieu thereof the following "sixty-third and sixty-fourth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7, line 43, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "sixty-third and sixty-fourth" and insert in lieu thereof the following "sixty-first and sixty-second".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 7, line 48, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "sixty-fifth and sixty-sixth" and insert in lieu thereof the following "seventy-first and seventy-second".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 8, line 2, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "sixty-seventh and sixty-eighth" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sixty-ninth and seventieth"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 8, line 7, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "sixty-ninth and seventieth" and insert in lieu thereof the following "sixty-seventh and sixty-eighth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 8, line 12, of the printed bill as amended in the Senate on April 13, 1925, strike out the words "seventy-first and seventy-second" and insert in lieu thereof the following. "sixty-fifth and sixty-sixth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 18 of the printed bill as amended, strike out lines 27 to 33, inclusive, and in line 34 strike out the word "twenty-six", and insert in lieu thereof the following "Los Angeles city precincts numbers four hundred twenty-seven, five hundred thirty-six to five hundred forty, five hundred forty *a*, five hundred forty-one, five hundred forty-two, five hundred forty-two *a*, five hundred forty-three, eight hundred fifty to eight hundred fifty-four, eight hundred eighty-two to eight hundred ninety-one, nine hundred two, nine hundred nineteen, nine hundred twenty-five, nine hundred twenty-six,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 18, of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 43 to 50, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Los Angeles city precincts numbers three hundred eighty-three to three hundred ninety-two, three hundred ninety-four, four hundred sixteen, four hundred eighteen to four hundred twenty-six, four hundred twenty-eight to four hundred thirty-nine, five hundred four, five hundred five, five hundred six, eight hundred fifty-six and eight hundred seventy-one, all inclusive, shall constitute the fifty-fourth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 19, of the printed bill as amended, line 22, before the word "shall" insert the following. "all inclusive,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 19, line 29, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the following. "and fifty-four, fifty-seven".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 19, line 52, of the printed bill as amended, after the comma, insert the following: "all inclusive,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 20 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 4 to 24, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "South Pasadena city Nos. one to eighteen, Union, Los Angeles city Nos. one, three hundred ninety-three, three hundred ninety-five to four hundred fifteen, four hundred seventeen, eight hundred fifty-five, eight hundred fifty-seven to eight hundred seventy, eight hundred seventy-two to eight hundred eighty-one, eight hundred ninety-two to eight hundred ninety-nine, nine hundred eighty-nine, all inclusive, and that portion of nine hundred and nine hundred one, lying southeast of Harriman avenue and southwest of Pullman avenue, and prolongation thereof, shall constitute the fifty-seventh assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 20 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 28 to 41, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Temple, Montebello city Nos. one to eight, Belvedere Nos. one to eleven, that part of Laguna Nos. one to twelve, sixteen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-nine, thirty-one, thirty-three to thirty-six, lying southeasterly of the southeasterly boundary line of the city of Montebello as it existed April 1, 1925, Bell Nos. one to thirteen, Bandini, Salt Lake, Middletown, Fruitland, Vernon city Nos. one and two, Miramonte Nos. one to twelve, Huntington Park city Nos. one to nineteen, Monterey Park city Nos. one to nine, Midwick, that part of Rivera Nos.

one and two lying southeasterly of the southeasterly boundary line of the city of Montebello as it existed April 1, 1925, and that part of Florence Nos one to sixteen lying northerly of the easterly prolongation of the northerly boundary line of the city of Watts, Walnut Park Nos one to five, Los Angeles city Nos two to seven, three hundred two to three hundred six, all inclusive, shall constitute the fifty-eighth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 20 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 45 to 52, inclusive, and on page 21, strike out all of lines 1 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Decker, Malibu, Lasher, Canyon, Santa Monica city numbers one to thirty-three, Beverly Hills, city numbers one to three, Angeles Mesa, Beverly Glen, Franklin, Arnaz, National Military Home numbers one to ten, Sherman numbers one to three, La Brea numbers one to five, Machado, West Adams numbers one to five, Smith, Culver City numbers one to three, that part of Ballona north of southerly line of P E Railway Company's right of way (Short Line branch) and east of Sawtelle boulevard, Los Angeles city numbers six hundred forty-five *c*, six hundred forty-six, six hundred forty-seven, six hundred forty-seven *a*, six hundred forty-eight, six hundred forty-nine, six hundred sixty-three, seven hundred ninety, seven hundred ninety *a*, seven hundred ninety-six, seven hundred ninety-eight to eight hundred twenty, eight hundred forty-four, eight hundred forty-five, that part of six hundred fifty, eight hundred four *a*, and nine hundred sixty-nine west of Rimpau boulevard, that part of six hundred sixty-nine, six hundred seventy, six hundred seventy-seven, eight hundred two *a* lying west of Crenshaw boulevard, that part of six hundred seventy-eight southwesterly of Montclair street, that part of six hundred eighty-two and seven hundred ninety-seven lying west of Tenth avenue and that part of six hundred eighty-three lying west of Tenth avenue and southerly of P E Railway Company's right of way, that part of six hundred eighty-four and six hundred eighty-five lying south of the P E Railway Company's right of way shall constitute the fifty-ninth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 21 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 26 to 43, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Ocean Park Heights, that part of Ballona, lying southerly of the southerly line of the Pacific Electric Railway Company's right of way (Venice Short Line branch) and westerly of Sawtelle boulevard, Venice city numbers one to nineteen, Ross, Sexton, Arbor Vitae numbers one and two, Inglewood city numbers one to ten, twelve and thirteen, Wiseburn numbers one to five, El Segundo city numbers one to three, El Porto, Hawthorne City numbers one, two, three and five, Manhattan Beach city numbers one and two, Hermosa Beach city numbers one to seven, Redondo Beach city numbers one to thirteen, Lawndale numbers one to three, Los Angeles city numbers seven hundred seventy-nine to seven hundred eighty-three, seven hundred eighty-three *a*, seven hundred eighty-four to seven hundred eighty-nine, seven hundred ninety-one to seven hundred ninety-five, nine hundred seventy-three, nine hundred seventy-four, nine hundred seventy-five, nine hundred seventy-six shall constitute the sixtieth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 21 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 47 to 50, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Los Angeles city precincts numbers eight to ninety-four, inclusive, two hundred ninety-nine, three hundred, three hundred one, and three hundred seven, all inclusive, shall constitute the sixty-first assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 22, line 18, of the printed bill as amended, before the word "shall" insert the following "all inclusive,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 22 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 23 to 39, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Los Angeles city precincts numbers five hundred twenty-eight to five hundred thirty-five, five hundred forty-four to five hundred forty-six, five hundred forty-six *a*, five hundred forty-six *b*, five hundred forty-six *c*, five hundred forty-seven to five hundred fifty, inclusive, five hundred ninety to five hundred ninety-three, inclusive, five hundred ninety-three *a*, five hundred ninety-four to five hundred ninety-eight, six hundred two to six hundred five, inclusive, six hundred five *a*, six hundred six to six hundred forty-five, inclusive, six hundred forty-five *a*, six hundred forty-five *b*, eight hundred forty-six, eight hundred forty-six *a*, eight hundred forty-seven, eight hundred forty-seven *a*, eight hundred forty-eight, eight hundred forty-nine, and nine hundred eighty-five shall constitute the sixty-third assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 22 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 49 and 50, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "hundred seventy-six *a*, five hundred seventy-seven, five hundred seventy-seven *a*, five hundred seventy-eight, five hundred seventy-eight *a*, five hundred eighty-one, five hundred"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY

On page 23, line 7, of the printed bill as amended before the word "shall" insert the words "all inclusive".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 23 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 12 to 33, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Glendora numbers one and two, La Verne numbers one and two, Azusa city, numbers one to four, Glendora city, numbers one to four, Claremont city numbers 1 to five, Pomona city numbers one to thirty-five, La Verne city numbers one to four, San Dimas numbers one to four, Charter Oak, Azusa, Covina city numbers one to six, Covina, numbers one to three, W Covina city numbers one and two, Spadra, numbers one and two, Rowland numbers one to five, East Whittier, numbers one to three, Los Nietos numbers one to three, and that part of Rivera numbers one and two lying southeasterly of the southeasterly boundary line of the city of Montebello as it existed April 1, 1925, Whittier city numbers one to twenty-four and twenty-seven, shall constitute the sixty-fifth assembly district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 23, of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 37 to 51 inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Downey numbers one to six, Norwalk numbers one to three, La Mirada, Clearwater, Hynes numbers one to two, Bellflouwer numbers one to four, Artesia numbers one to three, Bixby number one, Alamitos, Naples, Signal Hill numbers one to nine, and all of the city of Long Beach as it existed April 1, 1925, lying east of the following described line Beginning at the intersection the northerly boundary line of the city of Long Beach as it existed April 1, 1925, with the center line of the old San Gabriel river, thence southerly along the center line of the old San Gabriel river to the center line of Long Beach boulevard, thence southerly along the center line of Long Beach boulevard, and continuing southerly along the westerly boundary line of the first supervisorial district of Los Angeles County to the southerly boundary line of the city of Long Beach, all inclusive, shall constitute the sixty-sixth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 24 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 4 to 12, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Los Angeles city numbers ninety-five to one hundred three, one hundred thirty to one hundred thirty-four, two hundred thirteen, two hundred fourteen, two hundred twenty-one to two hundred twenty-seven, two hundred thirty-seven to two hundred ninety-one, three hundred twenty-seven to three hundred thirty-three, all inclusive, shall constitute the sixty-seventh assembly district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 24 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 16 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Los Angeles city numbers two hundred ninety-two to two hundred ninety-eight, three hundred eight to three hundred twenty-six, three hundred thirty-four to three hundred eighty-two, all inclusive, shall constitute the sixty-eighth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 24 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 26 to 35, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Los Angeles city numbers four hundred seventy to four hundred seventy-nine, four hundred eighty-four, four hundred ninety to five hundred three, five hundred seven to five hundred nineteen, five hundred twenty-three, five hundred twenty-four, five hundred twenty-four *a*, five hundred twenty-five, five hundred twenty-six, five hundred twenty-six *a*, five hundred twenty-seven, five hundred fifty-one, five hundred fifty-two, five hundred seventy-nine, five hundred seventy-nine *a*, five hundred eighty, and five hundred eighty *a*, five hundred ninety-nine to six hundred one all inclusive, shall constitute the sixty-ninth assembly district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 24 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 39 to 47, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Los Angeles city numbers two hundred, two hundred one, two hundred ten, two hundred eleven, two hundred twelve, two hundred fifteen to two hundred twenty, two hundred twenty-eight to two hundred thirty-six, four hundred forty to four hundred sixty-nine, four hundred eighty to four hundred eighty-three, four hundred eighty-five to four hundred eighty-nine, five hundred twenty to five hundred twenty-two, five hundred twenty-three *a*, five hundred fifty-three and five hundred fifty-four, all inclusive, shall constitute the seventieth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 24 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 51 and 52, and on page 25, strike out all of lines 1 to 16, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Green Meadows numbers one to five, that part of Florence numbers one to sixteen, lying south of the easterly prolongation of the northerly boundary line of the city of Watts, Willowbrook numbers one to six, Lynwood city numbers one to three, South Gate city numbers one to five, Cudahy numbers one to eleven, Lugo, Compton city numbers one to seven, Dominguez, Cerritos numbers one to six, that part of Gardena number three and Wilmington lying easterly and southerly of the westerly and northerly lines of the city of Long Beach as it existed April 1, 1925, and all of said city of Long Beach lying westerly of the following described line

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly boundary line of the city of Long Beach as it existed April 1, 1925, with the center line of the old San Gabriel river, thence southerly

along the center line of the old San Gabriel river to the center line of Long Beach boulevard, thence southerly along the center line of Long Beach boulevard, and continuing southerly along the westerly boundary line of the first supervisorial district of Los Angeles county to the southerly boundary line of the city of Long Beach, all inclusive, shall constitute the seventy-first assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 25 of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 20 to 40, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Inglewood city number eleven, Howard numbers one to nine, Moneta numbers one to three, Gardena numbers one, two and four, Cotton, Hawthorne city number four, Torrance city numbers one to five, Lomita numbers one to five, La Rambla, Catalina, Avalon city numbers one and two, that part of Wilmington and Gardena number three, lying northerly and westerly of the northerly and westerly boundary lines of the city of Long Beach as it existed April 1, 1925, and Los Angeles city numbers six hundred eighty-six to seven hundred six, seven hundred six *a*, seven hundred seven to seven hundred twenty-one, seven hundred twenty-two to seven hundred thirty-five seven hundred thirty-five *a*, seven hundred thirty-six to seven hundred seventy-eight, nine hundred seventy-seven to nine hundred eighty, all inclusive, shall constitute the seventy-second assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 26, line 15, of the printed bill as amended April 13, 1925, after the word "avenue" strike out all of the words following to and including the word "district" in line 17 of said page, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to the intersection of the center lines of University avenue and Pershing avenue, thence running southerly along the center line of Pershing avenue to the intersection of the center lines of Pershing avenue and Upas street, thence running easterly along the center line of Upas street to the intersection of the center lines of Upas street and thirty-second street, thence running northerly along the center line of Thirty-second street to the intersection of the center lines of Thirty-second street and University avenue, thence running easterly along the center line of University avenue to the city limits of the city of San Diego, shall constitute the seventy-eighth assembly district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 5, line 35 of the printed bill as amended, after the word "of" strike out the balance of the line and all of lines 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42 to the semicolon, and insert in lieu thereof "McAllister and Fillmore streets, continuing thence along the center line of Fillmore street to Duboce avenue, Duboce avenue to Church street, Church street to Fifteenth street, Fifteenth street to Harrison street, Harrison street to Division street, Division street to Bryant avenue, Bryant avenue to Twentieth street, Twentieth street to the waters of the bay of San Francisco"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 5, line 44 of the printed bill as amended, strike out the balance of the line after the comma and all of line 45, 46, 47, 48, and insert in lieu thereof "Pine street to Fillmore street, Fillmore street to McAllister street,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 6, line 8, of the printed bill as amended in Senate April 13, 1925, after the first comma, strike out the balance of the line, and also balance of paragraph, and insert in lieu thereof "Burnett avenue to Fenton alley, Fenton alley to Portola drive, Portola drive to Twenty-fourth street, Twenty-fourth street to Church street, Church street to Duboce avenue, Duboce avenue to Fillmore street, Fillmore street to Pine street, Pine street to Presidio avenue, Presidio avenue to California street, California street to Parker avenue, Parker avenue to Geary street, Geary street to Seventh avenue, Seventh avenue to Anza street, Anza street to Fourteenth avenue, Fourteenth avenue to Fulton street, Fulton street to Stanyon street, the point of the beginning, shall constitute the nineteenth senatorial district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 6, line 27, of the printed bill as amended, after the colon, strike out the balance of line, also all of lines 28, 29 and 30, and line 31 from beginning of line to and including the comma, and insert in lieu thereof: "Commencing at the point of intersection of Church and Twenty-fourth streets, continuing along the center lines of the following streets, to wit"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 6, line 47, of the printed bill as amended, strike out all of lines 47, 48, 49, 50 and 51, and that part of line 1 on page 7 up to, but not including the comma, and insert in lieu thereof: "Fifteenth street to Church street, Church street to Twenty-fourth street"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 602—An act to amend sections 3 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing,

refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, by increasing the amount and modifying the disposal of such license taxes, and prescribing certain duties of the State Controller, State Highway Commission and boards of supervisors with reference thereto.

Bill read second time and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 180—An act to establish an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts, to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the senate April 8, 1925, strike out the word "establish" and insert in lieu thereof the word "provide".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE *a*

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon following the word "addicts" and insert in lieu thereof ", to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "to such institution" and insert in lieu thereof the words "of such addicts".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 9 of the title of the printed bill strike out all of line 9.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "There" strike out all the balance of line 2 and all of lines 3, 4, 5, and 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following "The director of institutions, with the approval of the state board of control, is hereby authorized and directed to provide on the grounds of a state institution to be selected by him a cottage or cottages to be used for the rehabilitation of narcotic users, which said building or buildings shall be a part of the institution so selected, and shall be known as the State Narcotic Hospital."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out all of sections 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14.

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "15" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "16" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, lines 25 and 26, of the printed bill, strike out the words "California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users" and insert in lieu thereof the words "State Narcotic Hospital".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 4, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "17" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 4, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the word "being" and insert in lieu thereof the word "if".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 4, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "18" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 5, lines 7 and 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users" and insert in lieu thereof the words "said institution,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 5, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the words "board of trustees thereof" and insert in lieu thereof the words "director of institutions".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 5 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 19 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC. 6. Any person committed under the provisions of this act may be paroled or discharged after the expiration of eight months by the superintendent, by and with the consent of the director of institutions."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 5, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "20" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 5, lines 20 and 21, of the printed bill, strike out the words "board of trustees of the California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users" and insert in lieu thereof the word "superintendent".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 5, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the words "board of trustees" and insert in lieu thereof the words "director of institutions"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 5, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "21" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 5, lines 34 and 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "committed or admitted to the California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users" and insert in lieu thereof the following "admitted as a voluntary patient".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 5 lines 37 and 38, of the printed bill, strike out the words "commencement of the admission thereto as a voluntary patient" and insert in lieu thereof the following "application for admission"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 5, line 39, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "22" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 5, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "23" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 5, lines 51 and 52, of the printed bill, strike out the words "to the California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users" and insert in lieu thereof the words "under this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 6, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the word "say" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 6, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "24" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "11".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 6, lines 18 and 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "to the California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users" and insert in lieu thereof the words "under this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 6, line 21, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "treasurer" insert the words "to the credit of the general fund of the state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 6, line 21, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 6, line 22, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "15" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "20".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 6, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "exceed-" and insert in lieu thereof the word "exceeding".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 6, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 6, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "15" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "20".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 6, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "25" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "12".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 6, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the words "under this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 6, lines 32 and 33, of the printed bill, strike out the words "to the California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users" and insert in lieu thereof the words "under this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 6, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "26" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 6, lines 38, 39, and 40, of the printed bill, strike out the words "notification by the board of trustees that the California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users is" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the buildings herein provided for are".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY *a*.

On page 6, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the period following the word "addiction" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided, however*, they are not mentally deranged."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 6, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "27" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO

On page 6, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the word "twenty-seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 7, lines 1 and 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "in the California State Hospital for Rehabilitation of Narcotic Users".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out all lines 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 7, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "29" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 7, lines 10 and 11, of the printed bill, strike out the words "adjoining or adjacent thereto" and insert in lieu thereof the words "of the institution".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 7, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "30" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 7, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "31" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "17".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 7, line 28, of the printed bill strike out the figure "33" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "18".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-ONE

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, and 38.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-TWO

On page 7, line 39 of the printed bill, strike out the figure "37" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "19"

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 543—An act to be known as the Twenty-four-hour School Act, providing for the establishing of twenty-four-hour schools by school districts, providing for admission to such schools and for the government, control, conduct, direction and support thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 70—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23, and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 455—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 812—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, defining its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the disposition of fines.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 1—An act relating to assessments for city improvements.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 178—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by officers of counties, providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 67—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization of municipal improvement districts and declaring the urgency of said act.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 68—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipal improvement districts where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such districts voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grade of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent said assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to completion of work by city.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage system, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No 479—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts and places within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 821—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts to levy tax to meet deficiencies.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 797—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 216.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No 1011.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No 110—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code, relating to liability of innkeepers.

Also Assembly Bill No 210—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court.

Also Assembly Bill No 263—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts; and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8½ and section 14½, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No 342—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of teachers in elementary schools

Also Assembly Bill No 343—An act to amend the Political Code by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1894, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another

Also Assembly Bill No 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1609*a*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the director of the department of agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as Johnson grass" approved March 20, 1903, as amended, and repealing that certain act entitled, "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921,

Also Assembly Bill No 796—An act defining and regulating the sale of manufactured articles from cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills composed in whole or part of cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills, when such articles are intended for camping or pleasure purposes, for human habitation, for sheltering live stock, for show, exhibition or entertainment purposes, or to protect merchandise, commodities, farm products or minerals against the elements, or if used as protection or safety devices against loss of life or loss from the elements on land, rivers or bays of the State of California, requiring the same to be properly marked as to weight, construction, color, size and use of fillers or other preparations, and providing penalties for violation thereof,

Also, Assembly Bill No 1027—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to bail after indictment, so as to provide for the justification and approval of the same by a judge of the municipal court

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1028—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1461*a*, relating to proceedings in justice's and police courts, so as to make the procedure in said courts apply to municipal courts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1030—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may solemnize marriages,

Also Assembly Bill No 1032—An act to amend section 161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to employment of judicial officers,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1033—An act to amend section 147 of the Code of Civil Procedure, prescribing what courts shall have seals

Also Assembly Bill No. 1035—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1617, relating to county jails to provide for the imprisonment of convicts in the municipal court in city jails

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend sections 33 and 34 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to courts and courts of record,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1039—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 149*a*, relating to seals of municipal courts

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1040—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered section 1281*a*, providing that judges of the municipal courts may admit to and justify bail.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 808 of the Penal Code, prescribing who are magistrates;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend section 36 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, relating to registrations.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to trials of employees

Also Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act to amend section 461 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of the crime of burglary.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 1551 of the Political Code, relating to schools

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act to amend section 1750*c* of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1165—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to public schools;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act to amend section 19*x*41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the forty-first class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to amend section 18 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the issuance of additional bonds.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Also Assembly Bill No. 455—An act to amend section 4 and to add two new sections, to be numbered 5 and 10, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of districts organized or existing under the California Irrigation District Act," approved June 1, 1921, relating to the consolidation of irrigation districts and the selling of bonds thereby

Also Assembly Bill No. 927—An act to repeal section 636*c*, of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Assembly Bill No. 928—An act to repeal section 626*d* (one) of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the use of salmon or steelhead roe as bait.

Also Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to repeal section 632*b* of the Penal Code, relating to protection of Sacramento perch and to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 626*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Also Assembly Bill No 937—An act to repeal section 626½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to repeal section 626p of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of black sea-brant;

Also Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to repeal section 636½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 373, relating to the dumping or deposit of garbage, offal, excreta or other refuse upon the beaches or shores of the Pacific Ocean;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1301—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 4463 and 4464 and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 699—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act, providing penalties for violation of the same, creating the feed inspection fund, and repealing an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of re-establishing the said school elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 25—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Chico, county of Butte, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Chico at a general municipal election held therein on the thirteenth day of April, 1925.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered to enrollment.

ADJOURNMENT.

At six o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Jones, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a m., Wednesday, April 22, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Wednesday, April 22, 1925.

At nine o'clock a m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis Dayton, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivа, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Rev. B. Berkeley Blake of the First Unitarian Church of Sacramento, California

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr West, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Mr Little, Mr. Graves was granted leave of absence for the day.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Williamson, Messrs J H Hallahan and H. F Williamson were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal

Through the courtesy of Mr Coombs, Hon Bismark Bruck former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 130—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Del Norte and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Del Norte County to convey said road to the State of California,

Also Senate Bill No 102—An act to provide for the establishment of a highway, to be known as the Bay Shore highway, in the counties of San Francisco, San Mateo and Santa Clara

Also Senate Bill No 229—An act declaring Peralta street from Seventh street to San Pablo avenue in the city of Oakland a State highway and making an appropriation therefor

Also Senate Bill No 605—An act to divide the highways of the State of California into a primary system and a secondary system and designating the roads within each system, providing for the manner of expenditure of State funds in the

construction of said roads and authorizing the California Highway Commission to designate the order of construction of said roads;

Also Senate Bill No 824—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way, and to construct and maintain a highway, which is hereby declared to constitute and be a State highway, extending from Barstow, in the county of San Bernardino, to a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Nevada, near the town of Jean, Nevada, or at such other point thereon as may be selected by said California Highway Commission, which said highway is commonly known and referred to as the Arrowhead trail.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

MELVILLE, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 130—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Del Norte, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Del Norte County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 102—An act to provide for the establishment of a highway, to be known as the Bay Shore Highway, in the counties of San Francisco, San Mateo and Santa Clara

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 229—An act declaring Peralta street from Seventh street to San Pablo avenue in the city of Oakland a State highway and making an appropriation therefor

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 606—An act to divide the highways of the State of California into a primary system and a secondary system, and designating the roads within each system, providing for the manner of expenditure of State funds in the construction of said roads and authorizing the California Highway Commission to designate the order of construction of said roads.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 824—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way, and to construct and maintain a highway, which is hereby declared to constitute and be a State highway, extending from Barstow, in the county of San Bernardino, to a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Nevada, near the town of Jean, Nevada, or at such other point thereon as may be selected by said California Highway Commission, which said highway is commonly known and referred to as the Arrowhead Trail.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to

amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 538?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "paid" insert the following: "In counties of this class the sheriff may appoint a deputy sheriff, which office of deputy sheriff is hereby created, who shall receive as compensation for all services performed as such, the sum of twelve hundred dollars per annum, to be paid out of the county treasury, in equal monthly installments, at the same time, in the same manner and out of the same fund as salaries of county officers are paid."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 6, line 48, of the printed bill, after the semicolon after the word "month" insert the following "*provided*, that commencing on the first Monday after the first day of January, in the year 1927, justices of the peace of townships of the first class shall receive the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars per month, to be paid in the same manner as county officers; *and provided further*, that said justice may, in the interim, appoint a clerk at a salary of fifty dollars per month, to be paid in like manner, which office shall expire upon the first Monday after the first day of January, 1927."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" first appearing in said line, and in lieu thereof insert the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "compensation", strike out the remainder of line 24 and to and including line 30

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr Jacobson moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and twenty minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Scofield, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—36

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

SENATE MESSAGES—(RESUMED)

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as

amended, regulating the work and hours of duty of registered pharmacists—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 387?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 1, of the amended bill, after the word "licentiate" insert the following "or registered assistant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 2, of the amended bill, after the word "employed", strike out the comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 3, of the amended bill, after the word "employed", strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 387 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 80—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to carrying animals on automobiles—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 80?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word "from" following the word "off".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the second line of the title of the amended bill, strike out the words "five hundred two" and insert in lieu thereof the words "five hundred ninety-seven *h*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 2 of the amended bill, strike out the words "five hundred two" and insert in lieu thereof the words "five hundred ninety-seven *h*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 4 of the amended bill, strike out the figures "502" and insert in lieu thereof "597*h*".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 80 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—42.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Jones, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 178 was made a special order for this day at two o'clock p.m.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 641?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 42, of the amended bill, after the word "therein", strike out the word "and".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 641 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 725—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 15, 15*a*, 21*a*, 62, 65, 80, 83, 96, 101, 123, 130, 132, and 138, and by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*e* and 104, all relating to the definition and regulation of the business of banking—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 725?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4 of the printed bill, strike all of line 21 and down to and including line 36, thereof

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "4" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "principal" and the following: "including checks drawn to personal order of agent or officer,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 14 of the printed bill, strike out the figure "6" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "5".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 29 and down to and including line 47, thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "8" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "9" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 7, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "capital" and insert in lieu thereof the following "entire capital including all of its departments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 7, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 8, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "10" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 9, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the word "capital" and insert in lieu thereof the following "entire capital, including all of its departments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 9, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "11" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "9".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 11, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "12" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 13, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "13" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "11".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 16, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "14" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "12".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 17, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "15" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "13".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 18, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "16" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "14".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 19, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "17" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "15".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 20, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "18" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "16".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 21, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "19" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "17".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 22, line 6, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "20" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "18".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, strike out the word "not".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "not".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 8, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the word "capital" and insert in lieu thereof the following "entire capital, including all of its departments".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 8, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 8, line 34, of the printed bill, strike out the following "entire capital, including all of its departments" and insert in lieu thereof the word "capital".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

In the eighth line of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 2, 1925, strike out the following "SIXTEEN,

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

In the ninth line of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 2, 1925, strike out the following "SIXTEEN *d*,"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 725 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 392—An act to provide for the establishment, organization, powers and government of municipal port districts and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the acquisition and construction of harbor works and improvements, railroad and water transfer and terminal facilities, and for the acquisition of property therefor, by municipal port districts and by the municipal corporations included therein, and for defraying the cost and expense thereof by such districts and by such municipal corporations; to provide for the development, operation, maintenance, improvement and management of harbors and other waters and for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation and fishery by such districts, to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, the issuance of bonds and the levy and collection of taxes by such districts, and to authorize municipal corporations in such districts to surrender and transfer certain municipal powers and to grant certain municipal property to such districts for the purpose of carrying out the objects and purposes of this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 392?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out the title thereof and insert in lieu thereof a new title to read as follows:

"An act to provide for the establishment, organization, powers and government of municipal port districts and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; to provide for the acquisition and construction of harbor works and improvements, railroad and water transfer and terminal facilities, and for the acquisition of property therefor, by municipal port districts and by the municipal corporations included therein, and for defraying the cost and expense thereof by such districts and by such municipal corporations; to provide for the development, operation, maintenance, improvement and management of harbors and other waters and for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation and fishery by such districts; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, the issuance of bonds and the levy and collection of taxes by such districts, and to authorize municipal corporations in such districts to surrender and transfer certain municipal powers and to grant certain municipal property to such districts for the purpose of carrying out the objects and purposes of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the words "when two" and insert the word "two" in lieu thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, insert between the word "vide" at the beginning of said line, and the word "the" immediately thereafter the following "That such municipal port district shall be managed and controlled by a board of port commissioners and that the powers of such port district shall be exercised and the business and affairs thereof conducted by such board, and also".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 10, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the following: "proceedings relative to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 13, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out the word "railroad,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 13, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the words "or other utility,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 13, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 41 to 52, both inclusive, and on page 14 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 10, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"(7) To make and enforce such local, police, and sanitary regulations relative to the construction, maintenance, operation and use of all public services and public utilities in the harbor district operated in connection with or for the promotion or accommodation of commerce, navigation or fishery therein as are now vested in the or any municipal corporation included in a municipal port district To fix the proper license fees to be paid to the port district by any person, firm or corporation. The amount of such license fees to be paid to the municipal port district shall be fixed by the board of port commissioners by ordinance."

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 15 of the printed bill, strike out all of the lines 3 to 10, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "(12) To fix and determine the location of facilities and industrial or manufacturing plants in the harbor district, *provided, however*, that the location of any facility or manufacturing plant pertaining to the fishing industry or to the manufacture of sea foods or products shall not be fixed or thereafter changed unless the members of the board of port commissioners from the municipal corporation in which such location is fixed or changed shall vote in favor thereof

(13) The board of port commissioners of a municipal port district shall be vested with such other powers, and shall perform such other duties for and on behalf of such district as may be necessary to carry out any of the objects and purposes of this act or to exercise any of the powers of such district, *provided*, that such powers and duties are not in conflict with the express terms of this act

The powers by this section granted to the board of port commissioners to make rules and regulations and enforce the same in the harbor district shall be subject to the power vested by the constitution in any municipal corporation included in a municipal port district to make and enforce police and sanitary regulations within the limits of such municipal corporation"

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 17, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the word "ony" and insert in lieu thereof the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 22 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 30, to wit lines 1 to 46, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"Sec 30 The State of California by the passage of this act, hereby consents that any municipal corporation, included in any municipal port district established under the provisions of this act, to which the State of California has granted all its right, title and interest in and to the tidelands, submerged lands, whether filled or unfilled, swamp, overflowed and salt-marsh lands within the boundaries of such municipal corporation, may grant its right, title and interest in and to the portion of such lands, within the harbor district of such municipal port district to such municipal port district in trust for the same uses and purposes and upon the same conditions that are declared and specified in the grant thereof to such municipal corporation, and may also transfer, relinquish and surrender to such municipal port district its power to manage, conduct and operate the harbor in or adjacent to which such portion of such lands are situated The joining of any such municipal corporation in the establishment of a municipal port district and the establishment thereof shall be deemed to be and shall operate as a valid grant and transfer of its right, title and interest in and to such portion of such lands by any such municipal corporation to such municipal port district, and as a valid surrender thereto of the possession and control thereof, including the right and power to use and improve the same for the purposes and in the manner provided and subject to the public trusts declared in the grant of such lands to such municipal corporation and to the conditions and reservations contained therein, and as a valid transfer, relinquishment and surrender by such municipal corporation to such municipal port district of the management, conduct and operation of the harbor in or adjacent to which such lands are situated. Such municipal port district shall, upon its establishment in accordance with the provisions of this act, be and become the successor of such municipal corporation included therein with respect to the management, conduct and operation of such harbor and with respect to the use, possession and title to such portion of such lands, and the same shall continue to be held and used by such municipal port

district, under the provisions of this act, in trust for the same purposes and subject to the same conditions and reservations as said lands were formerly held and owned by such municipal corporation *provided however* that when any such municipal corporation included in a municipal port district to which such lands have been so granted by the State of California, is governed under a freeholders charter, such grant and transfer of such portion of such lands to such municipal port district, and such surrender of the possession and control thereof, including the right and power to so use and improve such portion of such lands and to manage, conduct and operate such harbor, shall not become operative or effective unless and until the same shall be authorized by the provisions of such charter or amendment thereto, and the title to such lands and the possession and control thereof and the management, conduct and operation of such harbor shall continue vested in such municipal corporation, unimpaired by anything contained in this act, unless and until such municipal corporation shall by the provisions of its charter or amendment thereto grant and surrender the same to such municipal port district. In the event that such municipal port district shall thereafter be dissolved by operation of law or otherwise, any such lands so granted thereto under the provisions of this act, together with any and all improvements thereon, and the management, conduct and operation of such harbor, shall ipso facto revert to and be re-vested in the municipal corporation so granting the same to such municipal port district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On pages 22 and 23 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 31, to wit, lines 47 to 73, both inclusive, on page 22, and lines 1 to 32, both inclusive, on page 23, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC. 31. Whenever a municipal port district shall be established under the provisions of this act, such municipal port district shall be and become the successor of each of the municipal corporations included therein as to all powers theretofore vested in each such municipal corporation or exercisable by the officers thereof which are by the provisions of this act granted to municipal port districts or exercisable by the officers thereof, and such powers shall be deemed and taken to be relinquished by such municipal corporations and surrendered to such municipal port district, and the title to possession and control of any and all works, structures, appliances, improvements and equipment of the character, kinds, or classes enumerated or designated in section thirty-five of this act, owned or held by each of such municipal corporations, or in trust therefor, or by any officer or board thereof, in trust or otherwise, for any use or purpose which municipal port districts are authorized to acquire, hold and use property within the terms and contemplation of this act, shall, upon the establishment of such municipal port district, ipso facto be transferred to and vested in such municipal port district and be thereafter held, owned, operated and controlled by such municipal port district in accordance with the provisions of this act. Upon the establishment of such municipal port district, all persons then occupying the several offices of or under the government of each municipal corporation included therein, except as herein otherwise provided whose several powers and duties are by the terms of the act, within the powers of such municipal port district or within the powers or duties of the several officers thereof, shall immediately quit and surrender the occupancy or possession of such offices which shall thereupon cease and determine, except as to any persons who have powers and perform duties for such municipal corporation other than those hereinbefore mentioned, whose offices shall not cease and determine as to such other powers and duties but shall continue with respect thereto the same as if such municipal port district had not been established, and such persons shall severally forthwith deliver and turn over to the proper officers of such municipal port district all property of each such municipal corporation respectively in their hands or under their control including any and all works, structures, appliances, improvements and equipment of the character, kinds or classes enumerated or designated in section thirty-five of this act and pertaining to harbor improvements or affairs, and all moneys or funds derived from the sale of the bonds of each such municipal corporation issued for the purpose of acquiring, constructing or completing any such works, structures, appliances, improvements or equipment, except such portion thereof as may be necessary to retain in order to pay any amounts due or to become due on any contracts therefor entered into by or on behalf of any such municipal corporation prior to the establishment of such municipal port district, and uncompleted on the date thereof, or for any work then being done directly without contract, and for other costs and expenses arising therefrom or connected therewith, *provided, however*, that the provisions of this section shall not apply or become operative as to any such municipal corporation that is governed under a freeholders charter unless and until the same shall be authorized by the provisions of such charter or amendment thereto and in the event that such municipal port district shall thereafter be dissolved by operation of law or otherwise, any such works, structures, appliances, improvements and equipment shall thereupon revert to and be revested in such municipal corporation, together with any other works, structures, appliances, improvements and equipment acquired or constructed by such municipal port district in that portion of the harbor district within the limits of each such municipal corporation respectively."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 23 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 40 and insert in lieu thereof the following "containing any reservations which".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 24 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 6 and insert in lieu thereof the following "tions and reservations in this act contained, and no franchise, permit or lease shall be granted for a longer period than thirty years

When the lands included in any such lease are situated within the limits of any municipal corporation governed under a freeholders charter, or when any such franchise, permit or other privilege is to be exercised within the limits of any such municipal corporation the charter of which requires the same to be approved by the legislative body thereof before the same shall take effect, any such lease, franchise, permit or other privilege so granted by the board of port commissioners shall continue to be subject to such approval by the legislative body of such municipal corporation and to such terms, conditions, restrictions and reservations as may be required by the charter thereof, unless and until such charter shall otherwise provide.

Every grant of a lease, franchise, permit or other privilege"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN

On page 25, of the printed bill, insert a semicolon immediately after the word "district" at the end of line 31, and strike out all of line 32 and all of line 33 preceding the word "all".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN

On page 25, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "and" at the beginning of said line 38 and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 26, line 36 of the printed bill strike out the word "and" between the words "dollars" and "less" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 27, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "piers," and insert in lieu thereof the following "breakwaters, piers, quays,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 27 of the printed bill, between lines 12 and 13, to wit, between the word "district" at the end of line 12 and before the word "the" at the beginning of line 13, insert the following "or the construction, improvement, dredging, deepening or straightening of channels, turning basins, canals, slips or waterways, or any or all other things necessary or convenient to the establishment, improvement, conduct or maintenance of a harbor or in furtherance of commerce, navigation or fishery,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 29, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "such" and insert in lieu thereof the following "Such municipal port district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On pages 29 and 30 of the printed bill, strike out section 40, to wit: lines 29 to 32, both inclusive, on page 29, and lines 1 and 2 on page 30, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC. 40. Nothing in this act contained shall be construed to affect or impair to any extent or in any manner the power of any municipal corporation included in a municipal port district to incur bonded indebtedness for any work or improvement for which any such municipal corporation is authorized to incur such indebtedness by its charter or otherwise by law, including works or improvements for which a municipal port district is also authorized to incur bonded indebtedness under the provisions of this act. Whenever any such municipal corporation, containing within its boundaries any part of the harbor district of a municipal port district, shall incur a bonded indebtedness for any harbor work or improvement of a kind or character designated or described in section thirty-five of this act, or referred to therein, which is to be acquired, constructed or completed in such part of such harbor district, and shall issue and sell its bonds therefor the proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be paid into the treasury of such municipal port district to the credit of a fund to be designated as the harbor improvement fund of such municipal corporation, and *shall be expended by such municipal port district in accordance with the provisions* of section forty-seven of this act in the performance of the work or for the acquisition, construction or completion of the improvement for which such bonded indebtedness was so incurred, and in the part of the harbor district within the boundaries of such municipal corporation *provided, however*, that any such work or improvement shall be done acquired, constructed or completed in accordance with plans and specifications and be of a character approved by the board of port commissioners, and be located in accordance with the plan and system of harbor improvements established by such board, *and provided, further*, that upon the completion thereof, such work or improvement shall be thereafter held, controlled, operated and maintained by the municipal port district in all respects the same as other works or improvements

acquired or constructed by the municipal port district under the provisions of this act. It shall be competent for any such municipal corporation to issue and sell its bonds, and to turn over the proceeds of the sale thereof to a municipal port district to be expended as in this section provided, and the same shall not impair the validity of such bonds, which shall be and remain binding obligations of the municipal corporation so issuing such bonds."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 30 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 21, 22 and 23, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the municipal port district, and also".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 31 of the printed bill, strike out line 15 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 42. In the event that a municipal port district is governed by a board of port commissioners, the members of which are elected by the electors of such district, or by the electors of the several municipal corporations included therein, taxes for the purpose of carrying out the powers and paying the obligations of such municipal port district shall be levied and collected in the manner provided in this section and in section forty-three of this act, and not otherwise. The board of port commissioners shall, at the"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 31 of the printed bill, strike out the word "such" at the end of line 18 and the word "bonds" at the beginning of line 19 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "All municipal port district bonds issued under the provisions of this act".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 31, line 27, insert the word "such" between the words "of" and "bonds".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 31 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 40 to 44, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ness thereof during the year for which such tax is levied, *provided, however*, that such tax so levied for any one year for municipal port district purposes, other than for payments on principal and interest on municipal port district bonds and for a sinking fund as hereinbefore provided, shall not exceed one cent on".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 32 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 38, 39 and 40, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "enter in the assessment book or books the respective sums in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 32 of the printed bill, immediately following line 51, at the bottom thereof, insert the following:

"SEC. 43*a*. In the event that a municipal port district is governed by a board of port commissioners, the members of which are selected in any other manner than by election by the electors of such district or by the electors of the several municipal corporations included therein, taxes for the purpose of carrying out the powers and paying the obligations of such municipal port district shall be levied and collected in the manner provided in this section and not otherwise. The board of port commissioners shall annually, at least fifteen days before the first day of the month in which the board of supervisors of the county in which such municipal port district is situated is required by law to levy the amount of taxes required by law for county purposes, furnish to the said board of supervisors a written statement, signed by not less than four-fifths of the members of such board of port commissioners of the amount necessary to pay the interest on the bonded indebtedness of such municipal port district for that year, and such portion of the principal thereof as shall become due before the time for making the next general tax levy of such county, together with such amount as shall be sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity. If, from any cause, the revenues of such district shall be inadequate to provide the funds otherwise needed to carry out the objects and purposes of the district or to conduct the business thereof which can not be provided for out of the revenues of the district, the board of port commissioners may also include in such statement a statement of the amount so otherwise necessary to carry out the objects and purposes of the district or to conduct the business thereof for such year. The board of supervisors of such county must, at the time, and in the manner of levying county taxes, levy and cause to be collected a tax upon the taxable property in such municipal port district, based upon the last equalized assessment roll of said county, sufficient to pay the interest on such bonds for that year and such portion of the principal thereof as shall become due before the time of making the next general tax levy of said county and sufficient to provide the funds otherwise needed to carry out the objects and purposes of the municipal

port district for such year *provided, however*, that if the maturity of the indebtedness created by the issue of such bonds be made to run more than one year after the date of the issuance of such bonds, such taxes shall be so levied and collected at the time and in the manner aforesaid, annually each year, sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity *and provided, further*, that such tax so levied for any one year for municipal port district purposes, other than for payments for principal and interest on municipal port district bonds and for such sinking fund, shall not exceed one cent on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in such district. Such tax shall be levied and collected at the same time and in the same manner as the general tax levy for the county, and when collected, the net amount, ascertained as hereinafter provided, shall be paid to the treasurer of the municipal port district under the same requirements and penalties provided by law for the settlement of other taxes."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 33 of the printed bill, strike out line 1, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 43*b*. The county auditor and county treasurer of any county affected by the pro-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 33, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "election" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "but no precinct shall be established in such manner that its exterior limits cross the exterior boundaries of any municipal corporation included in such municipal port district."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 36, line 16, of the printed bill, insert the word "shall" between the words "or" and "thereafter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 36 of the printed bill, strike out section 47, to wit, all of lines 34 to 52, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 47. Whenever, upon the establishment of a municipal port district, any municipal corporation included therein shall have theretofore authorized or incurred a bonded indebtedness for any work or improvement for which such municipal port district is authorized to incur bonded indebtedness under the provisions of this act, and such municipal corporation shall thereafter sell such bonds or any portion thereof, the proceeds of the sale thereof, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, shall be paid by the custodian of such proceeds into the treasury of such municipal port district to the credit of the harbor improvement fund to be designated as the harbor improvement fund of such municipal corporation, and the same shall be applied by the board of port commissioners of such port district exclusively, in accordance with the provisions of this act, to the purposes and objects for which such bonds were authorized by the municipal corporation issuing the same, and in that part of the harbor district within the limits of such municipal corporation. In the event that any such bonds shall have been sold prior to the establishment of such municipal port district, any contract for any work or improvement or any proceedings for the acquisition of any property, to be paid for out of the proceeds thereof, remaining uncompleted at the time of such establishment, or any work or improvement then under construction directly by any such municipal corporation without contract, shall be completed by such municipal corporation, notwithstanding any other of the provisions of this act, and it shall retain such portion of the proceeds of the sale of such bonds as may be necessary for that purpose. Any surplus of the proceeds of such bonds not so required for any of said purposes, shall be paid into the treasury of the municipal port district, to be expended as in this act provided, but in that part of the harbor district within the limits of such municipal corporation. No act done or performed in accordance with the provisions of this section shall affect or impair in any manner the validity of any bonds mentioned herein.

If such municipal port district shall consist of two municipal corporations, the proceeds of the sale of the bonds mentioned in this section and in section forty of this act, except such portion thereof as may be retained by the municipal corporation authorizing such bonds for payments for works or improvements or in proceedings for the acquisition of property in course of acquisition or construction and uncompleted at the time of the establishment of such district as hereinbefore in this section provided, shall be expended under the supervision and direction of the members of the board of port commissioners elected or appointed from each such municipal corporation respectively, who shall constitute a committee of the board for that purpose. All contracts for the acquisition, construction or completion of any work or improvement for which such bonds were authorized, or for furnishing labor or materials thereof, and all proceedings for doing any such work directly without contract, or for the acquisition of any property necessary for any such work or improvement, shall be let or authorized, as the case

may be, by the aforesaid committee, consisting of the members of the board so elected or appointed from each such municipal corporation respectively, who shall, in all matters pertaining thereto, have and be vested with all the powers and perform all the duties of the board of port commissioners with respect to the letting of contracts and the doing of work for the municipal port district as provided in sections forty-eight and forty-nine of this act and with respect to action on claims and demands therefor, as provided in section fifty-three of this act. In case such committee consists of two members of the board, and they are unable to agree in any matter, the three other members of the board shall designate one of their number to act as a third member of such committee as to such matter, which shall be decided by a majority vote of such committee.

In the event that such municipal port district shall consist of more than two municipal corporations, the proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be expended by the board of port commissioners in the same manner as in the case of the proceeds of bonds issued by the municipal port district under the provisions of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 41, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "53" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "55".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 18 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 9 and 10, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "mitted or authorized by the charter of any municipal corporation included in a municipal port district or otherwise by law, appoint".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 19, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the period immediately after the word 'publication' and insert in lieu thereof the following: 'or posting'."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 19, line 48, of the printed bill, strike out the period immediately after the word "publication", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or posting".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX.

On page 22, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the comma immediately after the word "lands", and insert in lieu thereof the word "situated".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 32 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 and 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 41. In the event that a municipal port district is governed by a board of port commissioners, the members of which are elected by the electors of such district, or by the electors of the several municipal corporations included therein, the general manager of such municipal port district shall, on or before the first day of May of each year, submit".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 33, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "forty-three" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "forty-three c".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 34 of the printed bill, between lines 11 and 12, to wit: after the word "provided", in line 11, and before the word "Sec." in line 12, insert the following:

"*Sec. 43. In the event that a municipal port district is governed by a board of port commissioners the members of which are selected in any other manner than by election by the electors of such district or by the electors of the several municipal corporations included therein, taxes for the purpose of carrying out the objects and purposes of such municipal port district and paying the bonded indebtedness of such district and interest thereon shall be levied by a municipal port district tax commission and be collected in the manner hereinafter provided, and the procedure therefor shall be in accordance with the provisions of this section and of sections forty-three a,* forty-three *b* and forty-three *c* of this act.

Upon the establishment of a municipal port district and annually thereafter, when the same consists of two municipal corporations, three members of the legislative body of the larger municipal corporation and two members of the legislative body of the smaller municipal corporation shall be selected by the legislative bodies of each such municipal corporation respectively, who shall constitute *the tax commission of such municipal port district. If such municipal port district* consists of three municipal corporations, such tax commission shall consist of five members, two of whom shall be so selected by and from each of the legislative bodies of the two largest municipal corporations respectively and one so selected by and from the legislative body of the smallest municipal corporation; if such municipal port district consists of four municipal corporations, such tax commission shall consist of five members, two of whom shall be so selected by and from *the legislative body of the largest municipal corporation, and one each by*

and from the legislative bodies of each of the other municipal corporations. If such municipal port district consists of five municipal corporations, such tax commission shall consist of five members one of whom shall be so selected by and from the legislative body of each such municipal corporation and if such municipal port district shall consist of more than five municipal corporations, such tax commission shall consist of one member so selected by and from the legislative body of each such municipal corporation respectively The members of such tax commission shall serve for one year and a vacancy occurs in the office of any member of such tax commission whenever a vacancy occurs in his office as a member of the legislative body of the municipal corporation from which he was appointed If a vacancy occurs in the office of any member of such tax commission, the same shall be filled in like manner as such office was filled in the first instance

The meetings of such tax commission shall be held in the office of the board of port commissioners The clerk of the municipal port district shall be ex officio secretary of such tax commission, who shall keep a record of its proceedings, and enter the same in a book to be kept for that purpose The members of such tax commission shall choose from its members a chairman, and shall provide a time for holding its meetings, and the manner in which special meetings may be called and held. All sessions of the tax commission whether regular or special, shall be open to the public, and a majority of the tax commissioners shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The enacting clause of all ordinances passed by the tax commission shall be substantially in the following form "The tax commission of the _____ (stating name) municipal port district do ordain as follows" All ordinances of the tax commission shall be signed by the chairman and attested by the secretary, and shall be published or posted in like manner as ordinances of the port commissioners, and shall take effect upon their publication or posting.

Sec 43*a*. On or before the first day of May of each year, the general manager of a municipal port district shall submit to the tax commission thereof a detailed statement of the money required for the next ensuing fiscal year for the purpose of conducting the business of the district Such estimate shall be so classified as to show the expenses of the objects and services which it is estimated will be required to carry on the work of the district and of the several offices thereof, or of the departments into which the work and functions of the district may be divided by the board of port commissioners With such estimate there shall be submitted such summary, schedules and data as may be required by the tax commission.

On or before the first day of May of each year, the auditor of the port district shall submit to the tax commission thereof a detailed statement of the money which he estimates will be required for the interest and sinking fund of all outstanding bond indebtedness and other lawful obligations of the municipal port district, and also a statement of the revenues to be derived from licenses, franchises, rentals, tolls and all other sources, exclusive of taxes on property

The tax commission shall immediately proceed to the consideration of the estimates submitted by the general manager and auditor Before adopting such estimates, the tax commission shall fix the time and place for holding a public hearing thereon which shall be designated as the proposed budget, and shall give public notice thereof. The tax commission may, by a four-fifths vote of all its members increase, decrease or omit any item therefrom, or insert new items therein The budget as adopted by a four-fifths vote of the tax commission shall be signed by the chairman of the tax commission and the secretary, and the several items thereof shall thereafter be deemed appropriated for the ensuing fiscal year and to the several offices and departments of the business of the district therein specified Such budget shall be printed with a reasonable number of copies for public distribution

Such budget shall contain an item to be known as the "unappropriated balance," which sum shall be available for appropriation later in the ensuing fiscal year to meet contingencies as they may arise, and shall also contain an item to be known as the "reserve fund," which shall be carried over to the next ensuing fiscal year following the fiscal year for which the budget is prepared, to meet the cash requirements of the district, if any such there be, for the portion of such next ensuing fiscal year, prior to receipt of taxes thereof, or for appropriations to the unappropriated balance fund as herein provided

Section 43*b*. The municipal port district tax commission shall at the time of fixing the general tax levy for county purposes by the board of supervisors of the county in which such municipal port district is situated, levy annually each year, until all municipal port district bonds are paid, or until there shall be a sum in the treasury of such municipal port district set apart for the purpose to meet all sums coming due for principal and interest on such bonds, a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds on all taxable property in such municipal port district and also such part of the principal thereof as shall become due before the time of fixing the next general tax levy for county purposes *provided, however* that if the maturity of the indebtedness created by the issue of bonds be made to run more than one year after the date of the issuance of such bonds such taxes shall be levied and collected at the time and in the manner aforesaid annually each year sufficient to pay the

interest on such indebtedness as it falls due and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity. And if from any cause the revenues of the district shall be inadequate to provide the funds otherwise needed to carry out the objects and purposes of the district or to conduct the business thereof which can not be provided for out of the revenues of the district, such tax levy shall also include such amount of money as may be necessary to carry out the objects and purposes of the district and to carry on the business thereof; *provided, however*, that such tax so levied for any one year for municipal port district purposes, other than payments on municipal port district bonds as in the act provided, shall not exceed one cent on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in such district, and the ordinance levying such tax shall be adopted by a four-fifths vote of the members of the port district tax commission. The port district tax commission shall state the purposes for which such taxes are required, and must fix by ordinance so adopted the amount of money necessary to be so raised by taxation."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 34, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "43" and insert in lieu thereof the following "43c"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 34, line 20, of the printed bill, between the words "Commissioners" and "a" insert the following ", or to the tax commission of the municipal port district as the case may be,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 34, line 25, of the printed bill, between the words "Commissioners" and "shall" insert the following "or such tax commission"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE.

On page 34 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 31 to 40, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following "missioners or to such tax commission by such county auditor, as hereinbefore provided, which rate of taxation shall be sufficient to raise the amount previously fixed by the board of port commissioners or by the said tax commission, as hereinbefore provided, which acts by said board or tax commission, as the case may be, are declared to be a valid assessment of such property and a valid levy of such taxes so fixed. The board of port commissioners or tax commission must immediately thereafter transmit to such county auditor of such county a statement of such rate so fixed by the board of port commissioners or by the said tax commission, as the case may be. The said county auditor must then compute and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR

Strike out all of section 43*a* of the printed bill, to wit, all of lines 1 to 52, both inclusive, on page 35, and all of lines 1 to 7, both inclusive, on page 36, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"Sec. 43*d*. Transfers from the "reserve fund" to the "unappropriated balance" may be made subsequent to the adoption of the budget, upon recommendation of the general manager, approved by the board of port commissioners.

The general manager may make application in writing to the board for a transfer of amounts from one appropriated item to another in the budget allowance. On the approval of the board by a four-fifths vote, the auditor shall make such transfer; but no transfer shall be made except as herein provided, and no transfer shall be made from one bond improvement fund to another in any event."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 36, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the figures "43*b*" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "43*e*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 36, line 32, of the printed bill, immediately before the word "Whenever" at the beginning of said line 32, insert the following

"Sec. 43*f*."

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 392 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 573—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 573?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 6, of the amended bill, after the word "districts" insert the following: "fifteen, sixteen, seventeen,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 10, of the amended bill, after the word "districts" insert the following: "fifteen, sixteen, seventeen,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 12, of the amended bill, following the comma, insert the following: "or who takes, catches or kills more than twenty abalones in any calendar week.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 12, of the amended bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided*, that the daily or weekly limits herein provided for fish and game districts fifteen, sixteen and seventeen shall not apply to abalones brought in by boats were not caught or taken in fish and game districts fifteen, sixteen or seventeen."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 13, of the amended bill, strike out the comma after the word "ten" and strike out the words "fifteen, six-" and strike out all of line 14, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and eighteen.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 16, of the amended bill after the word "tide" and before the comma, insert the word "line".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 26, of the amended bill, strike out the word "hereinafter".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 18, of the amended bill, after the comma which follows the word "fourteen", insert the following: "fifteen, sixteen, seventeen,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 573 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH

At ten o'clock a. m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Jacobson.

The roll of absentees was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 538 by the following vote:

AYES—Croter—1.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell,

Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of ten o'clock a.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration

Senate Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 10½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the practice of optometry.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION

Messrs Seofield, Cloudman, Duval, Dodge and Pierce demanded the previous question

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 201 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noves, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Seofield, Sewell, Smith, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge and Wright, S. V.—57.

NOES—Adams, Crofer, Duval, Easley, Fry, Jacobson, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Schmidt, Spalding, Spence, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—17.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION

Mr. Levey gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 201 was this day passed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 270—An act to provide for the sale of the sovereign lands of the State of California, lying within the United States meander lines of Clear Lake, Lake County, that are susceptible of reclamation.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McPherson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1925, after the comma following the word "County" add the following: "in the south half of the south half of section twenty-nine, township fifteen north, range nine west, Mount Diablo base and meridian,"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended March 23, 1925, strike out the word "should" and strike out all of lines 11 to 15 inclusive.

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McPherson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 270, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

McPHERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted
Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr Little, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 484 and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 39 were made special orders for today at two o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Weller, the consideration of Senate Bill No. 326 was made a special order for today at one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Weller, the consideration of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 was made a special order for today at three o'clock p.m.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Adams the consideration of Senate Bill No. 602 was made a special order for today at four o'clock p.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 950—An act to amend section 4244 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifteenth class.

Consideration of Governor's veto

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Browne, Coombs, and Murray—3.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—52.

Assembly Bill No. 375—An act to amend section 19*x*15 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to salaries of probation officers in counties of the fifteenth class.

Consideration of Governor's veto

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Browne, Coombs, and Murray—3

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson R. J., Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley,

Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 23—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V thereof, relating to the compensation of executive officers.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 23 read.

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 23.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 23 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivа, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—59.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Deuel, Heisinger, and Mr. Speaker—9

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 23 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 23.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V thereof, relating to the compensation of executive officers.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its forty-sixth regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 19 of article V of the constitution be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19. The Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Controller, Treasurer, Attorney General, Surveyor General and Superintendent of Public Instruction shall, at stated times during their continuance in office, receive for their services a compensation which shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which they shall have been elected, which compensation is hereby fixed for the following officers, as follows: Governor, $10,000 per annum; Lieutenant Governor, $4,000 per annum, the Secretary of State, Controller, Treasurer, and Surveyor General, $7,000 each per annum, the Attorney General and the Superintendent of Public Instruction, $8,000 each per annum, such compensation to be in full for all services by them respectively rendered in any official capacity or employment whatsoever during their respective terms of office, *provided, however*, that the Legislature may, by law, diminish the compensation of any or all of such officers, but in no case shall have the power to increase the same above the sums hereby fixed by this constitution. The Legislature may, in its discretion, abolish the office of Surveyor General, and none of the officers hereinbefore named shall receive for their own use any fees or perquisites for the performance of any official duty.

Senate Bill No. 787—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses; regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof; prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled; and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act."

approved June 7, 1915, as amended, and to add two new sections thereto to be numbered 3*a* and 3*b* respectively, relating to licenses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Senate Bill No. 787 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 754—An act to amend sections 17, 23, 30 and 32 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, relating to dwellings and areas of courts and window area and height of rooms.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 754 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Badham, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—43.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Hawes, Heisinger, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Murphy, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—24.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 422 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—Brock—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 2 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill puts the county highway from Madera to the Yosemite Valley into the State highway system. Many cities, towns and hamlets between Fresno and Stockton appear to be ambitious to be connected with the Yosemite Valley by State highway routes, built and maintained by State funds. Each thinks it can furnish the best route. The people of California have by their vote approved the route from Merced via Mariposa, Briceburg and El Portal into the Yosemite Valley. This is the most direct and logical route. It is convenient for travelers from both north and south of Merced. It will require a great sum of money to complete this road. Until it is completed it would be folly to divert any money to other routes. The State has no money at this time to spend on the Madera route, so it is better for it to remain in the county system, where it can receive aid, rather than to be put into the State system where it can get no aid.

At the present time there are several hundred miles of highway in the State system which should never have been unloaded upon the State. To eliminate these roads is important. To add roads such as the Madera road to the system now is the height of folly. An attempt was made in 1923 to put this road in the system but was defeated in committee, when the policy of the State was known. This bill has been shoved through regardless of the warnings in my message, the protests of the Highway Commission and the illogic of it at this time. Some time in the future when the Merced-Briceburg road is completed it may be feasible to take over the Madera road. I fully realize that it would be to my political advantage in Madera County to sign this bill, but I refuse to allow the State highway system to become the football of politics.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Eksward moved that the Journals of Wednesday, April 1, 1925; Thursday, April 2, 1925; Friday, April 3, 1925; Monday, April 6, 1925; Tuesday, April 7, 1925; Wednesday, April 8, 1925; Thursday, April 9, 1925; Friday, April 10, 1925; Monday, April 13, 1925; Tuesday, April 14, 1925; Wednesday, April 15, 1925; Thursday, April 16, 1925; Friday, April 17, 1925, Saturday, April 18, 1925, and Monday, April 20, 1925, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

RECESS

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p. m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p. m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to the creation of a commission for the purpose of making a thorough, exhaustive study into the narcotic situation in California and recommending measures for the care and rehabilitation of narcotic

addicts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted as amended.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
NOYES.
MILLER, J. A.
LEVEY.

The above reported concurrent resolution ordered on file for adoption.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 575—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Senate Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the Chief Justice and of each of the associate justices of the Supreme Court,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior courts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended, and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No 698—An act to amend section 2552 of the Political Code—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 38—An act to amend section 452 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended

LYONS, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No 404—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 467*a*, to the Civil Code of the State of California, providing for and authorizing the construction of additional tracks by railroad corporations—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass as amended.

SMITH, Chairman

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 71 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define the powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their

officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities then officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

SMITH, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON FISH AND GAME

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No 403—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith' approved May 15, 1915," approved May 28, 1917, relating to the boundaries of fish and game district 4 'B",

Also Senate Bill No 522—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game,

Also Senate Bill No 504—An act to amend section 626*f*, of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game

Also Senate Bill No 156—An act to regulate the use of purse seines, purse nets, drag nets, lampara nets or round haul nets in fish and game districts 19, 20 "A" and 21, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof;

Also Senate Bill No. 652—An act to amend section 626*e* of the Penal Code of the State of California relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Senate Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 628*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Senate Bill No 641—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Senate Bill No 651—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also Senate Bill No. 639—An act to amend section 628*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 250—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste, to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canners or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform, to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers or fresh fish dealers; to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes, and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended;

Also; Senate Bill No 82—An act to repeal section 32 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended;

Also Senate Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also Senate Bill No. 647—An act to empower the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to license those engaged in catching or marketing fish, and to provide penalties for violation of this act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended.

CLEVELAND, Chairman

The above bills ordered on file for second reading.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 616—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass and be re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 350—An act providing for the management of irrigation districts that are in arrears as to bond interest or principal—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

MIXTER, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend sections 4, 7, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 18, relating to delinquencies, penalties for delinquencies, and refunds in payment over assessment on gasoline, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this act —has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass as amended.

COOMBS, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 571—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act.'" approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 2½—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

COOMBS, Vice Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway and providing for the construction of the same—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-second day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock and fifteen minutes a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 698—An act to amend section 2552 of the Political Code.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 38—An act to amend section 452 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 22, of the printed bill, after the comma after the word "checks", strike out the balance of the line and strike out on same page, all of lines 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and such warrants shall be returned to the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall deliver daily to the state controller all cancelled warrants and all other evidence of disbursements by him made that day, taking the controller's receipt therefor. The controller shall preserve all such warrants and other evidences of payment so delivered to him by the treasurer."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out all of this line and all of lines 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "8. To report to the controller on or before the tenth day of each month, the amounts disbursed during the preceding month, the fund out of which said disbursements were paid and all cash on hand to the credit of each fund."

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 404—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 467*a*, to the Civil Code of the State of California, providing for and authorizing the construction of additional tracks by railroad corporations.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, add the following after the period: "Nor shall anything herein contained be deemed to supersede or repeal any law requiring railroads to obtain franchises from the cities or counties through which such additional tracks may pass."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 71 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define the powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'railroad commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California

into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts" approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith' approved May 15, 1915," approved May 28, 1917, relating to the boundaries of fish and game district 4 "B."

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 626*f*, of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 156—An act to regulate the use of purse seines, purse nets, drag nets, lampara nets or round haul nets in (fish and game districts 19, 20A and 21), and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 652—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 628*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 641—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 639—An act to amend section 628*c* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No 250—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste, to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canners or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform; to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers or fresh fish dealers; to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes, and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 33 to 37, both lines inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC 4. (a) Reduction plant—where used in this act, applies to any plant engaged in the reduction of fish into products which are not intended to be used, and are not, in fact, used for human consumption Any plant where fish are put through a reduction or extraction process shall be deemed to be a reduction plant, and shall be subject to all provisions and limitations of this act, unless a permit shall have been obtained as in this act provided."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3 of the printed bill, at the end of line 38 and before the comma, insert the following "and reduction plants".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, in line 45, after the comma, following the word "corporation", insert the following: "except packers as above specified.".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 82—An act to repeal section 32 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed amended bill, strike out the words "amended to read as follows:" and insert in lieu thereof the words "is hereby repealed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed amended bill, strike out all of line 9

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, strike out the word 'district" and insert in lieu thereof the following "districts eleven, twelve and"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 28.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 7, inclusive

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out that portion of line 8 preceding the word "provided".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the words "five "A" " and the comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 31, of the printed bill, strike out the words "five "A" " and the comma.

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 647—An act to empower the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to license those engaged in catching or marketing fish; and to provide penalties for violation of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 16, in line 3 of the title, strike out the word "catching" and insert in lieu thereof the word "selling".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 1 to 10, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SECTION 1 Every person, other than market fishermen, engaged in the business of buying and selling fish for consumption in its fresh condition by wholesale or retail, except mollusks and crustaceans, shall pay to the state fish and game commission an annual license fee as follows ".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the words "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the words "one hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 350—An act providing for the management of irrigation districts that are in arrears as to bond interest or principal.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate February 27, 1925, in line 7, strike out the words "one year" and insert in lieu thereof the words "three years"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate February 27, 1925, in lines 9, 10, 11, and 12, strike out the words "or when the owners of one-half or more of

lands in such district shall for at least one year have failed to pay any assessments levied thereon with penalties, interest, and costs,".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend sections 4, 7, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 18, relating to delinquencies, penalties for delinquencies, and refunds in payment over assessment on gasoline, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "thereafter" insert the words "Said tax shall be a lien upon all the property of the distributor. It shall attach at the time of the delivery or distribution, subject to the tax, shall have the effect of an execution duly levied against all property of the distributor, and shall remain until the tax is paid or the property sold for the payment thereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 11, of the printed bill, after the word "consumer" insert the following "for the transportation of rural free delivery mails or for uses".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 28, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "act" insert the following.

"SEC. 5. Section fourteen of said act approved May 30, 1923 is hereby amended to read as follows

Sec. 14. Any person, firm, association or corporation or any officer or agent thereof failing to pay the tax as herein provided, or violating any of the other provisions of this act, or unlawfully making any false statement, or concealing any material fact in any record, report, affidavit or claim provided for herein, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, unless such act is by any other law of this state declared to be a felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars nor more than five thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

The state board of equalization shall have power to revoke the license of any distributor refusing or neglecting to comply with the provisions of this act"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 571—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the Laws of the Session of the

Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,'" approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 2½.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to the creation of a commission for the purpose of making a thorough, exhaustive study into the narcotic situation in California and recommending measures for the care and rehabilitation of narcotic addicts.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 read.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During reading of the resolution, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed resolution, in line 2 of the title, strike out the word "commission" and, in lieu thereof, insert the words "joint committee of the senate and assembly".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed resolution, beginning with the words "a commission" in line 9, strike out all down to and including the word "commission" in line 24, and, in lieu thereof, insert the following: "there is hereby created a joint committee of the senate and assembly, to consist of one member of the senate to be appointed by the president of the senate and one member of the assembly to be appointed by the speaker of the assembly, whose duty it shall be to make a thorough and exhaustive study of the use of narcotic drugs in the State of California, and to report their findings and recommendations to the governor not later than the first day of December, A. D. 1926, in order that he may submit the same, together with such comment thereon as he may deem appropriate, to the legislature at its next ensuing session. To this end, the joint committee hereby created is hereby authorized and empowered to call to its assistance such of the superintendents of state hospitals or other medical experts employed in the service of the state as the governor may designate and request to act in such capacity, and also such officers and employees of the government of the United States, having special knowledge of the subject matter hereof, as the heads of departments of the federal government may, upon the invitation of the governor, delegate to cooperate with and assist such committee in the performance of the duties hereby imposed upon it.

The members of said committee, and the state and federal officers and employees appointed or delegated to assist it, shall receive no compensation for such services, other than their official salaries, but shall be reimbursed for their actual expenses necessarily incurred hereunder, not exceeding the amount hereinafter specified. Such committee is hereby authorized to employ a competent stenographer to assist in the preparation and transcription of its report, at a salary not over one hundred fifty dollars per month for the time actually employed. The expenses incurred by such committee under the authority hereof shall be payable out of the moneys heretofore or hereafter appropriated for the contingent expenses of the senate and assembly at this session of the legislature, payable one-half from the contingent fund of the senate and one-half from the contingent fund of the assembly, but not exceeding the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars in all, which sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, so composed, is hereby set apart, reserved and appropriated out of said respective contingent funds for the purposes aforesaid, to be disbursed, from time to time, upon controller's warrants to be drawn against said contingent funds, upon the written orders of the chairman of such joint committee. And be it further

Resolved, That the governor be, and he hereby is, requested to designate and appoint one or more superintendents of state hospitals, and such other medical experts employed in the service of the state as he may deem to be specially skilled in the care and treatment of narcotic addicts, to cooperate with and assist such joint committee in the performance of the duties hereby enjoined; also, that the governor be and hereby is requested to forward certified copies of this resolution to the attorney general of the United States and to the secretary of the treasury, inviting the aid and cooperation of their respective departments in the performance of such duties."

Amendments adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 ordered to reprint, and on file for adoption.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Senate Bill No. 348 the following Senators: Hurley, Baker, and Murphy, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class—and appointed Senators Evans, Lewis, and Allen, as a Committee on Conference to meet a like committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Foster, Anderson, D. P., and Nielsen as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 538.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not accurately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and provided penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to certificates and permits to work issued to pupils in full-time day schools—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Hurley, Baker, and Murphy, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Senate do concur in the Assembly amendment, and that the said bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, section 1, line 7, strike out the word "accurately" and insert in lieu thereof the word "adequately".

BROCK,
WRIGHT, S. V.,
NOYES,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mortison, Olivа, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Semple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys,

courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grade of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent said assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to completion of work by city.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Davis moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in Senate April 10, 1925, strike out the word "said" and insert in lieu thereof the word "certain"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 10, 1925, strike out the word "said" and insert in lieu thereof the word "certain"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr Davis as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 671, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DAVIS, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Davis moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 15, 1925, strike out the comma following the word "municipalities".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1 line 7, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 15, 1925, strike out the comma following the word "municipalities".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Davis as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 672, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

DAVIS, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Williamson waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 264 was refused passage.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour having arrived, the special order heretofore set was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT.

Senate Bill No. 178—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by officers of counties, providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Eksward, Schmidt, Noyes, Louttit and Cloudman demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 178 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Hawes, Heisinger, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, F. M.—32

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crotet, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—43

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Jones gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 178 was this day refused passage.

Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Weller moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 5 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 21, 1925, strike out all of lines 7 to 32, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof, the following

17 All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco described as follows Commencing at the point of intersection of Fulton and Stanyan streets, continuing thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit Stanyan street to Frederick street, Frederick street to Buena Vista avenue, Buena Vista avenue to Java street, Java street to Masonic avenue, Masonic avenue to Piedmont street, Piedmont street to Ashbury street, Ashbury street to Clayton street, Clayton street to Twin Peaks boulevard, Twin Peaks boulevard to Burnett avenue, Burnett avenue to Fenton alley, Fenton alley to Portola drive, Portola drive to Twenty-fourth street, Twenty-fourth street to Mission street, Mission street to Twenty-sixth street, Twenty-sixth street to Valencia street, Valencia street to Mission street, Mission street to Silver avenue, Silver avenue to Lisbon street, Lisbon street to Brazil avenue, Brazil avenue to Vienna street, Vienna street to Russia avenue, Russia avenue to Madrid street, Madrid street to Italy avenue, Italy avenue to Mission street, Mission street to Rolph avenue, Rolph avenue to Morse street, Morse street to Guttenberg street, Guttenberg street to the boundary line dividing the city and county of San Francisco and the county of San Mateo; thence along said boundary line westerly to the waters of the Pacific ocean thence along the shore line of said ocean northerly to Fulton street, thence along the center line of Fulton street to Stanyan street, the place of beginning, shall constitute the seventeenth senatorial district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 5 of the printed bill as amended in the Assembly on April 21, 1925, strike out all of lines 33 to 45, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

18 All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco described as follows Commencing at the point of intersection of Fulton street and Fourteenth avenue, continuing thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit Fulton street to Masonic avenue, Masonic avenue to McAllister street McAllister street to Hyde street, Hyde street to Market street, Market street to Jones street, Jones street to Pine street, Pine street to Leavenworth street, Leavenworth street to Broadway street, Broadway street to Jones street, Jones street to the waters of the bay of San Francisco, thence along the shore line of said bay to Van Ness avenue, thence along the center line of Van Ness avenue to Pine street, Pine street to Presidio avenue, Presidio avenue to California street, California street to Parker avenue, Parker avenue to Geary street, Geary street to Seventh avenue, Seventh avenue to Anza street, Anza street to Fourteenth avenue, Fourteenth avenue to Fulton street, the point of beginning, shall constitute the eighteenth senatorial district

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5 of the printed bill as amended in the Assembly on April 21, 1925, strike out all of lines 46 to 52 inclusive, and on page 6, lines 1 to 13 inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following.

19 All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco described as follows Commencing at the point of intersection of Stanyan and Fulton streets, continuing thence along the center line of the following named streets, to wit Stanyan street to Frederick street, Frederick street to Buena Vista avenue, Buena Vista avenue to Java street Java street to Masonic avenue, Masonic avenue to Piedmont street, Piedmont street to Ashbury street, Ashbury street to Clayton street, Clayton street to Twin Peaks boulevard, Twin Peaks boulevard to Burnett avenue, Burnett avenue to Iron alley, Iron alley to Caselli avenue, Caselli avenue to Douglas street, Douglas street to Eighteenth street, Eighteenth street to Diamond street, Diamond street to Seventeenth street, Seventeenth street to Noe street, Noe street to Sixteenth street, Sixteenth street to Sanchez street, Sanchez street to Fifteenth street, Fifteenth street to Harrison street Harrison street to Fifteenth street, Fifteenth street to Bryant avenue, Bryant avenue to Twentieth street, Twentieth street to the waters of the bay of San Francisco, thence northerly and westerly along the shore line of said bay to Jones street, Jones street to Broadway street, Broadway street to Leavenworth street, Leavenworth street to Pine street, Pine street to Jones street, Jones street to Market street, Market street to Hyde street, Hyde street to

McAllister street, McAllister street to Masonic avenue, Masonic avenue to Fulton street, Fulton street to Stanyan street, the place of beginning, shall constitute the nineteenth senatorial district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 21, 1925, strike out all of lines 16 to 37, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

21. All that portion of the city and county of San Francisco bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of Burnett avenue and Iron alley, continuing along the center line of the following named streets, to wit: Burnett avenue to Fenton alley, Fenton alley to Portola drive, Portola drive to Twenty-fourth street, Twenty-fourth street to Mission street, Mission street to Twenty-sixth street, Twenty-sixth street to Valencia street, Valencia street to Mission street, Mission street to Silver avenue, Silver avenue to Lisbon street, Lisbon street to Brazil avenue, Brazil avenue to Vienna street, Vienna street to Russia avenue, Russia avenue to Madrid street, Madrid street to Italy avenue, Italy avenue to Mission street, Mission street to Rolph avenue, Rolph avenue to Morse street, Morse street to Guttenberg street, Guttenberg street to the boundary line dividing the city and county of San Francisco and the county of San Mateo, thence along said boundary line easterly to the waters of the bay of San Francisco, thence along the shore line of said bay northerly to Twentieth street, Twentieth street to Bryant avenue, Bryant avenue to Fifteenth street, Fifteenth street to Harrison street, Harrison street to Fifteenth street, Fifteenth street to Sanchez street, Sanchez street to Sixteenth street, Sixteenth street to Noe street, Noe street to Seventeenth street, Seventeenth street to Diamond street, Diamond street to Eighteenth street, Eighteenth street to Douglas street, Douglas street to Caselli avenue, Caselli avenue to Iron alley, Iron alley to Burnett avenue, the point of beginning, shall constitute the twenty-first senatorial district.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 25 of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 21, 1925, following line 40, insert the following:

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect only upon the adoption by the electors of the state of an amendment to the constitution of the state amending section six of article four to read as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 25, line 41, of the printed bill, as amended April 21, 1925, strike out the figure "4", and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 20, line 8, of the amended printed bill, before the word "shall", insert the following: "and all other precincts not included in any adjacent assembly district"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Weller as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 326, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

WELLER, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour having arrived, the special order heretofore set was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-FOUR.

Senate Bill No. 484—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State buildings and State university buildings bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the completion and equipment of State buildings at Sacramento and the construction and equipment of a State building at Los Angeles, to create and provide for a fund for the construction and equipment of

a building or buildings for the University of California at Berkeley and a building or buildings for the University of California at Los Angeles, authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Building Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $10,000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 484 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Campbell, Murphy, and Spalding—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 39—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 4, authorizing the issuance and sale of eight thousand five hundred bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, authorizing the disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds for certain purposes, and approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and completely effective the California State Buildings and State University Buildings Bonds Act of 1925 as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-sixth session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 39 read.

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 39.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 39 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Ekswaid, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielson Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—Campbell—1.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 39 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 39.

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by adding to article XVI thereof a new section

to be numbered 4, authorizing the issuance and sale of $500 bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, authorizing the disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds for certain purposes, and approving, adopting, legalizing, validating and making fully and completely effective the California State Buildings and State University Buildings Bonds Act of 1925 as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-sixth session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring. That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of the said Legislature voting therefor, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that the constitution of said State be amended by adding to article XVI thereof a new section to be numbered 4, reading as follows

Sec. 4. The issuance and sale of $500 bonds of the State of California in the denomination of $1,000 each, and the use and disposition of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds, all as provided in the California State Buildings and State University Buildings Bonds Act of 1925, as passed by the Senate and Assembly at the forty-sixth session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor, authorizing the issuance and sale of State bonds in the sum of $8,500,000 for the purpose of providing a fund for the completion and equipment of State buildings at Sacramento, for the erection and equipment of a State building at Los Angeles, for the erection and equipment of a building or buildings for the University of California at Berkeley, and for the erection and equipment of a building or buildings for the University of California at Los Angeles, is hereby authorized and directed, and the said California State Buildings and State University Buildings Bonds Act of 1925 is hereby approved, adopted, legalized, validated and made fully and completely effective All provisions of this section shall be self-executing and shall not require any legislative action in furtherance thereof, but this shall not prevent such legislative action. Nothing in this constitution contained shall be a limitation upon the provisions of this section

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of four o'clock p.m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED TWO.

Senate Bill No. 602—An act to amend sections 3 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, by increasing the amount and modifying the disposal of such license taxes, and prescribing certain duties of the State Controller, State Highway Commission and boards of supervisors with reference thereto.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Dillinger moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, of the amended bill, strike out all of lines 32 to 52, both inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "All monies herein provided for use by the state highway commission shall be included in each regular biennial budget in accordance with the budget provisions of the constitution of California. All laws in existence or which may hereinafter be enacted relative to budgetary control and submission of budgets by state agencies shall apply to the said California highway commission in like manner as all other state agencies"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4 of the amended bill strike out all of lines 1 to 15, both inclusive.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Dillinger to amend Senate Bill No 602.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Dillinger, Finney, Anderson, R. J., McPherson and Eksward the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Dillinger to amend Senate Bill No. 602.

The roll was called, and the motion to amend Senate Bill No. 602 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Cloudman, Dillinger, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Jost, McPherson, Smith, and Mr. Speaker—11.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—63.

The question being on the final passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Pending the announcement of the vote Mr. Adams moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Bernard, Eksward, Woodbridge, Carter and Coombs the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion of Mr. Adams for a call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for the call of the House carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—41.

NOES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Mueller, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—30.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Time, four o'clock and forty-three minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—75.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senate Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund

in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. McPherson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 23, of the amended bill, after the word "person" insert the following "irrespective of age".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. McPherson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 48, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

McPHERSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 384—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af* inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Commitee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the amended bill, strike out the word "shall" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 384, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL.

Mr. Runner moved that Senate Bill No. 138 be withdrawn from the Committee on Public Utilities and placed on file.

The question being on the motion to withdraw Senate Bill No. 138 from committee.

The roll was called, and the motion to withdraw Senate Bill No. 138 from committee carried by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Fitt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—46.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Little, Mixter, Pierce, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—20.

Senate Bill No. 138 ordered placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Evans, Lewis, and Allen, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

FOSTER,
ANDERSON, D. P.,
NIELSEN,
Assembly Committee on Conference

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Lyons, Dayton and Wright, T. M., as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 538.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Senate Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State.

Also: Senate Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897:

Also: Senate Bill No. 832—An act to amend sections 1, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 830 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 831 read first time, and referred to Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 832 read first time, and referred to Committee on County Government.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 17, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1023?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "will" and insert in lieu thereof the words "expects to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "will" and insert in lieu thereof the words "expects to".

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1023 by the following vote:

AYES—None

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 1142 of the Political Code, relating to boards of election, appointment and duties of election officers.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 352—An act to amend section 17347 of the Political Code by omitting therefrom the words "not later than August 31, 1921";

Also: Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 31 of article IV of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the giving or lending of public credit;

Also: Senate Joint Resolution No. 28—Relating to the appointment of a legislative committee to negotiate with like committee from the states of Arizona and Nevada for the purpose of settling the respective rights of lower basin states in and to the waters of the lower basin of the Colorado River system;

Also: Senate Bill No. 123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3650½, relating to assessments;

Also: Senate Bill No. 313—An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, as modified by the report of California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and providing the extent to which the State of California will contribute to the expense of executing the plan approved in said report, conditioned upon the United States assuming a corresponding obligation and further providing the purposes to which said expenditures made hereunder shall be applied;

Also: Senate Bill No. 314—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Drainage District based upon assessments levied by the Reclamation Board upon lands in said district," approved May 27, 1919, by adding one new section thereto to be numbered 59, said new section relating to and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 315—An act to amend

an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, by amending sections 7, 12, 13, 15 and 32 thereof and by adding one new section thereto, to be numbered 37, said new section relating to the disposition and application to be made of certain moneys heretofore appropriated for controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the report of the California Debris Commission, transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, if said moneys shall be reimbursed or released to the State of California by the federal government;

Also: Senate Bill No. 342—An act to amend sections 8, 11, 12 and 25 of and to add a new section to be numbered 13*a* to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 17, 1923;

Also: Senate Bill No. 346—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the cashier of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners of San Francisco against the State of California;

Also, Senate Bill No. 442—An act to amend section 4209 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers in counties of the fortieth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 237—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, and making an appropriation for such work, and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section two of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to

provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California and for other purposes,' approved March 1, 1917.

Also Assembly Bill No 292—An act appropriating the sum of $300,000 for the completion of construction and equipment and furnishing State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes

Also Assembly Bill No. 26—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in Tamalpais forest fire district.

Also Assembly Bill No. 91—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and the building of the State Armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles

Also Assembly Bill No. 102—An act to appropriate $25,000 to the State Department of Agriculture for the eradication of Alhagi camelorum (otherwise known as camel's thorn) in the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No. 106—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

Also Assembly Bill No. 148—An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000 to be used in the construction, renewal and repair of works for restraining, impounding and controlling debris resulting from mining operations, natural erosions and other causes, and to provide for the manner of expending such appropriation.

Also Assembly Bill No 166—An act to provide for the eradication of citrus white fly in California by providing for the establishment by proclamation of citrus white fly districts, declaring certain plants within such citrus white fly districts to be a public nuisance, providing for the destruction or treatment of such host plants, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and of the county horticultural commissioners in relation to the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At five o'clock and thirteen minutes p.m., Hon. Homer R. Spence, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 714—An act relating to and providing for the formation, organization and management of corporations for the purpose of receiving and maintaining a fund or funds and applying the income and principal thereof to promote the well-being of mankind.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 714 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Fry, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts Roland Rosenshine, Runner Saylor Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 4—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a guardian for the Marshall monument and grounds; prescribing his duties and appropriating money therefor," approved March 31, 1891, as amended, relating to the salary of said guardian.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 4 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 699—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to expend the sum of $25,000 for advertising the port of San Francisco in foreign publications and in newspapers published in the United States for the purpose of promoting traffic through said port, and authorizing the withdrawal of said moneys from the San Francisco harbor improvement fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 699 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At five o'clock and twenty-four minutes p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 399—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be known and numbered section 4041*h*, relating to levy of a special tax for pension or retirement system purposes.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 399 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—54
NOES—None

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 757—An act providing for and relating to damages resulting from or caused by the acquisition of a water supply or taking, diverting and transporting of water from a watershed and from the lands, streams and waters therein, to and for use in and by municipal corporations and providing for compromise, arbitration and settlement and payment of claims for any such damage and empowering and authorizing municipal corporations and persons, firms and corporations furnishing water to or for use in municipal corporations to pay, compromise, arbitrate and settle any and all damage caused, or claimed to have been caused, by the acquiring of such land or water, or the taking, diverting or transporting the same for the purposes aforesaid, fixing the time for the presentment of such claims and relating generally to such damages.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 757 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—62.
NOES—Carter, Dodge, and Little—3.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 578—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 578 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P, Anderson, R J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—67
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 808—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District'; to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor; to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district; to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 808 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—69.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 632—An act defining and regulating the business of dry-cleaning and dyeing, standardizing the business of, and providing for the maintenance, construction and inspection of dry-cleaning and dyeing buildings and establishments, providing ways and means for enforcing this act and fixing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Jost, Lyons, Dodge, Roland and Murray demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of Senate Bill No. 632.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 632 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—42

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R J., Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Dayton, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wright, S V., and Mr. Speaker—32.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Oliva gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 632 was this day passed.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH CALL OF THE HOUSE.

At six o'clock and twenty minutes p.m., Mr. Mueller moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs Heisinger, Adams, Scudder, Wemple, and Anderson, R. J., the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to dispense with the call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion to dispense with call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—37.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—37.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Hornblower the consideration of Senate Bill No. 486 was made a special order for Thursday, April 23, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

Senate Bill No. 480—An act authorizing the regents of the University of California to convey certain land in the city of Los Angeles to the city of Los Angeles for the purpose of widening Vermont avenue.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 480 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH CALL OF THE HOUSE.

At six o'clock and twenty-eight minutes p.m., Mr. Carter moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Heisinger, Noyes, Dayton, Spalding and Wemple the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to dispense with call of the House.

The roll was called and the motion to dispense with call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Hartranft, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Mueller, Murray, Pierce,

Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—35.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Bernard, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—38.

Senate Bill No. 822—An act to provide for an acceptance by the State of California of the provisions of an act passed by the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to authorize a more complete endowment of agricultural experiment stations and for other purposes, approved February 24, 1925." and to authorize the regents of the University of California to receive grants of money thereunder for the benefit of the University of California agricultural experiment station.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 822 finally passed by the following vote·

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 289—An act to amend section 1240 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to property which may be taken for public use in eminent domain proceedings.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 289 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones Jost, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 711—An act to amend section 1305 of the Penal Code, relating to the forfeiture of the undertaking of bail, or the money deposited instead of bail, and the discharge of forfeiture thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 711 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Eksward,

Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 798—An act to amend section 1076 of the Penal Code, relating to challenges of jurors in criminal cases.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 798 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Dorris—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 516—An act to amend section 9 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to increase the allowance of burial expenses when the injury results in death, from $100 to $150 and to make the allowance for burial expenses in addition to the death benefit for both total and partial dependency.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 516 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 24 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to secure to claimants for benefits under said act preference over other debts of the employer or his estate or of the insurance carrier.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 519 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotet, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson,

Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 287—An act to amend section 1241 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to proceedings in eminent domain.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 287 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding Spence, Walters, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No 288—An act to amend section 1243 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to proceedings in eminent domain

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 288 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M and Mr Speaker—56

NOES—Browne, and Murray—2

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH CALL OF THE HOUSE.

At seven o'clock and ten minutes p m., Mr. Dodge moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs Dodge, Lyons, Scofield, Smith and Campbell, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to dispense with call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion to dispense with call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough McDowell, Miller, Eleanor Mueller, Murray, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, and Mr Speaker—35

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Bernard, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson,

Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—40

Senate Bill No. 818—An act conveying certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of Chula Vista, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 818 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswärd, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 146—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,' approved May 15, 1915," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 146 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 500—An act to amend section 628*b* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 500 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce,

Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At seven o'clock and twenty-five minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Adams.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Bill No. 602 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J, Bernard, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—42.

NOES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller, Murray, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, and Mr Speaker—34.

Title read and approved.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Dillinger gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 602 was this day passed.

RECESS.

At seven o'clock and thirty minutes p m., on motion of Mr Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until nine o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED

At nine o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair

Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.
COOMBS.
MILLER, ELEANOR.
WELLER.
SPALDING.
McDOWELL.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered on file for adoption.

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 175—An act to provide for the regulation and use of aircraft in the State of California; to create a Director of Civil Aeronautics, to define his powers and duties and to provide for the creation and organization of an Aircraft Department under his jurisdiction, to carry into effect the provisions of this act; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the registration, numbering, and use of aircraft, and the licensing of operators thereof," approved June 3, 1921—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

LYONS, Chairman.
EKSWARD.
FINNEY.
ROBERTS.
WELLER
MIXTER.
McPHERSON.
BROUGHTON.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 496—An act to provide for and regulate the method of improving abandoned orchards, providing for the method of giving notice to improve such property; providing for a lien for the cost of such improvement and providing for a foreclosure of such lien—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

DUVAL, Chairman.
MIXTER.
MURRAY.
HEISINGER.
FINNEY.
BROCK.
SEWELL.
DAYTON.
BERNARD.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

DAYTON, Chairman.
ANDERSON, D. P.
ADAMS.
DORRIS.
MELVILLE
WRIGHT, S. V
NIELSEN.
JOST.
WEMPLE.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 832—An act to amend sections 1, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization

and management of fire protection districts—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that it do pass

(Signed out)

DAYTON, Chairman.
ANDERSON, D. P.
ADAMS.
DORRIS.
MELVILLE
WRIGHT, S. V.
NIELSEN.
JOST.
WEMPLE.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 538 the following Senators Rush, West and Sample, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9a and to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to disposition of funds—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 543?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 10, of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 11 of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 23, of the amended bill strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 27 of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 36, of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 46, of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, lines 1 and 2, of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 5, of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 12, of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 3, line 23, of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 3, line 31, of the amended bill, strike out the word "warrants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "claims".

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Bernard moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and fourteen minutes.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Bernard, Browne, Cleveland, Dorris, Fry, Johnson, Levey, Pierce, Runner, Scofield, Sewell, and Mr Speaker—12

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 175—An act to provide for the regulation and use of aircraft in the State of California; to create a Director of Civil Aeronautics, to define his powers and duties and to provide for the creation and organization of an aircraft department under his jurisdiction, to carry into effect the provisions of this act; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the registration, numbering, and use of aircraft, and the licensing of operators thereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 138—An act to provide proper sanitary conditions at terminals for the preservation of the health of employees.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 496—An act to provide for and regulate the method of improving abandoned orchards; providing for the method of giving notice to improve such property; providing for a lien for the cost of such improvement and providing for a foreclosure of such lien.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton Channel.

Also Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School or California Institute.

Also Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section ten of the "California Warehouse Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

Also Assembly Bill No. 716—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital.

Also Assembly Bill No. 747—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the Fruit Growers of California, Incorporated, against the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No. 768—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments to be levied upon the property of the State of California known as the University of California, Southern Branch property, on Heliotrope drive and Willow Brook avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 892—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act relating to immigrants and immigration, creating a commission of immigration and housing, providing for the employment by said commission of a secretary, agents and other employees, authorizing the said commission to fix their compensation, prescribing the duties of said commission, providing for the investigation by said commission of all things affecting immigrants, and for the care, protection and welfare of immigrants, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions thereof," approved June 12, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 18, relating to the disposition of records:

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the following:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California;

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to visit the site of the Boulder Canyon dam, the Imperial Valley, and southern California.

Also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relating to an invitation to be extended to the National Conference on State Parks to hold its next regular convention in the State of California.

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the United States in reference to the levy and collection of taxes on incomes derived from securities issued under the authority of the United States or of any state;

Also: Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20—Relating to requesting the presence of the United States fleet at San Francisco during the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the Union.

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 11 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds by corporations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 230—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of paying interest due from the land settlement fund to the general fund in the State treasury.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the county superintendent of schools.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 840—An act to amend section 19*x*4 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants in counties of the fourth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 857—An act appropriating money for the construction of a State Armory at Griffith Park, Los Angeles.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 874—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A. Murray and Charles H. Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County and making an appropriation therefor.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1124—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1612*d*, relating to the education of children in tuberculosis sanitariums.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1102—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to schools.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1199—An act appropriating money for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1211—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights, levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, Southern Branch, on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend section 19*x*27 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1225—An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State Fair Grounds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1254—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients at the State Hospital at Agnew, California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 162—An act appropriating money for expenditure as directed by the Division of Water Rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California in aiding the Department of Interior of the United States in stream gaging work in the State of California.

Also Assembly Bill No 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions.

Also Assembly Bill No 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action

Also Assembly Bill No 534—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, *to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles*; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the DIVISION of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending section numbered 102 thereof

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 826—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property.

Also Assembly Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1*a* of article XIII thereof relating to the exemption from taxation of colleges and secondary schools accredited to the University of California

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1266—An act *appropriating money to pay the expenses* of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the

products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia Sesqui-centennial International Exposition, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1289—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school, to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1300—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses to the Regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a professorship of nursing education.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following reports of standing committee were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18—Relative to protective tariff on cherries—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-second day of April, 1925, at three o'clock p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 16—Relating to the California Diamond Jubilee celebration—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-second day of April, 1925, at three o'clock p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 132—An act confirming and validating the organization and existence of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts of every kind and class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 133—An act to approve, confirm, ratify, and validate sales and leases of real property made by school districts or high school districts, or by boards of education or boards of school trustees, and to approve, confirm, ratify and validate instruments executed or delivered in connection with or as a part of such sales or leases;

Also Assembly Bill No. 135—An act confirming and validating the boundaries of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 224—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of J. B. Enright against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 300—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled "An act to establish in the State of California an educational institution for the care, supervision, education, training, discipline and employment of boys, to be known as the 'Whittier State School,'" approved March 11, 1889, as amended, relating to dismissals from such school;

Also Assembly Bill No. 394—An act to amend section 1873 of the Political Code, relating to the administration of oaths by educational officers;

Also Assembly Bill No. 454—An act to amend the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 of an act entitled "An act to establish standards for grain, providing for grading and inspection, defining the powers and duties of the Director of Agriculture in respect thereto, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act," approved June 3, 1921, relating to the standardization of farm products;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 529—An act to amend section 633c of the Political Code, relating to insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 583—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide that the Department of Engineering of the State of California may acquire for and in the name of the people of the State of California, by purchase, donation, dedication or by proceedings in eminent domain, additional rights of way, land and trees on and along the course of any State highway," approved April 1, 1915.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 588—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the abandonment of portions of routes of State roads and highways by the advisory board of the State Department of Engineering, and for consent thereto in certain cases by county boards of supervisors," approved May 20, 1915.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 674—An act to amend sections 1775 and 1778 of the Political Code, relating to the granting of teachers certificates.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 838—An act to amend section 127 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 845—An act to amend section 279 of the Political Code, relating to allowances to organizations of the California National Guard.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1064—An act to amend section 3480 of the Political Code, relating to the issuance of bonds of reclamation districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1065—An act to amend section 3480½ of the Political Code, relating to and providing for a method of refunding the installments of the principal of any reclamation district bonds now or hereafter issued as and when the said installments, or any thereof, or any part thereof, shall mature;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1087—An act to amend section 1548 of the Political Code, relating to the office expenses of the Superintendent of Schools.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1219—An act to amend sections 717 and 718 of the Civil Code, relating to the leasing of agricultural lands, and to the leasing of lands for agricultural and horticultural purposes, and to the leasing of property of a municipality, a minor or an incompetent and to the leasing of city or town lots;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1272—An act to amend section 19c13 of the Juvenile Court Law, approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of probation officer in counties of the thirteenth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 270 of the Penal Code, relative to omitting to provide child with necessaries.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 507—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace in cities and counties;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 586—An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads, providing for the compensation of such convict labor, regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts, providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison; authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the use of convict labor on State highways or State roads; providing for the compensation of such convict labor; regulating the handling of such convict labor; providing for payment of compensation to the dependents of such convicts; providing for a forfeiture of such compensation; providing for creation of prisoners' recreation and educational fund; providing for manner of payment of compensation to said convicts upon release on parole or release or discharge from prison, authorizing allowance of extra good time credits for such labor, providing penalties for interference with such convict labor and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved June 9, 1923, and repealing all other acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 816—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 834—An act to repeal section 1617½ of the Political Code and to add a new section to said Political Code, to be numbered 1617½, relating to the selling or leasing of real property upon which no public school is being maintained;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 860—An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county, city and county, city, town, municipality or other political subdivision within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1205—An act to amend sections 1 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State, to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons, to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases, to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and

regulating sales thereunder, and to repeal chapter 145 of California statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to the carrying of weapons by policemen, guards and messengers,

Also Assembly Bill No 450—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, maintenance and use of entrances and exits in certain buildings, in all parts of the State of California, including incorporated towns, incorporated cities and incorporated cities and counties, to provide for its enforcement and to provide penalties for the violation thereof,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-second day of April, 1925, at three o'clock p.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California

Gentlemen This is to advise you that I have signed the following bills

Assembly Bills Nos 431, 502 and 1192

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 542 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 602 of the Penal Code in regard to trespassing on timbered or cut over land. It adds a new subdivision to the section which provides that every person who wilfully commits any trespass by "camping or building fires upon any lands owned by another where signs forbidding trespass are displayed at intervals not greater than one-third mile along the exterior boundaries or along roads and trails passing through such lands, without first having obtained permission from the owner of such lands or his agent, or the person in lawful possession thereof" shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

The State Forester says that the intention of this bill "was to afford protection to private lands but is so worded that it is impossible of enforcement. The bill would work a hardship on campers, many of whom would be innocent violators of the law. There has been considerable agitation against the closing of the forests and the people who camp in the mountains would see in this measure an attempt to deprive them of the privileges they feel they have a right to enjoy."

The Fish and Game Commission has called attention to this bill and presents arguments against it being signed. The commission says: "The effect of this amendment is far reaching It will create the whole wild and unsettled area in this State into a huge private game preserve. If adopted it would be a departure from the long established rules of the State, causing its police powers to be used for purely private ends Under this bill every peace officer in the State becomes at once a private detective and a policeman. It is a throwback to the middle ages, by reviving the long abandoned "Forest Court" It again brings upon the people the very essence of the law that made the Robin Hoods and Dick Turpins. It would prohibit the hunter or fisherman or camper from building a campfire beside any road anywhere in the State It does not require the owner of wild land to post along the roads, but creates a pitfall for the strange camper or hunter to be arrested for unintentional trespass because of building a perfectly legal campfire The mere building of a campfire beside the road, afar from a human habitation, with no evidence as to whether the land is privately owned or not, makes the innocent camper a criminal under this proposed act."

It appears to me that the present section of the Penal Code amply covers all necessary protection to the owners of private property I do not think the sponsors of this bill fully realized its far-reaching consequences

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No 502—An act to amend section 27 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts' approved

March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, relating to fish and game district 4 "E."

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 502 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 541—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 541 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 557—An act to amend section 626*c* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 557 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 727—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 727 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McPherson, Melville Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 760—An act to amend section 475 of the Political Code, relating to clerks, phonographic reporter, service agent and stenographers of the Attorney General's office by authorizing the appointment of two additional stenographers in such office; and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of such additional stenographers during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 760 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 761—An act to amend section 472 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Attorney General and the appointment of assistants and deputies in such office, by prescribing the number and fixing the salaries of such assistants and deputies; and making a supplemental appropriation to be applied toward the payment of such salaries during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 761 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 788—An act appropriating money for the erection and construction of buildings and improvements at the San Jose State Teachers College.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 788 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money for the purchase and improvement of land for the San Jose State Teachers College.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 789 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Pearl E. Green, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 806 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At ten o'clock and five minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Bernard.

The roll of absentees was called, and the Assembly concurred in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 543 by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour having arrived, the special order heretofore set was taken up for consideration.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into senatorial and assembly districts.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 read.

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Schmidt, Jost, Morrison, Miller, J. A., and Hawes demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9 refused adoption by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—33

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Woodbridge—44

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Assembly.

This Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9, with the accompanying reapportionment bill which gives to one county one-fourth of the legislators of the State, brings to our attention a matter of such vast importance and grave dangers not only to the small rural counties that are losing their rightful representation, but also to those counties surrounding the wonderful Golden Gate, that we must act very carefully.

This whole thing is an acknowledged deal between a Senator or senators and a person generally known as a member of the third house. In our Reapportionment Committee, when these measures were under consideration, any attempts to amend the constitutional amendment so as to protect rural California, by members of this House were brusquely put aside with the remark that they were not according to the deal. I believe it is a dangerous thing for either branch of our Legislature to submit to such deals by a member or members of the other House with an outside man commonly known as a lobbyist. These people threaten to put this reapportionment bill on the ballot at the next election. To my mind, it

is no difference whether we submissively lay down and give what the deal provides, or whether they put it on the ballot, the results are practically the same.

The federal constitution provides that one House shall be controlled by territorial area and it has always worked satisfactorily. This provision now before us leaves us, as at present, on a population basis which has brought us into this trouble and will keep us there.

I would rather strive for what I know is right and fail, than to work for what I think is wrong and succeed. Therefore, my vote is against this act.

S. L. HEISINGER.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

The following explanation of vote was received, and ordered printed in the Journal:

We, the undersigned, believe that when the legislative districts of this State are reapportioned, it should be in such manner as to retain the control of one House in the rural communities. We believe that under Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9, such a reapportionment could be made. But since this constitutional amendment has come to us tied to a plan of reapportionment which does not accord with our ideas in any particular, a plan, as to the constitutionality of parts of which we are in doubt, a plan which may result in bringing about the very thing to which we are opposed, we feel constrained to vote against Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 9, and also Senate Bill No. 326 which is presented to us in conjunction with it.

ESTO B. BROUGHTON.
GRACE S. DORRIS
JOHN W. RUNNER
CORA M. WOODBRIDGE.
HERBERT McDOWELL.
PERCY G. WEST.

Senate Bill No. 326—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State into legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Weller moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 26, of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 8 to 51, inclusive, and on page 27, all of lines 1 to 30, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 27 of said bill, line 31, strike out the figure "6" and insert in lieu thereof, the numeral "4".

The question being on the motion to amend Senate Bill No. 326.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Walters, Byrne, Badham, Weller and Mueller the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to amend Senate Bill No. 326.

The roll was called, and the motion to amend Senate Bill No. 326 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Davis, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Hartmann, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller, Murray, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—25.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—47.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 326 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Byrne, Carter, Davis, Dodge, Duval, Hartranft, Jones, Little, Lyons, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Pierce, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—20.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—55.

Senate Bill No. 485—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission, and for their compensation and traveling expenses; providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof; to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. McPherson moved that Senate Bill No. 485 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 485 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 185—An act to create the State Park Commission; to define its powers and duties; to make an appropriation therefor and to establish a contingent fund and a revolving fund.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 185 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—Bernard, Melville and Murphy—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 608—An act authorizing the State Park Commission to make a survey and report on sites suitable for State parks; authorizing the commission to receive gifts of money for the purpose of carrying on this survey; and providing for an appropriation for the carrying on of this survey.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 608 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartmantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Houseblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—Melville—1

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 188—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of transferring bodies from the old to the new cemetery of the State Hospital at Stockton.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 188 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartmanft, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters;

Also Senate Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices to relatives of persons under guardians;

Also Senate Bill No. 702—An act to amend sections 1552, 1554 and 1561 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to probate sales of real estate;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass, as amended.

(Signed out)

WELLER, Chairman.
ANDERSON, R. J.
SPENCE.
ROLAND.
WALTERS.
JONES.
SEWELL.
DILLINGER.
SMITH.
FINNEY.
LITTLE.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 664—An act to amend section 1517 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents;

Also: Senate Bill No. 700—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to broker's commissions on such sales,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

(Signed out)

WELLER, Chairman.
ANDERSON, R. J.
SPENCE.
WALTERS.
JONES.
ROLAND.
SEWELL.
SMITH.
DILLINGER.
FINNEY.
LITTLE.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 124—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1871, relating to experts, their appointment by the court, or a judge thereof, and providing for their compensation and manner of examination as witnesses—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

WELLER, Chairman.
DILLINGER.
LITTLE.
CRITTENDEN.
JONES.
FINNEY.
SEWELL.
SMITH.
ROLAND.
LYONS.
HORNBLOWER.
ROSENSHINE.
JACOBSON.
WALTERS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Senate Bill No 45—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass, and that it be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

JONES, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation pur-

poses," approved March 31, 1897—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass.

(Signed out)

MIXTER, Chairman.
WEST.
ANDERSON, R. J.
HEISINGER.
BERNARD.
DUVAL.
NOYES.
MURRAY.
FOSTER.
SAYLOR.
EASLEY.
FINNEY
BROUGHTON.
DORRIS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the amended printed bill, as amended on April 16, 1925, after the word "for" insert the word "sales,".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices to relatives of persons under guardians.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the amended printed bill, strike out every word beginning with and including the word "Subdivision" down to and including the word "estate" on line 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Section one thousand seven hundred sixty-one of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby amended to read as follows:

1761. At any time after the issuance of letters of guardianship upon the estate of any minor, insane or incompetent person, any relative of the ward, or the attorney for such relative, may serve upon the guardian, or upon the attorney for the guardian, and file with the clerk of the court wherein administration of such ward's estate is pending, a written request, stating that he desires special notice of any or all of the following mentioned matters, steps or proceedings in the administration of said estate, to wit:

1. Filing of petitions for sales, returns of sales, and petitions for leases or mortgages of any property of the ward's estate.
2. Filing of accounts.
3. Filing of application for removal of ward's property to any foreign jurisdiction.
4. Filing of petitions for partition of any property of the ward's estate.
5. Proceedings for removal, suspension or discharge of the guardian, or final determination of the guardianship.

Such request shall state the postoffice address of such relative, or his attorney, and thereafter a brief notice of the filing of any of such petitions, applications, or accounts, or proceedings, except petitions for sale of perishable property, or other personal property which will incur expense or loss by keeping, shall be addressed to such relative, or his attorney, at his stated postoffice address, and deposited in the United States postoffice with the postage thereon prepaid, within two days after

the filing of such petition, account, application, or the commencement of such proceeding, or personal service of such notices may be made on such relative, or his attorney, within said two days, and such personal service shall be equivalent to such deposit in the postoffice, and proof of mailing or of personal service must be filed with the clerk before the hearing of any such matter

If, upon the hearing it shall appear to the satisfaction of the court that the said notice has been regularly given, the court shall so find in its order or judgment, and such judgment shall be final and conclusive upon all persons."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 702—An act to amend sections 1552, 1554, and 1561 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to probate sales of real estate

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the amended printed bill as amended on April 16, 1925, strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 700—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to broker's commissions on such sales.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 124—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1871, relating to experts, their appointment by the court, or a judge thereof, and providing for their compensation and manner of examination as witnesses.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 664—An act to amend section 1517 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Thursday, April 23, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Thursday, April 23, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell,

McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—79.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

On motion of Mr. Sewell the consideration of Senate Bill No. 178 was made a special order for today at ten o'clock and thirty minutes a.m.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Francis E. Donovan of Cambridge, Massachusetts, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Messrs. James T. Drew, Samuel Short, John F. Lynch, Wm. H. McGrath, Frank C. Merritt, Markell C Baer and Fred Davie of Oakland, California, were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Croter, Mr. Morris Gibbs of San Francisco was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Dayton, Hon. Wm. R. Flint, a former member of the Legislature, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 832—An act to amend sections 1, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts,

and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Rush West and Sample, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following That the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 23, of the amended bill, strike out all after the word "paid" and to and including the word "paid" in line 30 said page 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 5, of the amended bill, strike out the words "five hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 3, line 46, of the amended bill, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three" Also strike out the semicolon after the word "annum" in said line 3, and insert a period in lieu thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3 of the amended bill strike out all from line 47 to line 52, both inclusive and all of line 1, page 4, and to and including the word "paid" in line 2 of said page 4.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 4, line 6, of the amended bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "compensation" and insert in lieu thereof a period. Also strike out the word "provided" in said line 6 and to and including the word "cease" in line 9 of said page 4.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 47, of the amended bill, after the word "hundred" strike out the words "and fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 48, of the amended bill, after the word "month" insert the following "*provided*, that commencing on the first Monday after the first day of January in the year 1927, justices of the peace of townships of the first class shall receive the sum of one hundred fifty dollars per month to be paid in the same manner as county officers, *and provided, further*, that said justice may, in the interim, appoint a clerk at a salary of twenty-five dollars per month, to be paid in like manner, which salary shall cease on the first Monday after the first day of January, 1927".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 6 of the amended bill, strike out all of line 52 and to and including line 7 on page 7.

LYONS,
DAYTON,
WRIGHT, T. M.,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Coombs moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and twenty minutes a m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, D. P., Cloudman, Coombs, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Miller, Eleanor; Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—25.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 789—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 789?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of section 5, lines 19, 20 and 21.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 789 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1100?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, cross out the words "five hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "six hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, lines 28 and 29, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, after the word "clerk" cross out the words "three thousand five hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "four thousand"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 34, after the word "annum" cross out all of the rest of the line, and all of line 35 down to and including the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 37, cross out the words "one deputy clerk" and insert in lieu thereof the words "three deputy clerks".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 3, cross out the words "nineteen hundred twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "eighteen hundred"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, after the word "thousand" cross out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 8, cross out the words "two thousand one hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "nineteen hundred twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, after the word "thousand" insert the words "six hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 3, line 50, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, after the word "thousand" insert the words "six hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 4, lines 15 and 16, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, after the word "collector" cross out the words "three thousand five hundred" and insert *in lieu thereof the words "four thousand"*.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 4, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, after the word "thousand" cross out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 5, line 4, cross out the words "seventy-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixty".

Motion carried.

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to concur in Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1100 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Cloter, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—44.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 558—An act to amend section 23*a* of the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to permit for water rights—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 558?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Beginning with the word "and" in line 22, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all down to and including the colon following the word "section" in line 1 of page 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "horsepower", strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided, however*, that in no event shall the total fee required exceed the sum of five thousand dollars."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "total" insert the word "permit".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 558 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to promote the development of the California canned fruit industry and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned fruit by establishing and defining certain standards for canned fruit of the varieties herein named, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture in relation hereto, including the collection of fees, creating a Board of Appeal and defining its powers and duties in relation hereto and fixing the compensation of the members thereof, prescribing penalties for violations hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 751?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, after the word "sugar" strike out the semicolon and substitute a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "sugar" strike out the semicolon and substitute a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 32, of the printed bill, after the word "sugar" strike out the semicolon and substitute a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "sugar" strike out the semicolon and substitute a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "sugar" strike out the semicolon and substitute a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 9, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "thereof" and substitute the word "therefor".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 751 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to amend section 3831 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 389?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "repeal" and insert in lieu thereof the word "amended".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 2 of the printed bill, strike out the word "repealed" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "amended to read as follows

3831 Within fifteen days after the first Monday in August of each year, the auditor of the county, or city and county, must make a careful examination of the assessment book or books of the county, or city and county, and ascertain therefrom the amount or amounts of all taxes that should have been collected by the assessor in pursuance of this chapter, and which have not been collected."

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 389 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Derris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Minter, Mueller Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr Speaker—50.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as *amended*, Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 403?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word 'board' insert the following, "with the consent of the head of the department concerned".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 403 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden Davis, Dayton, Derris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller J. A., Minter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Remdollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 337—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon,

to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this." Approved May 30, 1923, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 337?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "semitrailers" and insert in lieu thereof the word "semi-trailers".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 12, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "supply" and insert in lieu thereof the word "supplies".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 19, of the title of the printed bill, after the word "or" strike out the word "to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 28, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "act" and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the word "semitrailers" and insert in lieu thereof the word "semi-trailers".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "supply" and insert in lieu thereof the word "supplies".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 16, of the printed bill, after the word "or" strike out the word "to".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, line 37, of the printed bill, strike out the word "four-inch" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fourinch".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five-inch" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fiveinch".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 1, line 28, of the title to printed bill, strike out the brackets, and insert in lieu thereof the word "act".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 337 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dortis, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Minter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 414—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 414?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "the" before the words "first Monday", strike out all of line 17 and line 18 and the word "month" on line 19, and insert in lieu thereof "seventh of each month or on the next legal day following the seventh".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 4, line 28, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon after the word year, and insert a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 4, line 28, of the printed bill, after the semicolon after the word year, strike out the balance of line 28, all of lines 29, 30, 31, 32 and line 33 down to and including the period after the word "immediately".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

A new section is hereby added to read as follows:

19. All changes in increases of compensation of deputies is intended to take effect immediately.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 414 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 373*a* of the Penal Code, relating to public nuisances—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 634?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all of lines 8 and 9 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following "from a health officer or from an officer of the state department of agriculture or a county horticultural commissioner".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 634 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, and Mr Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14 17 and 25 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities, providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commis-

sioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 1083?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1925, strike out the word "ou" and insert in lieu thereof the word "in".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 44, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1925, strike out the comma following the word "thereof"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1925 strike out the word "applications" and insert in lieu thereof the word "application".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 8, line 7, of the printed bill as amended March 11, 1925, strike out the semicolon following the word "prior" and insert in lieu thereof the following "thereto:".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1083 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, and Mr Speaker—50

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 1037—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4300f, relating to fees of officers, witnesses and jurors in municipal courts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 1037?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 34, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the word "treasurer" and insert in lieu thereof the word "treasury".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 35, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the following "sections 4300c and"

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1037 were concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Adams Anderson, D. P, Badham Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller J. A, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, and Mr Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to

amend sections 1466, 1467, 1468, and 1469 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section 1468a, relating to appeals from municipal courts, justices' courts and police courts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1036?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 6 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert a comma and the following "justices' courts and police courts"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "judge" and insert in lieu thereof a period, and strike out all of the rest of line 23 and all of line 24 and on page 2, strike out all of lines 1 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"The statement must contain the grounds upon which the party intends to rely upon the appeal and so much of the evidence as may be necessary to explain the grounds. The statement must be prepared by the appellant and filed with the court, and a copy served upon the opposite party, within five days after the filing of the notice of appeal The respondent may, within five days after the service of the copy and the filing of the proposed statement file amendments thereto, a copy of which must be served upon the appellant Within five days from the time of the filing and serving of the amendments or if no amendments be filed, then within ten days from the time of the filing of the statement, as herein provided, the court must settle the same, and if in the opinion of the court the statement is incorrect or insufficient he shall correct it If no statement is filed and served as herein provided, the appeal is ineffectual for any purpose, and shall be deemed dismissed, and the judgment or order appealed from shall be enforced as if no appeal had been taken"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 23, following the figures "1468a." and all of lines 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31, and insert in lieu thereof the following "Unless good cause to the contrary be shown the appeal must be brought to a hearing within sixty days after the appeal is perfected, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit, and if not so brought to a hearing the court shall, upon motion, order the appeal dismissed."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of line 34, following the figures "1469." and all of lines 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Upon an appeal the superior court may review all matters set forth in the statement and affecting the judgment appealed from, and may set aside, or confirm, or modify any or all of the proceedings subsequent to and attendant upon such judgment, and may, if necessary or proper, order a new trial If a new trial be granted it must be in the municipal court, if the appeal be from a judgment of the municipal court, otherwise it must be in the superior court"

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1036 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brought on, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dotlis, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1462 and 1463, relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal courts and the disposition of all moneys collected therein—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1034?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, after the comma add the following: "to be numbered one thousand four hundred and sixty-two and one thousand four hundred and sixty-three,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "city" insert a comma and the words "or city and county.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "city" insert the words "or city and county,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "any".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the words "or city and county."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 1, line 17, of the printed bill, strike out the words "such courts should" and insert in lieu thereof the following "In each city wherein a municipal court shall have been established, such courts shall".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1034 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Minter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to change of place of trial of actions—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 1031?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a comma and add the following: "or to a municipal court if the action be cognizable therein."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, between the second word "court" and the article "in" immediately following, insert the following: ", or to a municipal court.".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1031 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 1026—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered IV to title XIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals from municipal courts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1026?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill as amended, in line 1, strike out the figures "986" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "985".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1029 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to add a new title to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put. Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1029?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 48, of the printed bill as amended, after the semicolon, insert the following: "within ten days if served out of a city but in the county in which the action is brought, and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill as amended, strike out the word "subpena" and insert in lieu thereof the word "subpoena".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1029 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—48.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 663—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 663?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14 of the amended printed bill, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 15, of the amended printed bill, strike out every word beginning with and including the word "or" down to and including the word "cases" on line 19.

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 663 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 688—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, including any property over which possession and right of use have been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article 1 of the constitution of the State of California, in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof; and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes, and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements, and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 688?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, in line 22 strike out the period after the word "otherwise" and insert in lieu thereof a comma and the following new matter "and neither the various items of the improvement or improvements, nor of the acquisition or acquisitions, nor the improvement and acquisition as a whole, included in a proceeding need be contiguous or coterminous."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 22 to 29, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and publicly owned property lying within one or more municipalities, where, in the case of an acquisition, the proposed acquisition, in the judgment of said legislative body, is necessary or proper to complete, connect with, or render of greater use to the public any public way or ways or public property in unincorporated territory of the county already acquired or to be acquired under the proceeding, and where, in the case of an improvement, the proposed improvement, in the judgment of said legislative body, is necessary or proper to complete, connect with, or render of greater use to the public any existing improvements in or on any public way or ways or public property in unincorporated territory of the

county, or any improvements to be made under the proceeding; *provided*, that the consent of the legislative body".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3 of the printed bill, strike out lines 41 to 48, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and public property lying within unincorporated territory of a county and of one or more other municipalities, where, in the case of an acquisition, the proposed acquisition, in the judgment of said legislative body, is necessary or proper to complete, connect with, or render of greater use to the public, any public way or ways or public property within the municipality for which said legislative body functions, whether already acquired or to be acquired under the proceeding; and where, in the case of an improvement, the proposed improvement, in the judgment of said legislative body, is necessary or proper to complete, connect with, or render of greater use to the public any existing improvements in or on any public way or ways or public property within said municipality, or any improvements to be made under the proceeding; *provided*, that the consent of the legislative".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, in line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the word "correct".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7 of the printed bill, strike out line 35 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "ment act of 1925 relating to grades,' and in cases where the construction of the proposed improvement will result in a substantial change (considered with reference to existing physical conditions) with respect to the relation of the elevation of any abutting property to that of the public way as it will exist upon being improved to the proposed grade, there shall be included in said statement the following: 'Particular notice is directed to the fact that substantial changes in the relation of the elevation of abutting property to that of said public way (or ways), as it (or they) will exist after being improved, will result from the construction of the above mentioned improvements to the proposed grades'. If both an acquisition".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 9 of the printed bill, strike out line 1 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "total expenses of the things done in the proceeding shall be met by the levying".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 10 of the printed bill, in line 45, insert the word "of" after the word "change".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 11 of the printed bill, strike out line 42 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "expenses and materials, or expenses or materials, provided for shall be created as".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 11 of the printed bill, strike out lines 44 to 46, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the fact that such portion of the expenses and materials, or expenses or materials, are to be paid and furnished, or paid or furnished, by such county, municipality or municipalities, or any combination or all thereof, as the case may be."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 15 of the printed bill, strike out line 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Said legislative body may also change or modify the grades as set forth in the plans and specifications and referred to in the resolution of intention if no change or modification be made as to the grades, as the same are set forth in the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 15 of the printed bill, strike out line 13, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "tion adopted at the conclusion of said hearing.

If any changes or modifications be made in the boundaries of the assessment district, the zones, the percentages to be raised from the several zones, the grades, or any or all of the foregoing, such changes or modifications shall be made by a four-fifths vote of the legislative body."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 16 of the printed bill, in line 40, strike out the word "bid" and insert in lieu thereof the word "bond".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 17, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the word "binds" and insert in lieu thereof the word "bids".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN.

On page 17 of the printed bill, strike out lines 44, 45 and 46, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "deemed requisite by the legislative body."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN.

On page 18, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the words "that the materials used" and insert in lieu thereof "shall under-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN.

On page 19, line 16, of the printed bill strike out the words "the body" and insert in lieu thereof "said body".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVENTEEN.

On page 19, line 45, of the printed bill, strike out the word "described" and insert in lieu thereof the word "required".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

On page 20, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "person".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINETEEN.

On page 21 of the printed bill, strike out line 24 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "recovery of the amount due on said claim. Said amount, both in the case of an action to enforce the lien upon said bonds withheld and in the case of an action upon the bond of the surety, may".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY.

On page 23 of the printed bill, strike out line 21 and insert in lieu thereof the following "it be heard upon any of the above mentioned matters.

The total amount for which said bonds are proposed to be issued is the sum of _____ dollars; said bonds to bear interest at the rate of _____ per cent per annum, payable semiannually, (stating the rate set forth in the resolution of intention) and the aggregate principal of said bonds to be paid and discharged within _____ years after the date of issuance (stating the period named in said resolution), approximately one_____part (stating the part named in said resolution) of such aggregate principal to be payable annually, all in gold coin. A special fund for the payment of said bonds will be constituted by the levy of special assessment taxes upon the lands within said district as provided in the resolution of intention and in the above mentioned act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-ONE.

On page 23, line 38, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-TWO.

On page 24, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "it".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-THREE.

On page 25 of the printed bill, strike out line 46 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "have not been formerly paid as required in section fifteen."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR.

On page 25, line 48, of the printed bill, insert the word "done" after the word "be".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-FIVE.

On page 25, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the word "thereupon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SIX.

On page 26 of the printed bill, strike out line 18 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "referred to, in so far as the property to be acquired is included in said former action, and shall thereafter be carried on in the same man-".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN.

On page 28 of the printed bill, strike out line 30 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "be heard upon any of the above mentioned matters.

Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of _____ per cent per annum, payable semiannually (stating the rate set forth in the resolution of intention), and the aggregate principal of said bonds will be paid and discharged within _____ years after the date of issuance (stating the period named in said resolution), approximately one-_____ part (the part named in said resolution) of said aggregate principal to be payable annually, all in gold coin. A special fund for the payment of said bonds will be constituted by the levy of special assessment taxes upon the lands within said district as provided in the resolution of intention and in the above mentioned act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-EIGHT.

On page 28, line 46, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWENTY-NINE.

On page 29 of the printed bill, strike out line 46 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of the property sought to be condemned in the action, or shall be used

to reimburse the treasury for the amount or amounts advanced and deposited by the county, or city, to obtain such immediate possession and use"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY.

On page 31, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "eleven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE.

On page 32, line 40, of the printed bill, strike out the word "notice" and insert in lieu thereof the word "notices".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-TWO.

On page 33, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the word "expense" and insert in lieu thereof the word "expenses"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-THREE.

On page 33, line 49, of the printed bill, strike out the word "same" and insert in lieu thereof the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FOUR.

On page 33, line 50, of the printed bill, strike out the words "of the", following the word "determinations", and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-FIVE.

On page 35 of the printed bill, strike out line 19 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "upon any of the above mentioned matters.

Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of _____ per cent per annum, payable semiannually (stating the rate set forth in the resolution of intention), and the aggregate principal of said bonds will be paid and discharged within _____ years after the date of issuance (stating the period named in said resolution), approximately one _____ part (the part named in said resolution) of said aggregate principal to be payable annually, all in gold coin. A special fund for the payment of said bonds will be constituted by the levy of special assessment taxes upon the lands within said district as provided in the resolution of intention and in the above mentioned act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SIX

On page 35, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-SEVEN.

On page 38, line 32, of the printed bill, insert a closed parenthesis ")" after the word "body".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-EIGHT.

On page 38, line 43, of the printed bill, strike out the word "distinguished" and insert in lieu thereof the word "distinguish".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTY-NINE.

On page 38 of the printed bill, strike out line 48 and insert in lieu thereof the following "to raise funds necessary to obtain an order of immediate possession and use of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY.

On page 39 of the printed bill, strike out lines 7, 8 and 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following "by separate series, as for example, those issued to raise funds to obtain such an order of possession as 'Series A', those issued for the improvement as 'Series B', and those issued for the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-ONE.

On page 39, line 34, of the printed bill, insert after the comma following the word "annum" the following words, "payable semi-annually.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-TWO.

On page 40, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the word "up".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-THREE

On page 40, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the word "up".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR.

On page 41 of the printed bill, strike out line 18 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"aforesaid.

In the event that there is included within the assessment district any land belonging to any county, municipality, district, public agency, mandatory of the government, school board, educational, penal or reformatory institution or institution for the feeble minded or insane, and which is being used in the performance of a public function, and no declaration was made in the resolution of intention omitting

such land from the assessment to be made, the amount of the special assessment tax levied each year against said land, as above provided, shall be an enforceable obligation against the owner of or the governing body controlling said land, and it shall be the duty of the officer or body having charge of the disbursement of the funds of the owner of said land to pay the amount of said special assessment tax levied, from any of the funds thereof available, immediately upon its becoming due. If for any reason there are no moneys in any of such funds then the county or municipality (as the case may be) conducting the proceedings shall pay said special assessment tax against said land and the said owner or governing body controlling said land shall reimburse said county or municipality immediately upon the receipt of sufficient moneys in any of its available funds. In all cases where sufficient funds are not available to make such reimbursement before the time of another tax levy the board or officers whose duty it is to levy taxes for said owner shall include in the next tax levy an amount, in addition to moneys for all other purposes, sufficient to reimburse said county or municipality."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FOUR *a*.

On page 49, line 1, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "issued", following "and acquisition, or improvement or acquisition (as the case may be), is described as follows:"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-FIVE.

On page 46 of the printed bill, strike out line 37 and insert in lieu thereof the following "and acquisitions, or improvement or acquisition (as the case may be), to the amount (or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SIX.

On page 46, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Said" and insert in lieu thereof the word "said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN.

On page 47, line 9, of the printed bill, insert after the word "notice" the following words: "shall be signed by the clerk of the legislative body, and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT.

On page 49, line 1, of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "issued".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FORTY-NINE.

On page 50, line 16, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "or".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY.

On page 51, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "like".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-ONE.

On page 51, line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "impossible" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or impracticable".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-TWO

On page 52, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-THREE.

On page 53, line 44, of the printed bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "thereof" and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FOUR.

On page 53, line 52, of the printed bill, strike out "and/".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-FIVE.

On page 54, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "actions" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or for any or all pt such services,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTY-SIX.

On page 55, line 16, of the printed bill, capitalize the letter "i" in the word "improvement" and the letter "a" in the word "act".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 688 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence,

Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.
Noes—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to April 1, 1925, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 147?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "January" and insert in lieu thereof the word "April".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In the second line of the title, strike out the word "January" and insert in lieu thereof the word "April".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 147 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 324—An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 324?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "but in lieu thereof shall" and all of lines 5, 6 and 7, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, beginning in line 8, strike out all of section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 2. From and after the first day of December, 1925, each person newly employed in the public schools of California shall be required to file with the superintendent of schools of the county or city and county in which employed a statement made under oath as described in section 1 of this act; and it shall be the duty of the superintendent of schools of each county or city and county to withhold the first payment of salary thereafter due such person until there has been filed with such superintendent a statement as herein required or evidence that such a statement has been filed elsewhere as required by law. From and after the first day of December, 1925, each person newly employed in any institution other than the public schools, whose teachers are bound by the provisions of the retirement salary fund act, shall be required to file such statement with the public school teachers

retirement salary fund board or its authorized representative, and it shall be the duty of the employing officer to withhold the first payment of salary thereafter due such person until presented with satisfactory evidence that such statement has been filed as required by law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 36, of the printed bill, strike out the word "first" and insert in lieu thereof the word "next".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 324 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 232—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 232?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the word "fifty" insert the word "citizen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the word "which" strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "a majority of the acreage of said".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "which" insert the following: "a majority of the acreage of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "cemetery" insert the words "or cemeteries".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, at the end of the bill, add the following: "Said cemetery district may embrace contiguous lands in one or more counties".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 232 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of ten o'clock and thirty minutes a. m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

RECONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT.

Senate Bill No. 178—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation thereof, the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts.

MOTION TO POSTPONE.

Mr. Jones moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 178 be continued until three o'clock p.m. of this day.

The question being on the motion to postpone consideration of Senate Bill No. 178.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Bernard, Badham, Murray, Byrne, Jones and Sewell the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to postpone consideration of Senate Bill No. 178 until three p.m. this day.

The roll was called, and the motion to postpone consideration carried by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murray, Noyes, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—39.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Hartranft, Johnson, Jost, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, and Mr. Speaker—27.

SENATE MESSAGES—(RESUMED).

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relative to incorporated cities and school districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 736?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "purposes" strike out the period and insert a semicolon and the following: "*And provided, further*, that for the purpose of collecting the property tax on such outside territory, forming a part of said city or incorporated town, it shall be the duty of the governing body of said city or incorporated town, when the annual tax rate is fixed in said city or incorporated town to officially notify the board of supervisors of the county in which the said school district is located, of the tax rate fixed for the school fund of said city or incorporated town. It shall then be the duty of said board of supervisors with whom the tax rate is filed to enter said tax upon the assessment roll of all property of said school district lying outside of the incorporated limits of said city or incorporated town, and said tax shall be collected in the same manner as other school taxes are entered and collected and when collected, shall be paid into the treasury of said county, and should any board of supervisors with whom the tax is filed fail to levy the tax as required by this section it shall be the duty of the auditor of the county to make such levy."

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 736 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Denel, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—Roland—1.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 518—An act to amend section 287 of the Civil Code of California relating to how corporations may continue their existence under the code—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 518?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the second line of the title of the printed bill strike out the words "of California".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 518 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 1230—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 290*g*, relating to stock without any nominal or par value—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1230?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following: "make effective the laws of this state" and insert in lieu thereof the following "add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered two hundred ninety *g*.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the period following the figure "1" add the following "A new section is hereby added to the Civil Code to be numbered two hundred ninety *g* and to read as follows

290*g*."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the period insert a paragraph reading as follows "All provisions of law requiring that the par value of capital stock be stated in articles of incorporation or in amendments thereof or otherwise shall be deemed to be fully complied with in respect to shares without any nominal or par value if it be stated concerning such shares that they have no nominal or par value"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1230 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.
Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 582?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, and insert in lieu thereof the following "may be accepted for recordation from the veterans welfare board and the California highway commission, whenever the secretary or assistant secretary of said board or commission certifies that said grant has been accepted by the respective body."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 10, of the amended printed bill, on April 9, 1925, strike out every word beginning with and including the word "provided" down to and including the word "body" on line 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided, further*, that grants to the State of California for highway purposes may be accepted by the secretary of the California highway commission and the certificate of acceptance signed by said secretary or assistant secretary shall be sufficient to entitle the deed to be recorded. No resolution of acceptance of any deed or grant conveying real estate or any interest therein, or easement thereon, shall be necessary, when such deed or grant of real estate or any interest therein, or easement thereon, is made to the 'veterans welfare board' of the State of California."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, as amended April 16, 1925, strike out the period after the word "recorded" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided further*, that grants to counties, cities or school districts may be accepted by the clerk or secretary of the governing body thereof and the certificate or acknowledgment of acceptance signed by such clerk or secretary shall entitle such grants to be recorded."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 582 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment
Also:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to define collection agencies to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing

thereof, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 631?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "agency" and insert in lieu thereof the following ", also excepting banks, non-profit cooperative associations, abstract companies doing an escrow business, duly licensed real estate agents"

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 631 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 585—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1184*d*, relating to the furnishing of bonds by persons against whom claims are filed and prescribing the duties of public officers in respect thereto—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 585?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended April 8, 1925, strike out the word "controler" and insert in lieu thereof the word "controller"

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 585 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 151—An act declaring the county road commencing at Beegum, in Shasta County, and extending to Peanut, in Trinity County, to be a State highway—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 151?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In second line of title of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 6, 1925, strike out the word "Tehama" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Shasta".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 2, of the printed bill as amended in Assembly April 6, 1925, strike out the word "Tehama" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Shasta".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 151 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Critterden Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 388—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 388?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "direct" strike out the words "the county".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 388 was concurred in by the following vote

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and five minutes a m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Coombs.

The roll of absentees was called, and the report and amendments by Committee on Free Conference adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Olivia, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence Walters, Weller Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of eleven o'clock a m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILL NUMBER FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIX.

Senate Bill No 486—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor; providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold; providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds; fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Hartranft and Murray demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 486 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Rendollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—48.

NOES—Bernard, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Deuel, Easley, Hartranft, Jost, Louttit, McPherson, Melville, Murphy, Roland, Runner, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—22.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Assembly Bill No. 144—An act to amend section 583 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions

Consideration of Governor's veto

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Coombs, Crittenden, and Louttit—5

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51

Assembly Bill No. 683—An act to amend section 1357 of the Political Code, relating to the procuring of ballots by absent voters.

Consideration of Governor's veto

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Broughton, Browne, Burns, Crittenden, Croter, Dorris, Hawes, McDonough, Mueller, and Runner—10.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson,

Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.

Assembly Bill No. 2—An act declaring a certain public highway extending from Madera in Madera County to the boundary line of the Yosemite National Park in Mariposa County to be a State highway and providing for the construction of the same.

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, McDonough, McDowell, Murray, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, and Williamson—24.

NOES—Bernard, Brock, Cleveland, Cloudman, Deuel, Dodge, Finney, Hartranft, Little, Louttit, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Mueller, Scofield, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—22.

Assembly Bill No 542—An act to amend section 602 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass on timbered or cut-over land

Consideration of Governor's veto.

The question being put: Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the veto of the Governor?

The roll was called, and the veto of the Governor sustained by the following vote:

AYES—Campbell—1

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr Oliva waived his notice to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No 632 was passed.

Senate Bill No 632 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RECESS.

At twelve o'clock m., on motion of Mr. Cleveland, the Assembly was declared at recess until one o'clock and thirty minutes p m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At one o'clock and thirty minutes p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 23—Relative to the work of the American Legion—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-third day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a m.

ROBERTS, Chairman

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No. 66—An act to amend section 4250 of the Political Code, relating to salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-first class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 69—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 70—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Griffith Company against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 71—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the city of Whittier against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 113—An act to appropriate $887.42 to pay the claim of the city of Berkeley against the State of California for setting back the curbs, constructing concrete curbs and gutters, paving and widening the area and providing drainage on those portions of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft way fronting upon property of the University of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 114—An act authorizing certain improvements upon the grounds of the California School for the Deaf and Blind at Berkeley, California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 160—An act declaring the public highway extending from Fresno, in Fresno County, to Tracy, in San Joaquin County, and running through Mendota, Dos Palos, Newman and Crows Landing, to Tracy, to be a State highway,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 219—An act declaring the public highway extending from Douglas City, Trinity County, to Peanut, Trinity County, to be a State highway,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 274—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 3779, relating to certain unclaimed tax sale moneys,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 290—An act declaring a certain highway between Mission San Jose and Dublin by way of Sunol in the county of Alameda to be a State highway,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 296—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending sections 44 and 47 thereof, relating to the rights of the owner of real property upon assessment sale and the sale of such real property and the rights of the purchaser thereof and the redemption of property sold at delinquent assessment sale,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 307—An act to validate bonds of school districts, high school districts, and junior college districts,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 325—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of such funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, referring to teachers' retirement salaries,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 423—An act to add a new section to be numbered 52½ to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to assuming of obligation of guarantor by public utilities,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 424—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 426—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No 445—An act to amend section 4263 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fourth class,

Also Assembly Bill No 482—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved April 15, 1880, as amended, relating to funds of the said society,

Also Assembly Bill No 488—An act declaring the public highway extending from the east end of the Rio Vista bridge in Sacramento County, thence southerly following the present roadway along the Brannan Island levee and the Sherman Island levee to the north end of the new Antioch bridge, and from the south end of said bridge to and intersecting with the present concrete highway about one and one-half miles south of the new bridge, and such highway continuing to Antioch, Pittsburg, Nichols, Bay Point, Concord, Walnut Creek and La Fayette, to the county line of Alameda County, to be a State highway,

Also Assembly Bill No 521—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No 522—An act to amend section 52 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No 596—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers and materials used for manurial purposes, and providing penalties for the infraction thereof, and means for enforcement of the act," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees.

Also Assembly Bill No 614—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered section 1612c, relating to the education of children under control of the juvenile court,

Also Assembly Bill No. 615—An act appropriating money for the restoration and rebuilding of Fort Ross, Sonoma County, California,

Also Assembly Bill No 622—An act to amend section 4189 of the Political Code, relating to service of writs, notices and other process in justices' courts,

Also Assembly Bill No 640—An act to amend section 20 of an act known as the "Pure Milk Law," of California, approved June 15, 1923, relating to the labeling of market milk,

Also Assembly Bill No 655—An act to declare certain reclaimed land in the city of Vallejo to be free from certain trusts and restrictions imposed on such land when granted to such city,

Also Assembly Bill No 677—An act to amend section 637c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game,

Also Assembly Bill No 684—An act to amend section 1192 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics liens;

Also Assembly Bill No 732—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Board of Embalmers, defining the duties thereof, providing for the better protection of life and health, preventing the spread of contagious diseases, regulating the practice of embalming in connection with the care and disposal of the dead and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved April 16, 1915, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Embalmers,

Also Assembly Bill No 784—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of municipal hospitals within cities of the fifth and sixth classes," approved May 26, 1921, by adding three new sections, to be numbered 9, 10 and 11 respectively, relating to the acceptance of gifts, devises and bequests for the endowment and support of municipal hospitals, for the management and control of municipal hospitals and for the leasing and sale of municipal hospitals to nonprofit hospital associations,

Also Assembly Bill No. 817—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to speed limits,

Also Assembly Bill No 822—An act to amend section 671 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the docketing of judgments,

Also Assembly Bill No 825—An act to amend section 674 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the recording of copy of judgments, providing for the lien thereof and the extent of such lien,

Also Assembly Bill No 828—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1308*a*, relating to orders admitting wills to probate and the certification and recordation of wills,

Also Assembly Bill No 830—An act to amend section 164 of the Civil Code relating to community property,

Also: Assembly Bill No 832—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of a bond of guardian before selling or encumbrancing the estate of a person under guardianship,

Also Assembly Bill No. 833—An act to amend section 1577 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship,

Also. Assembly Bill No 852—An act to amend section 4245 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers in counties of the sixteenth class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 853—An act to amend section 1662 of the Political Code, relating to the course of study in elementary schools and the age of admission of children into the elementary schools and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1662*a*, relating to the registration of minors,

Also. Assembly Bill No 1120—An act to amend section 1609 of the Political Code, relating to teachers, principals and supervisors,

Also Assembly Bill No 1189—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in Tulare County, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Tulare County to convey said road to the State of California.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1202—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties adjacent to the cities of Richmond, Albany, Berkeley, Piedmont, Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward,

Also Assembly Bill No 1261—An act authorizing the establishing of port and harbor districts; providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation by said districts of systems of navigation, canals and harbor improvements, rail and water transfer and terminal and industrial facilities and to provide the method of payment therefor,

Also· Assembly Bill No 1271—An act to add a new section to be numbered 38 to an act entitled "An act approving the report of the California Debris Commission transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, directing the approval of plans of reclamation along the Sacramento River or its tributaries or upon the swamp lands adjacent to said river, directing the State Engineer to procure data and make surveys and examinations for the purpose of perfecting the plans contained in said report of the California Debris Commission and to make report thereof, making an appropriation to pay the expenses of such examination and surveys, and creating a Reclamation Board, and defining its powers," approved December 24, 1911, as amended, relating to proceedings involved in the maintenance, repair and operation of works of reclamation and flood control existing on April 1, 1923, and the completion, maintenance and operation of any project adopted by the Reclamation Board prior to April 1, 1923, and the adoption and carrying to completion of any project or work involved in or contained in the report of the California Debris Commission, dated January 5, 1925, and now in the course of transmission to the Congress of the United States,

Also. Assembly Bill No 1273—An act to amend section 4256 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees, and compensation of county officers of the twenty-seventh class,

Also Assembly Bill No 1277—An act to amend section 4041*f*, and to add a new section to be numbered 4408*a* of the Political Code, relating to homes and meeting places for veterans,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1286—An act to amend section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to justices of the peace and to justice's courts and relating to the salaries of certain justices of the peace;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1288—An act to amend section 1923 of the "Juvenile Court Act," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the twenty-third class;

Also Assembly Bill No 1290—An act to amend section 4266 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the thirty-seventh class,

Also Assembly Bill No 997—An act to amend section 637*a* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-third day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a m

ROBERTS, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Senate Bill No 458—An act to amend section 607*d* of the Civil Code, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

(Signed out)

JONES, Chairman.
SAYLOR
LOUTTIT.
RUNNER.
MIXTER.
WEMPLE
CLOUDMAN.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections, to which was referred Senate Bill No 456—An act to amend section 607*e* of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

(Signed out)

JONES, Chairman.
RUNNER
SAYLOR
LOUTTIT
WEMPLE.
MIXTER
CLOUDMAN.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 815—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior courts,

Also Senate Bill No. 485—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission and for their compensation and traveling expenses, providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof, to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act,

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 217—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the erection and equipment of State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes,

Also Senate Bill No 367—An act creating a commission for the reform of criminal procedure and appropriating funds therefor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass as amended

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 39—An act to amend section 457 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the watchmen in the office of the State Treasurer,

Also. Senate Bill No 41—An act appropriating money for tinting, papering and other necessary improvements and repairs of the Governor's mansion and outbuildings thereof at Sacramento and for new carpets, furnishings, and equipment to be used therein,

Also. Senate Bill No. 45—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes,

Also Senate Bill No 47—An act appropriating money for the installation of a water system at Marshall's Monument grounds,

Also: Senate Bill No 57—An act to provide for the reforestation, constructing and maintaining of fire lanes and fire trails on the Angeles National Forest, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Also Senate Bill No 103—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. E Purrington against the State of California,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 128—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of Mad River from erosion by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof,

Also Senate Bill No 197—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of the Santa Ynez River, through what is commonly known as the Lompoc Valley, from erosion, by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof,

Also Senate Bill No 291—An act appropriating money to complete the construction of the trail in the Sierra Nevada Mountains known as the "John Muir Trail" and laterals therefrom,

Also Senate Bill No 297—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the County of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901,

Also Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1374 of the Penal Code, relating to expenses of persons committed to State hospitals,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 110—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Vreeland, Everts and Company—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 696—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the State Harbor Commissioner to pay fines levied by the Interstate Commerce Commission in connection with the operation of the Belt Railroad out of the San Francisco Harbor Improvement Fund in an amount not exceeding $900,

Also Senate Bill No 823—An act making an appropriation for the repair of the State Armory at San Francisco;

Also Senate Bill No 825—An act making an appropriation for the repair and alteration of the east wing of the State Exposition Building at Exposition Park, Los Angeles,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 395—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the First National Bank of Los Angeles, against the State of California,

Also Senate Bill No 510—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book,

Also Senate Bill No 575—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736a, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal,

Also Senate Bill No 576—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the chief justice and each of the associate justices of the Supreme Court,

Also Senate Bill No 616—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose,

Also Senate Bill No 694—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Percy E Towne and Peter A Breen, against the State of California,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for second reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 458—An act to amend section 607*d* of the Civil Code, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 456—An act to amend section 607*e* of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior courts.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, of the bill as amended in the Senate April 17, 1925, strike out lines 7 to 20, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

In the counties of San Diego, Fresno, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Santa Clara, San Bernardino, Orange and Sonoma, six thousand dollars

In the counties of Butte, Glenn, Kern, Imperial, Humboldt, Napa, Contra Costa, Marin, Mendocino, Merced, Monterey, Placer, Riverside, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Barbara, Santa Cruz, Siskiyou, Solano, Stanislaus, Tehama, Tulare and Ventura, five thousand dollars

In the county of Lassen, four thousand two hundred dollars.

In the counties of Amador, Calaveras, Colusa, Eldorado, Inyo, Lake, Kings, Mariposa, Madera, Mono, Nevada, Plumas, San Benito, Shasta, Sutter, Tuolumne, Yolo and Yuba, four thousand dollars.

In the counties of Alpine, Del Norte, Modoc, Sierra and Trinity, three thousand dollars.

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 485—An act to amend sections nine and ten of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission, and for their compensation and traveling expenses; providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof, to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendment was submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "be", strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five"

Amendment adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 217—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the erection and equipment of State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "of", strike out the words "one million".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On line 1 of the title after the word "of", strike out the words "one million".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 367—An act creating a Commission for the Reform of Criminal Procedure and appropriating funds therefor.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS.

During second reading of the bill, the following amendments were submitted by the committee:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 20, strike out the figures "($20,000)" and insert in lieu thereof "($10,000)".

Amendments adopted.

Bill read second time, ordered to reprint, and on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 39—An act to amend section 457 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the watchmen in the office of the State Treasurer.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 41—An act appropriating money for tinting, papering and other necessary improvements and repairs of the Governor's mansion and outbuildings thereof at Sacramento and for new carpets, furnishings, and equipment to be used therein.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 45—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 47—An act appropriating money for the installation of a water system at Marshall's monument grounds.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 57—An act to provide for the reforestation, constructing and maintaining of fire lanes and fire trails on the Angeles National Forest, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 103—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. E. Purrington against the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 128—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of Mad River from erosion by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 197—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of the Santa Ynez river, through what is commonly known as the Lompoc Valley, from erosion, by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 291—An act appropriating money to complete the construction of the trail in the Sierra Nevada mountains known as the "John Muir Trail" and laterals therefrom.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 297—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1374 of the Penal Code, relating to expenses of persons committed to State hospitals.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 110—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Vreeland, Everts & Co.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 696—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the State Harbor Commissioner to pay fines levied by the Interstate Commerce Commission in connection with the operation of the Belt Railroad out of the San Francisco harbor improvement fund in an amount not exceeding $900.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 823—An act making an appropriation for the repair of the State Armory at San Francisco.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 825—An act making an appropriation for the repair and alteration of the east wing of the State Exposition Building at Exposition Park, Los Angeles.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 395—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the First National Bank of Los Angeles, against the State of California.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 510—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all

conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No. 575—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the Chief Justice and of each of the associate justices of the Supreme Court.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

Senate Bill No 616—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

Senate Bill No. 694—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Percy E. Towne and Peter A. Breen, against the State of California

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No 572—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 20, of the amended printed bill, after the word "upon" insert the words "a verified"

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 572, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

LITTLE, Select Committee

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 365—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Little moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6, line 48, strike out the figures "3000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2500".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 6, line 49, strike out the figures "3001" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2501".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 6, line 51, strike out the figures "3002" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2502".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 8, line 22, strike out the figures "3000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2500".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 8, line 46, strike out the figures "3001" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2501".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 9, line 31, strike out the figures "3002" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2502"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 9, line 37, strike out the figures "3003" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2503".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 9, line 38, strike out the figures "3004" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2504".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE

On page 9, line 39, strike out the figures "3005" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2505".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 9, line 40, strike out the figures "3006" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2506".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 9, line 41, strike out the figures "3003" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2503"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 9, line 43 strike out the figures "3004" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2504".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN.

On page 10, line 3, strike out the figures "3005" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2505".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN

On page 10, line 5, strike out the figures "3006" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2506".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Little as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 365, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out

LITTLE, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Lyons moved that Senate Bill No. 38 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 38 re-referred to Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy.

Senate Bill No. 138—An act to provide proper sanitary conditions at terminals for the preservation of the health of employees.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Reindollar moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "that" after the word "act" and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Reindollar as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 138, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

REINDOLLAR, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Dillinger waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 602 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 602 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

EXPLANATION OF NOTICE OF MOTION TO RECONSIDER SENATE BILL NUMBER SIX HUNDRED TWO.

MR. SPEAKER: I would like the record to show that I gave notice of motion to reconsider Senate Bill No. 602 (the Gas Tax Bill) out of courtesy to a fellow member who had intended to make the motion, but who, by reason of unavoidable circumstances, was unable to do so.

I have at no time changed my position on the bill, which I have consistently supported.

Respectfully yours,

H. E. DILLINGER,
Assemblyman Sixteenth District.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Coombs:

WHEREAS, There is now being organized a bridge and road district, comprising several of the bay counties embracing the city and county of San Francisco, all for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the waters of the Golden Gate; and,

WHEREAS, The bond issue required for such construction would be such that the part to be borne by San Francisco would, together with its budget estimate, exceed the expenditures for the year fixed by its charter; and,

WHEREAS, The question has been raised as to whether the district government pertaining to bridges and highways, and now being organized is in any way limited or restricted by the charter regulations of the city and county of San Francisco in the matter of voting bonds for such construction; now be it

Resolved, That the Attorney General of the State of California, be requested to give his legal opinion upon this question, and as to whether the district government concerning roads is a separate political entity and not restricted by the charter limits of any city within the district

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 1197—An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood Highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino Pass and down Grindstone Creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific Highway, to be a State highway;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1241—An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts,

Also Assembly Bill No 1248—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools,

Also Assembly Bill No 1265—An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for domestic manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain, and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1268—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment,

Also, Assembly Bill No 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, to be numbered 13, relating to inclusion and exclusion of territory in public cemetery districts,

Also, Assembly Bill No 718—An act regulating the buying, receiving as a pledge and shipping of builders' tools, and requiring every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, to keep a register of all such tools bought or received as a pledge, or shipped or otherwise transmitted to any place outside the county in which the same were bought or received as a pledge, and to deliver daily, except on legal holidays, a copy of such register, to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department, or to the sheriff of the county, and prescribing a penalty for violation of the act,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1074—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree,

Also, Assembly Bill No 1291—An act to amend sections 1, 15 and 18 and to add a new section, to be numbered 19, to "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls, to provide for the maintenance and management of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 14, 1913, as amended.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway,

Also: Assembly Bill No 808—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. K. Landtam, against the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 942—An act to amend section 57 of and to add a new section to be numbered 53a to the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923.

Also Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway,

Also Assembly Bill No 1058—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the redemption of property which has been heretofore sold to irrigation districts for delinquent assessments," approved March 10, 1891, relating to delinquent assessments and rates thereon;

Also Assembly Bill No 1084—An act to create and define the powers and duties of a State Commission to represent the State in arranging and carrying out a program for the celebration of the bicentennial of the birth of George Washington.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Assembly Bill No 72—An act declaring the county road in Calaveras County, extending from Angels Camp through Vallecita and Murphy to Calaveras Big Trees in the National Forest to be a State highway,

Also: Assembly Bill No 206—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 588d, relating to the preservation against defacement of the public highways of the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 265—An act to amend section 2967 of the Civil Code, relating to foreclosures of mortgages,

Also Assembly Bill No 320—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 39f thereof, relating to the payment of tolls and charges for the use of water and making the same a lien upon the lands upon which such water is used and making the same a part of the annual assessment levied by said district,

Also Assembly Bill No 417—An act to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 2322h, relating to infested or infected fruit, nuts and vegetables,

Also Assembly Bill No 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149g, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 348—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age, who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not accurately speak, read or write the English language, to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and provided penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to certificates and permits to work issued to pupils in full-time day schools.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 140—An act authorizing the creation of a hazardous fire area, prescribing what shall not be done within such area and authorizing the state forester to protect such area,

Also Senate Bill No 212—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 353b, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines,

Also. Senate Bill No 272—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 401, relating to the return of files of cases relating to real property and which have been transferred for trial, to the court in which the action was begun,

Also: Senate Bill No 337—An act making an appropriation for emergency relief of Indians in California;

Also. Senate Bill No 369—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing,

Also. Senate Bill No 437—An act to authorize the State Highway Commission to cooperate with the Federal Bureau of Public Roads in numbering and marking the roads of interstate character;

Also: Senate Bill No 439—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to take over and maintain the present State highway from Shaver's Wells by way of Mecca to Coachella and fixing the route of such highway and declaring such highway to be a State highway;

Also: Senate Bill No 508—An act to amend section 598 of the Civil Code, relating to property of religious corporations

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 379—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, to repeal sections 1083, 1136, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code, to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code, to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof, consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive, and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods, to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor, to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property, to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures, to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states,

Also· Senate Bill No 596—An act to regulate the sale and issuance of hunting and fishing licenses to hunt, take, pursue, or kill, wild birds or mammals, or to take, catch, or kill, game fishes for purposes other than sale or profit to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, protection and restoration, defining game fishes, providing a method for the issuance of such licenses, defining resident and nonresident licenses, prohibiting the sale or issuance of any hunting license to any alien, providing a penalty for the violation of this act and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with this act,

Also· Senate Bill No 636—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to apportionment of school funds.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No 693—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to definitions, licenses, and what must be stated in applications therefor, giving to the Commissioner of Labor the power to revoke or refuse to grant licenses and providing penalties for operating an agency, directly or indirectly, without a license, for transferring or accepting any interest therein without permission from the commissioner, or for failing to list in the application all persons financially interested in the agency in question;

Also: Senate Bill No 705—An act to amend section 627 of the Penal Code, relating to trespass,

Also Senate Bill No 796—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way, and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result from such improvement, and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof upon the property benefited thereby, and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvements, and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to awarding of contracts

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Joint Resolution No 21—Relating to the classification act of 1923.

Also, Senate Joint Resolution No 22—Relating to retirement of federal employees,

Also Senate Joint Resolution No 23—Relating to pay increases of government employees.

Also, Senate Constitutional Amendment No 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding section 2¾ to article II of said constitution, relating to election to nonpartisan office at a primary election.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealer engaged in the handling, receiving or selling of farm products and to create the produce dealers' license fund, to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein, to define the powers and duties of the State Directors of Agriculture with reference thereto, to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products, to declare certain acts to be offenses, to establish the jurisdiction thereof, and fix the penalties therefor, to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 225?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 8 of the title of the printed bill, after the word "offenses" insert a comma followed by the words "to establish the jurisdiction thereof".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 13, of the printed amended bill, strike out the words "butter, cheese, eggs" and insert in lieu thereof the following "green corn, rhubarb, avocadoes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 5, line 43, of the printed amended bill, after the word "affected" strike out the period and insert a semicolon and the following "*and provided further*, that in the absence of a written agreement, no produce dealer shall charge the account of any consignor for the collection of any such claim, more than twenty per cent of the amount collected."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, at the end of line 30 of the printed amended bill, add the following: "Civil suits and criminal prosecutions arising by virtue of any of the provisions of this act may be commenced and tried in either the county where the products were received by the produce dealer, or within the county in which the principal place of business of such produce dealer is located within the State of California, or within the county in which the violations of this act occurred."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 225 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobsen, Johnson, Jost, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—47

NOES—Louttit, Walters, and West—3.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 134—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of

school property by one district to another—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 134?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "leased," insert the following: "Said resolution together with a notice fixing a time and place within the district at which a public meeting of such board will be held to consider the report of the appraisers and the sale or lease of the real property described in the resolution, shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation published within the district if any newspaper is published therein, or, if none is published therein, in a newspaper published in the county, for not less than once a week for two weeks prior to said meeting. At the time and place fixed in the published notice, the board shall meet and consider such sale or lease and the report of said board of appraisers."

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 134 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 824—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 824?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 21, of the printed bill, after the word "county," strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 824 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 827?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 29, of the printed bill, strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and"

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 827 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 823?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word county", strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 40, of the printed bill, following the word "court", strike out the word "may" and insert in lieu thereof the word "must".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "county", strike out the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 823 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 533—An act adding a new section to the Civil Code of this State, to be numbered section 2205 and relating to the liability of stage lines, transfer companies and other common carriers operating over public highways for loss or damage to baggage—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 533?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the word "fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 533 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 858—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" approved April 12, 1923—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 858?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 8, of the printed bill as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, strike out the word "term" and insert in lieu thereof the words "period of time".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 858 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend sections 3751 and 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 142?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In lines 1 and 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1925, strike out the following: "sections three thousand seven hundred fifty-six and three thousand eight hundred seventeen", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "section three thousand seven hundred fifty-one"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1925, strike out the following: "three thousand seven hundred fifty-six", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three thousand seven hundred fifty-one"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1925, strike out lines 3 to 27, inclusive; and on page 2 of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1925, strike out lines 1 to 52, inclusive, and on page 3 of the printed bill, as amended March 11, 1925, strike out lines 1 to 13, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"3751. He must give a receipt to the person paying any tax or any part of any tax, specifying the amount of the assessment and the tax, or any part of tax paid, and the amount remaining unpaid, if any, with a description of the property assessed, and printing clearly the beginning and ending of the fiscal year for which such tax is paid; *provided*, that the receipt for the last installment of taxes may refer, by number or any other intelligent manner, to the receipt given for the first installment of taxes in lieu of a description of the property assessed; *provided, further*, that all tax bills have printed thereon a conspicuous notice that in the event that taxes are unpaid the delinquent will in addition to the same, be obliged to pay upon redemption of the property, interest at seven per cent per annum and the redemption penalties required under section three thousand eight hundred seventeen of the Political Code, with the percentages therefor set forth."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 142 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Cuttenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobsen, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 1925 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 81?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill as amended April 13, 1925, strike out the word "section" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1925, after the word "one", add the following "and three thousand eight hundred seventeen"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended April 13, 1925, after line 20, add the following

"SEC. 2. Section three thousand eight hundred seventeen of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows

3817. In all cases where real estate has been sold, or may hereafter be sold to the state for delinquent taxes and the state has not disposed of the same, the person whose estate has been or may hereafter be sold, his heirs, executors, administrators or other successors in interest shall, at any time after the same has been

sold to the state and before the state shall have disposed of the same, have the right to redeem such real estate by paying to the county treasurer of the county wherein the real estate may be situated, the amount of taxes, penalties for delinquencies and costs due thereon at the time of such sale, with interest on the aggregate amount of said taxes, at the rate of seven per cent per annum; and also all taxes that were a lien upon said real property at the time said taxes became delinquent, and also all unpaid taxes of every description assessed against the property for each year since the sale, as shown on the delinquent assessment rolls in the then permanent custody of the county auditor, or, if not so assessed, then upon the value of the property as assessed in the year nearest the time of such redemption, with interest from the first day of July of each of said years, respectively, at the same rate, to the time of redemption, and also all costs and expenses of such redemption, and penalties as follows, to wit: Ten per cent if redeemed within six months from July first of the year of sale; twenty per cent if redeemed within one year therefrom, thirty per cent if redeemed within two years therefrom; forty per cent if redeemed within three years therefrom; forty-five per cent if redeemed within four years therefrom, and fifty per cent if redeemed within five or any greater number of years therefrom. The penalty shall be computed upon the amount of each year's taxes in like manner, reckoning from July first of the year when the lands would have been sold for the taxes of that year, if there had been no previous sales thereof.

The county auditor shall, on the application of the person desiring to redeem, make an estimate of the amount to be paid, and shall give him triplicate certificates of the amount, specifying the several amounts thereof, which certificates the redemptioner shall deliver to the county treasurer, together with the money, and the county treasurer shall give triplicate receipts, written or indorsed upon said certificates, one to the redemptioner, and two to the county auditor, who shall deliver one of the said receipts to the state controller.

Upon consummation of the redemption and the delivery of the receipts aforesaid by the treasurer, the auditor shall report the same to the assessor, tax collector and recorder, and the recorder shall, without payment of fee, note on the margin of the record of the certificate of sale, or deed, if issued, the fact of such redemption, the date thereof, and by whom redeemed, which certificate of sale, or deed, shall become null and void, and all right, title and interest acquired by virtue of the tax sale, shall cease and determine.

The county treasurer shall settle for the moneys received as for other state and county moneys.

The state controller shall, upon request of the auditor, issue a receipt which may be recorded in the recorder's office of the county in which said real estate is situated, in the book of deeds, and the record thereof shall have the same effect as that of a deed of reconveyance of the interest conveyed by such deed or certificate of sale.

This act shall also apply to state lands sold by the state when the full amount of the purchase price has not been paid to the state therefor, after the deed to the state, provided for in section three thousand seven hundred eighty-five has been filed with the surveyor general, *provided, however*, that one of the receipts showing the redemption of such land shall be delivered to the surveyor general who shall issue his receipt to the redemptioner: *and provided, further*, that no certificates of redemption shall be issued by the county auditor until he has first ascertained from the surveyor general that the land has not been disposed of by the state.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, strike out the following: "add a new section to" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Amend section nineteen *a* twenty-five of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, strike out the following: "a new section is hereby added to" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section nineteen *a* twenty-five of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 11, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, strike out the following: "said section" and strike out lines 11 and 12, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "is hereby amended to read as follows".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 2, line 22, of the printed bill, as amended April 14, 1925, after the word "traveling" insert the following: "and other".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

Strike out lines 21 and 22 of the title of the amended bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 81 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 83?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 6 of the printed bill, as amended April 8, 1925, lines 8 and 9, strike out the word "counties" and insert in lieu thereof the word "township".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 83 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1698 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 305?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 25, of the printed bill, strike out the word "Ninth" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Seventh".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 305 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 637—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 637?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the word "Section" strike out the figure "1" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "loaf", strike out the period, insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following *provided, however*, that bread made of two pieces of dough baked in one pan and sold as one loaf shall not be considered as a twin or multiple loaf"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 24, of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 1 of the printed bill, after the word "Sec.", strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 7, of the printed bill, after the word "than", strike out the amended word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 637 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 1227—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-first class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1227?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1 of the amended bill, strike out the third to seventh lines, inclusive, of the title of the amended bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-first class".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 26, of the amended bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 31, of the amended bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "annum"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 34, of the amended bill, strike out the semicolon after the word "annum".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 17, of the amended bill, after the figures "13.", insert the following: "For the purpose of fixing the compensation of justices of the peace according to their duties, townships of this class of counties are hereby classified according to population. The population shall be determined by the board of supervisors upon the enactment of this act, and also at the time of formation of any new township or townships. The board may determine such population by multiplying by three the number of registered voters at the last general election next preceding the date of such determination."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 19, of the amended bill, after the word "annum", strike out the period and insert a comma in lieu thereof, and add the following: "payable monthly."

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 46, of the amended bill, after the comma after the word "constables" insert the word "each".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 4 of the amended bill, strike out from line 33 to line 41, both inclusive.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1227 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Maller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 164?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 14, after the words "deputy jailer" strike out the words "who shall be" and also on line 15 strike out the words "custodian of the courthouse grounds".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 15, after the words "salary of" strike out the words "one thousand five hundred dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two thousand".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "one hundred".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

In line 27 of the printed bill after the word "thousand" strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 2, line 33, of the printed bill, after the word "thousand" insert the words "one hundred".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 164 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1142—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1893*a*, relating to publication of school notices—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1142?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Amend the title of said act by inserting the letter "*a*" after the words "ninety-three," in line 2 thereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 3 of the printed bill, insert the letter "*a*" after the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 4, strike out the figures "1893" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1893*a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 7 of the printed bill, after the word "district" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following words: "*provided, however*, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to notices of sale of school bonds or to notices inviting bids published pursuant to section one thousand six hundred twelve of this code".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1142 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 473—An act to

amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 473?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "issued" and insert in lieu thereof a period.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out every word beginning with and including the word "upon" down to and including the word "undertaking" on line 27.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 473 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1252—An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlements by executors and administrators—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1252?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 9 of the printed bill, as amended March 27, strike out the words "one year" and insert in lieu thereof the words "five years".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1252 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noves, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to regulate the procuring of persons to take the places of employees in anticipation of or during strikes, lockouts or other labor troubles, and repealing an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 250?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 20, of the printed bill, strike out all of Sec. 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC. 5. *Provided*, that the foregoing provisions shall not apply to the advertisement or solicitation published solely or made within the same city or locality where the strike, lockout or other labor disturbance exists.

SEC. 6. The act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913, is hereby repealed, except as to violations of said act committed before the date this act becomes effective."

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 250 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J. Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code, relating to bonded indebtedness—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1006?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the printed bill, strike out the words "on the"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the printed bill, strike out the words "on or before September first" and insert in lieu thereof the words "between the twentieth day of August and the first day of September"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1006 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 21, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to amend sections 1510, 1511*b*, and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 598?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On line 13 of the printed bill, as amended March 20, 1925, after the comma following the word "discretion" insert the following, "or at the request of the district attorney,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 598 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J. Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 19, of the printed bill, strike out the word "state".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed amended bill, strike out all of lines 28, 29 and 30 and insert in lieu thereof the following, "shall be deposited in the general fund and shall be applied and the same are hereby appropriated one-half to the State of California to be devoted exclusively to the maintenance and repair of public highways within this state; the remaining one-half shall be apportioned among the respective counties of this state, in the proportion that the number of motor vehicles registered within such county for the preceding calendar year bears to the total number of motor vehicles registered in the State of California under the Motor Vehicle Act of such state for the preceding year and such sums so paid to said counties shall be devoted exclusively to the maintenance and repair of public highways within such county."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "will" and insert in lieu thereof the words "expect to".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 20 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered to enrollment. Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution by adding a new section to article VI thereof to be numbered section 4½, relative to courts of appellate jurisdiction—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out all from and including line 11 to and including line 30, and in lieu thereof insert:

"Section 4½. In all cases where trial by jury is not a matter of right or where trial by jury has been waived, the legislature may grant to any court of appellate jurisdiction the power, in its discretion, to make findings of fact contrary to, or in addition to, those made by the trial court. The legislature may provide that such findings may be based on the evidence adduced before the trial court, either with or without the taking of additional evidence by the court of appellate jurisdiction. The legislature may also grant to any court of appellate jurisdiction the power, in its discretion, for the purpose of making such findings or for any other purpose in the interest of justice, to take additional evidence of or concerning facts occurring at any time prior to the decision of the appeal, and to give or direct the entry of any judgment or order and to make such further or other order as the case may require."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 16 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

The above reported constitutional amendment ordered to enrollment. Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters—and appointed Senators Murphy, Boggs and Creighton, as a Committee on Conference to meet a like Committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Pierce, Campbell, and Jacobson as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like

committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1023.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class—and appointed Senators Gray, Powers and Crowley, as a Committee on Conference to meet a like Committee from the Assembly.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate,
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Anderson, R. J., Anderson, D. P., and McDonough as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1100.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BILL.

Messrs. Miller, J. A., Oliva, and Reindollar moved that Senate Bill No. 678 be withdrawn from the Committee on Fish and Game and placed on file.

The question being on the motion to withdraw.

The roll was called and the motion lost by the following vote:

AYES—Coombs, Croter, Foster, Hawes, Heisinger, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Spalding, West, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—19.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, Mitchell, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, and Mr. Speaker—40.

RECONSIDERATION WAIVED.

Mr. Levey waived his motion to reconsider the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 201 was passed.

Senate Bill No. 201 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of three o'clock p. m. having arrived, the special order heretofore set for this hour was taken up for consideration.

Senate Bill No. 178—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation of property therein and the performance of certain functions relating thereto by officers of counties, providing for the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts.

RECONSIDERATION.

In compliance with his notice given on a previous day, Mr. Jones moved that the vote whereby Senate Bill No. 178 was refused passage be reconsidered.

ASSEMBLYMAN ROBERTS IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock and eight minutes p.m., Hon Frederick M. Roberts, member from the Seventy-fourth District, was called to the chair.

The question being the motion to reconsider Senate Bill No. 178 which was refused passage.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION

Messrs. Murphy, Melville, Spencer, Cloudman and Badham demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the motion to reconsider.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At four o'clock and fifteen minutes p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The question being on the motion to reconsider Senate Bill No. 178 which was refused passage.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Jones moved a call of the House.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Roland, Murray, Jones, Byrne and Brock the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion for a call of the House.

The roll was called, and the motion for a call of the House lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dorris, Finney, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jones, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—33

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, and Mr. Speaker—43.

The question being on the motion to reconsider Senate Bill No. 178 which was refused passage.

The roll was called, and the motion to reconsider Senate Bill No. 178 lost by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Jones, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murray, Nielsen, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—30

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, and Mr Speaker—44.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of

Senators Murphy, Boggs, and Creighton, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

PIERCE,
CAMPBELL,
JACOBSON,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs McDowell, Walters and Mrs. Woodbridge as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1023

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Gray, Powers and Crowley, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

ANDERSON, R. J.,
ANDERSON, D. P.,
McDONOUGH,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Sewell and Dayton and Mrs. Saylor as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1100.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40—Relative to revenue and taxation

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40 read.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Anderson, R. J., moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40 as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 26, of the printed amendment, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the words: "*provided, however*, that in the event that it shall be hereafter finally determined by the courts that the classification herein made is inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of the United States constitution or prejudicial to the rights of the state to tax other steam railroad companies operating longer lines of railways at a different and higher rate of tax, then this amendment shall be void, and the rate of tax levied upon the railroads herein included and all steam railroads shall be seven per cent, or such other rate as may hereafter be adopted, fixed upon their gross receipts from operation ascertained as in this constitution provided."

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Anderson, R. J., as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

ANDERSON, R. J., Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40 ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

Senate Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 628*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Cleveland moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 5, of the amended bill, strike out the word "twenty-one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Cleveland as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 523, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

CLEVELAND, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendment adopted.

Bill ordered to reprint, and on file for passage.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Approving amendments and additions to the charter of the city of Oakland, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a nominating municipal election held therein on the twenty-first day of April, 1925.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 read, and referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

The following report of Special Committee was received, read and ordered printed in the Journal:

WHEREAS, Under a resolution of this House, the undersigned members were appointed a committee to investigate, among other matters, the conduct of the officers of this House with reference to Assembly Bill No. 440, and

WHEREAS, The committee submitted its report in which the conduct of Arthur A. Ohnimus and Charles Wilkinsen, Chief Clerk and Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly, respectively, was criticised; and

WHEREAS, Since submitting said report the members of this committee have observed and appreciated the conduct of said officers, they, said members, are free to say that said conduct has been exemplary in all respects, that said officers have discharged their several duties with honesty, ability and fidelity, and that they are now entitled to all the benefits and esteem to follow good conduct and faithful service.

SIDNEY T. GRAVES.
ISAAC JONES.
GEORGE C. CLEVELAND.
T. M. WRIGHT.
FRANK L. COOMBS.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

To the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with the provisions of section 13 of "An act to authorize the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities through the issuance and sale of State bonds for the single object of creating a fund to carry on the operations of the Veterans' Welfare Board," etc. (chapter 578, Statutes of 1921, submitted to voters at the general election in November, 1922), I hereby lay before you an abstract of proceedings under said act of the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee, the State Controller and State Treasurer, together with their report to me.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE BOOKS AND RECORDS OF ACCOUNT OF THE DIVISION OF FARM AND HOME PURCHASES AND VETERANS' WELFARE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Honorable Friend Wm. Richardson,
Governor of California,
Sacramento, California.

DEAR SIR In compliance with section 13 of chapter 578, Statutes of 1921, there is herewith submitted a report as of April 1, 1925, together with abstract of all proceedings of the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee.

The Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee is composed of Friend W. Richardson, Governor, Ray L. Riley, State Controller, Charles G Johnson, State Treasurer; George G. Radcliff, Chairman State Board of Control, and Frank H. Nichols, Chairman of the Veterans' Welfare Board.

Meeting No 1 of the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee was held November 1, 1923, for the purpose of discussing the preliminary procedure to the authorization of bond creation and sale.

Meeting No 2 of the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee was held December 5, 1923, when the committee discussed a proposed resolution fixing the amount of the first bond issue, the purpose of the issue, and the interest rate to be borne by said bonds. After a discussion with the Veterans' Welfare Board as to its plans, the $1,000,000 provided for veteran land settlement purposes was eliminated, and the interest rate reduced from 4¾ per cent to 4½ per cent because of the apparent stability of the bond market.

Meeting No 3 of the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee was held December 20, 1923, at which time the committee adopted a resolution authorizing the creation and sale of $4,000,000 Veterans' Welfare bonds for the administration of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, chapter 519, Statutes of 1921, as amended by chapter 405, Statutes of 1923, on the basis of the plans and projects of the Veterans' Welfare Board

Meeting No. 4 of the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee, held February 11, 1924, fixed the date of sale of the $4,000,000 issue, and authorized and directed the State Treasurer to advertise said sale in accordance with section 8 of the Bond Act.

Meeting No. 5 was held on September 6, 1924, when the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee met and considered a draft of a resolution authorizing the creation and sale of bonds in the amount of $2,000,000 to continue the administration of the Farm and Home Purchase Act. The resolution was adopted and the date of the sale of said bonds fixed and the State Treasurer directed to advertise said sale in accordance with section 8 of the Bond Act.

Meeting No 6 was held on February 24, 1925, when the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee met and considered a resolution authorizing the creation and sale of bonds in the amount of $2,000,000 to continue the administration of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act. The resolution was adopted, fixing the date of sale and directing the State Treasurer to advertise the same in accordance with section 8 of the Bond Act.

To date the creation and sale of 8000 bonds, aggregating $8,000,000 have been authorized by this committee, of which 6000 bonds, aggregating $6,000,000, have been sold On May 1, 1925, 2000 bonds, aggregating $2,000,000, will be offered at public auction in accordance with the provisions of this Bond Act. There remains unissued 2000 bonds of the total of $10,000,000 provided by the act.

The Veterans' Welfare Board has repaid into the General Fund of the State Treasury the loan of $1,950,000 granted under chapter 519, Statutes of 1921. The money to repay this loan was acquired from the receipts of the first bond issue authorized by the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee.

The funds, contractual rights and other properties constituting the assets of which the Farm and Home Purchases is possessed as of March 31, 1925, are sufficient to

offset all current and unmatured obligations, and to absorb adequate reserves, including a reserve for future expenditures of $276,844.26. This reserve represents an excess of income accrued over expenditures incurred, which is restricted in its application to the lawful expenditures of the Farm and Home Purchase Act. Both the maturity of bonds and the interest indebtedness thereon have been promptly paid when due.

Appended hereto are

1. Financial Statement of Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee as of April 1, 1925.
2. Statement of plans and projects of the Veterans' Welfare Board as submitted to the Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee, on which basis the resolutions authorizing bond creation and sales were adopted.
3. Statement showing schedule of maturities of the several bond issues
4. Financial report of the operations of the Veterans' Welfare Board as of April 1, 1925.
5. Status of applications filed by veterans for aid under the Farm and Home Purchase Act, chapter 519, Statutes of 1921, as of April 1, 1925.
6. Number and cost of homes and farms purchased by the Veterans' Welfare Board, as of April 1, 1925.

Respectfully submitted

VETERANS' WELFARE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

State Controller.

Secretary pro tempore.

State Treasurer.

Sacramento, California, April 22, 1925.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE VETERANS' WELFARE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

REVENUE FROM SALE OF BONDS.

As of April 1, 1925.

Date sold	Serial numbers of bonds sold	Rate of Interest	Accrued Interest Collected	Premium on bonds	Par value.	Total collected
3/27/24	1–1000 2600–4000	4½	$17,918 75		$2,350,000 00	$2,367,918 75
4/19/24	2441 2650	4½	2,021 25		210,000 00	212,021 25
4/28/24	1607 2440	4½	8,861 25		834,000 00	842,861 25
5/ 3/24	1001 1606	4½	6,919 00	$250 00	606,000 00	613,169 00
12/23/24	4001 6000	4½	19,125 00	2,450 00	2,000,000 00	2,021,575 00
			$54,845 25	$2,700 00	$6,000,000 00	$6,057,545 25

Number of Bonds authorized to be sold under authority contained in Veterans' Welfare Bond Act of 1921, Chapter 578, Statutes 1921	$10,000,000 00
Bonds Nos 1 to 6000 sold	6,000,000 00
Amount remaining unsold	$4,000,000 00
Amount authorized for sale, May 1, 1925	2,000,000 00
Amount remaining available for sale	$2,000,000 00

VETERANS' WELFARE BOARD.

Plan of Expenditures and Actual Expenditures.

	Amount issued	Repaid State loan	Plan of expenditures	Actual expenditures
1924—				
February	$4,000,000 00	$1,950,000 00	$250,000 00	$64,650 00
March			250,000 00	132,010 00
April			220,000 00	250,500 00
May			220,000 00	257,320 98
June			220,000 00	291,313 00
July			220,000 00	303,775 00
August			220,000 00	307,299 75
September			250,000 00	335,891 58
October	2,000,000 00		50,000 00	388,600 00
November			300,000 00	150,496 95
December			300,000 00	388,950 00
1925—				
January			250,000 00	472,949 28
February			250,000 00	332,100 00
March			250,000 00	427,680 00
April			250,000 00	
May	2,000,000 00		250,000 00	
June			550,000 00	
July			300,000 00	
August			300,000 00	
September			300,000 00	
October			300,000 00	
November			300,000 00	
December			200,000 00	
Totals	$8,000,000 00	$1,950,000 00	$6,000,000 00	$4,103,536 54

Schedule of Maturities of Proposed Issue of $4,000,000 Veterans' Welfare Bonds to Be Dated February 1, 1924

Dates of maturity of bonds	Number of bonds maturing	Numerical sequence of bonds maturing	Number of Coupons to be attached to each bond of the series maturing	Numerical sequence of coupons
February 1, 1925	202	1 to 202	2	1 to 2
February 1, 1926	119	203 to 321	4	1 to 4
February 1, 1927	137	322 to 458	6	1 to 6
February 1, 1928	143	459 to 601	8	1 to 8
February 1, 1929	149	602 to 750	10	1 to 10
February 1, 1930	157	751 to 907	12	1 to 12
February 1, 1931	163	908 to 1070	14	1 to 14
February 1, 1932	171	1071 to 1241	16	1 to 16
February 1, 1933	179	1242 to 1420	18	1 to 18
February 1, 1934	186	1421 to 1606	20	1 to 20
February 1, 1935	195	1607 to 1801	22	1 to 22
February 1, 1936	204	1802 to 2005	24	1 to 24
February 1, 1937	213	2006 to 2218	26	1 to 26
February 1, 1938	222	2219 to 2440	28	1 to 28
February 1, 1939	232	2441 to 2672	30	1 to 30
February 1, 1940	242	2673 to 2914	32	1 to 32
February 1, 1941	252	2915 to 3166	34	1 to 34
February 1, 1942	264	3167 to 3430	36	1 to 36
February 1, 1943	270	3431 to 3700	38	1 to 38
February 1, 1944	216	3701 to 3916	40	1 to 40
February 1, 1945	84	3917 to 4000	42	1 to 42

The amount of each interest coupon is $22.50

Statement of Estimated Revenues and Disbursements From February 1, 1924, to January 31, 1945.

Under Projected Bond Issue of $4,000,000 at 4½ Per Cent.

From February 1 to January 31	Initial balance	Estimated revenues	Sub-total	Operating disbursements	Bond interest	Bond redemption.	Total estimated disbursements
1924-1925	$2,082,000 00	$346,951 05	$2,428,951 05	$2,042,800 00	$180,000 00	$202,000 00	$2,424,800 00
1925-1926	4,151 05	314,097 37	318,248 42	26,800 00	170,910 00	119,000 00	316,710 00
1926-1927	1,538 42	314,267 37	315,805 79	11,880 00	165,555 00	137,000 00	314,435 00
1927-1928	1,370 79	314,317 37	315,688 16	11,880 00	159,390 00	143,000 00	314,270 00
1928-1929	1,418 16	314,367 37	315,785 53	11,880 00	152,955 00	149,000 00	313,835 00
1929-1930	1,950 53	314,417 37	316,367 90	11,880 00	146,250 00	157,000 00	315,130 00
1930-1931	1,237 90	314,467 37	315,705 27	11,880 00	139,185 00	163,000 00	314,065 00
1931-1932	1,640 27	314,517 37	316,157 64	11,880 00	131,850 00	171,000 00	314,730 00
1932-1933	1,427 64	314,617 37	316,045 01	11,880 00	124,155 00	179,000 00	315,035 00
1933-1934	1,010 01	314,552 59	315,562 60	11,880 00	116,100 00	186,000 00	313,980 00
1934-1935	1,582 60	314,479 05	316,061 65	11,880 00	107,730 00	195,000 00	314,610 00
1935-1936	1,451 65	314,579 05	316,030 70	11,880 00	98,955 00	204,000 00	314,835 00
1936-1937	1,195 70	314,629 05	315,824 75	11 880 00	89,775 00	213,000 00	314,655 00
1937-1938	1,169 75	314,729 05	315,898 80	11,880 00	80,190 00	222,000 00	314,070 00
1938-1939	1,828 80	314,051 62	315,880 42	11,880 00	70,200 00	232,000 00	314,080 00
1939-1940	1,800 42	313 023 97	314,824 39	11,880 00	59,760 00	242,000 00	313,640 00
1940-1941	1,184 39	313,123 97	314,308 36	11,880 00	48,870 00	252,000 00	312,750 00
1941-1942	1,558 36	313,223 97	314,782 33	11,880 00	37,530 00	264,000 00	313,410 00
1942-1943	1,372 33	308,103 32	309,475 65	11,880 00	25,650 00	270,000 00	307,530 00
1943-1944	1,945 65	240,933 21	242,878 86	11,880 00	13,500 00	216,000 00	241,380 00
1944-1945	1,198 86	102,345 40	103,844 26	11,880 00	3,780 00	84,000 00	99,660 00
1945-February 1	4,184 26						
		$6,339,794 26		$2,295,320 00	$2,122,290 00	$4,000 000 00	$8,417,610 00

Schedule of Maturities of Proposed Issue of $2,000,000 Veterans' Welfare Bonds to be Dated October 1, 1924

Date of maturity of bonds	Number of bonds maturing	Numerical sequence of bonds maturing	Number of coupons attached to each series of bonds maturing	Numerical sequence of coupons
February 1, 1926	98	4001 to 4098	3	1 to 3
February 1, 1927	66	4099 to 4164	5	1 to 5
February 1, 1928	70	4165 to 4234	7	1 to 7
February 1, 1929	72	4235 to 4306	9	1 to 9
February 1, 1930	76	4307 to 4382	11	1 to 11
February 1, 1931	78	4383 to 4460	13	1 to 13
February 1, 1932	82	4461 to 4542	15	1 to 15
February 1, 1933	86	4543 to 4628	17	1 to 17
February 1, 1934	89	4629 to 4717	19	1 to 19
February 1, 1935	92	4718 to 4809	21	1 to 21
February 1, 1936	97	4810 to 4906	23	1 to 23
February 1, 1937	101	4907 to 5007	25	1 to 25
February 1, 1938	105	5008 to 5112	27	1 to 27
February 1, 1939	110	5113 to 5222	29	1 to 29
February 1, 1940	114	5223 to 5336	31	1 to 31
February 1, 1941	120	5337 to 5456	33	1 to 33
February 1, 1942	124	5457 to 5580	35	1 to 35
February 1, 1943	129	5581 to 5709	37	1 to 37
February 1, 1944	135	5710 to 5844	39	1 to 39
February 1, 1945	140	5845 to 5984	41	1 to 41
February 1, 1946	16	5985 to 6000	43	1 to 43

Bonds dated October 1, 1924.
First bonds mature February 1, 1926 and annually thereafter.
To bear interest at 4¼ per cent.
First coupons payable February 1, 1925, and semiannually thereafter.
Amount of first coupons $14.16⅔; all others are $21.25

Statement of Estimated Revenues and Disbursements From October 1, 1924, to January 31, 1946.

Under Projected Bond Issue of $2,000,000 at 4½ Per Cent.

October 1 to February 1 to January 31	Initial balance	Estimated revenues	Sub-total	Operating disbursements	Bond interest	Bond redemption	Total estimated disbursements
1924–1926	$2,000 000 00	$255,494 42	$2,255,494 42	$2,042,800 00	$113,333 33	$98,000 00	$2,254,133 33
1926–1927	1,361 09	158,275 05	159,636 14	10,880 00	80,835 00	66,000 00	157 715 00
1927–1928	1,921 14	158,275 05	160,196 19	10,880 00	78,030 00	70,000 00	158,910 00
1928–1929	1,286 19	158,275 05	159,561 24	10,880 00	75,055 00	72,000 00	157,935 00
1929–1930	1,626 21	158,275 05	159,901 29	10,880 00	71,995 00	76,000 00	158,875 00
1930–1931	1,026 29	158,275 05	159,301 34	10,880 00	68,765 00	78,000 00	157,645 00
1931–1932	1,656 34	158,275 05	159,931 39	10,880 00	65,450 00	82,000 00	158,330 00
1932–1933	1,601 39	158,275 05	159,876 44	10,880 00	61,965 00	86,000 00	158,845 00
1933–1934	1,031 44	158,275 05	159,306 49	10,880 00	58,310 00	89,000 00	158,190 00
1934–1935	1,116 49	158,275 05	159,391 54	10,880 00	54,527 50	92,000 00	157,407 50
1935–1936	1,984 04	158,275 05	160,259 09	10,880 00	50,617 50	97,000 00	158,497 50
1936–1937	1,761 59	158,275 05	160,046 64	10,880 00	46,495 00	101,000 00	158,375 00
1937–1938	1,661 64	158,275 05	159,936 69	10,880 00	42,202 50	105,000 00	158,082 50
1938–1939	1,854 19	158,275 05	160,129 24	10,880 00	37,740 00	110,000 00	158,620 00
1939–1940	1,509 24	158,275 05	159,784 29	10,880 00	33 065 00	114,000 00	157,945 00
1940–1941	1,839 29	158,275 05	160,114 34	10,880 00	28,220 00	120,000 00	159,100 00
1941–1942	1,014 34	158,275 05	159,289 39	10,880 00	23,120 00	121,000 00	158,000 00
1942–1943	1,289 39	158 275 05	159,564 44	10,880 00	17 850 00	129,000 00	157,730 00
1943–1944	1,834 44	158,275 05	160,109 49	10,880 00	12,367 50	135,000 00	159,247 50
1944–1945	1,861 99	156,928 35	158,790 34	10,880 00	6 630 00	140,000 00	157,510 00
1945–1946	1,280 34	44,407 47	45,687 81	10,880 00	680 00	16,000 00	27,560 00
1946–February 1	18,127 81						
		$3,305,781 14		$2,260,400 00	$1,027,253 33	$2 000,000 00	$5,287 653 33

Schedule of Maturities of Proposed Issue of $2,000,000 Veterans' Welfare Bonds to be Dated May 1, 1925.

Date of maturity of bonds	Number of bonds maturing	Numerical sequence of bonds maturing	Number of coupons attached to each series of bonds maturing	Numerical sequence of coupons
February 1, 1927	127	6001 to 6127	4	1 to 4
February 1, 1928	68	6128 to 6195	6	1 to 6
February 1, 1929	71	6196 to 6266	8	1 to 8
February 1, 1930	75	6267 to 6341	10	1 to 10
February 1, 1931	78	6342 to 6419	12	1 to 12
February 1, 1932	81	6420 to 6500	14	1 to 14
February 1, 1933	85	6501 to 6585	16	1 to 16
February 1, 1934	89	6586 to 6674	18	1 to 18
February 1, 1935	92	6675 to 6766	20	1 to 20
February 1, 1936	97	6767 to 6863	22	1 to 22
February 1, 1937	102	6864 to 6965	24	1 to 24
February 1, 1938	106	6966 to 7071	26	1 to 26
February 1, 1939	110	7072 to 7181	28	1 to 28
February 1, 1940	116	7182 to 7297	30	1 to 30
February 1, 1941	121	7298 to 7418	32	1 to 32
February 1, 1942	126	7419 to 7544	34	1 to 34
February 1, 1943	132	7545 to 7676	36	1 to 36
February 1, 1944	138	7677 to 7814	38	1 to 38
February 1, 1945	144	7815 to 7958	40	1 to 40
February 1, 1946	42	7959 to 8000	42	1 to 42
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Bonds dated May 1, 1925.
First bonds mature February 1, 1927, and annually thereafter.
To bear interest at 4½ per cent
First coupons payable August 1, 1925, and semiannually thereafter.
Amount of first coupons $11 25; all others $22.50.

Statement of Estimated Revenues and Disbursements From May 1, 1925, to January 31, 1946.

Under Projected Bond Issue of $2,000,000 at 4½ Per Cent.

May 1 to February 1 to February 1	Initial balance	Estimated revenues	Sub-total	Operating disbursements	Bond interest	Bond redemption	Total estimated disbursements
1925-1926	$2,000,000 00	$2,180,493 26	$2,180,493 26	$2,031,400 00	$67,500 00		$2,098,900 00
1926-1927	81,593 26	158,348 87	239,942 13	21,400 00	90,000 00	$127,000 00	238,400 00
1927-1928	1,542 13	158,348 87	159,891 00	5,900 00	84,285 00	68,000 00	158 185 00
1928-1929	1,706 00	158,348 87	160,054 87	5,900 00	81,225 00	71,000 00	158,125 00
1929-1930	1,929 87	158,348 87	160,278 74	5,900 00	78,030 00	75,000 00	158,930 00
1930-1931	1,318 74	158,348 87	159,697 61	5,900 00	74,655 00	78,000 00	158,555 00
1931-1932	1,142 61	158,348 87	159,491 48	5,900 00	71 145 00	81,000 00	158,045 00
1932-1933	1,146 48	158,348 87	159,795 35	5,900 00	67 500 00	85,000 00	158,400 00
1933-1934	1,395 35	158,348 87	159 744 22	5,900 00	63,675 00	89,000 00	158,575 00
1934-1935	1,169 22	158,348 87	159,518 09	5 900 00	59,670 00	92,000 00	157,570 00
1935-1936	1,948 09	158,348 87	160,296 96	5,900 00	55,530 00	97,000 00	158,430 00
1936-1937	1,866 96	158,348 87	160,215 83	5,900 00	51 165 00	102,000 00	159 065 00
1937-1938	1,150 83	158,348 87	159,499 70	5,900 00	46,575 00	106,000 00	158 475 00
1938-1939	1,024 70	158,348 87	159,373 57	5,900 00	41,805 00	110,000 00	157,705 00
1939-1940	1,668 57	158,348 87	160,017 14	5 900 00	36,855 00	116,000 00	158,755 00
1940-1941	1,262 44	158,348 87	159,611 31	5,900 00	31,635 00	121,000 00	158,535 00
1941-1942	1,076 31	158,348 87	159,425 18	5,900 00	26,190 00	126,000 00	158,090 00
1942-1943	1,335 18	158,348 87	159,681 05	5,900 00	20 520 00	132 000 00	158,420 00
1943-1944	1,261 05	158,348 87	159,612 92	5 900 00	14,580 00	138,000 00	158,180 00
1944-1945	1,132 92	158,348 87	159,481 79	5,900 00	8,370 00	144 000 00	158,270 00
1945-1946	1,211 79	95,899 43	97,111 22	5,900 00	1,890 00	42,000 00	49,790 00
1946	47,321 22						
		$5,285,021 22		$2,164,900 00	$1,072,800 00	$2,000,000 00	$5 237,700 00

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE OPERATIONS OF THE VETERANS' WELFARE BOARD.

VETERANS' WELFARE BOARD—DIVISION OF FARM AND HOME PURCHASES
Balance Sheet as of March 31, 1925.

Cash in treasury and banks	$463,317 67	Claims filed with Controller	$8,509 44
Due from Veterans' Home Purchase contracts	7,165 53	Deposits	19,198 39
Due from Veterans' Farm Purchase contracts	1,395 26	Liability State of California Revolving Fund	20,000 00
Unmatured claims against veterans	5,517,352 74	Liability for bond redemption	5,798,000 00
Cost of real property purchased	5,984,603 54	Reserve for unexpended appropriation	329 11
Administrative and operative expense (see detail following)	370,158 30	Cost of real property under contract	5,850,953 54
		Income (see detail following)	647,002 56
Total assets	$12,343,993 04	Total liabilities	$12,343,993 04

VETERANS' WELFARE BOARD—DIVISION OF FARM AND HOME PURCHASES.
Statement of Income From July 29, 1921, to March 31, 1925.

Income from appropriations		$29,670 89
Chapter 519, Statutes of 1921	$29,670 89	
Income from Veterans' Home Purchase contracts		493,376 87
Amount added to cost of homes	$253,331 24	
Interest on deferred principal	239,705 51	
Interest on delinquent balances	340 12	
Income from Veterans' Farm Purchase contracts		41,014 05
Amount added to cost of farms	$27,060 63	
Interest on deferred principal	13,947 77	
Interest on delinquent balances	5 65	
Income from other sources		82,940 75
Interest on bank deposits	$25,395 50	
Accrued interest on bonds	54,845 25	
Premium on bonds	2,700 00	
Total income		$647,002 56

VETERANS' WELFARE BOARD—DIVISION OF FARM AND HOME PURCHASES.
Statement of Expenditures, March 31, 1925.

	Materials and supplies	Salaries and wages	Service and expense	Property and equipment	Total
Administrative—					
Directive		$6,887 41			$6,887 41
Executive		25,249 48			25,249 48
Clerical and office	$10,634 46	58,695 19	$9,484 75	$5,636 58	84,814 98
Accounting	124 08	10,665 00	28 65	1,130 14	11,947 87
Total administrative	$10,758 54	$101,497 08	$9,877 40	$6,766 72	$128,899 74
Operative—					
Appraising			5,027 88		5,027 88
Insurance of titles			3,548 85		3,548 85
Traveling—rail and water			7,975 33		7,975 33
Traveling—automobile			7,717 25	3,855 86	11,546 71
Telephone and telegraph			1,106 61		1,106 61
Mailing			3,648 48		3,648 48
Total operative			$29,024 40	$3,855 86	$32,853 86
Financial—					
Interest on bonds			208,340 00		208,340 00
Total financial			$208,340 00		$208,340 00
Suspense—					
Ernst P Kuckein			31 20		31 20
Chas C Alden			17 72		17 72
Samuel E Tromley			15 78		15 78
Total suspense			$64 70		$64 70
Grand total	$10,758 54	$101,497 08	$247,306 50	$10,622 58	$370,158 30

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PERSONNEL.

Board Members.

Frank H. Nichols, *Chairman*.....Los Angeles
George M. Stout, *Secretary*.....Sacramento
Alden Anderson, *Member*.....Sacramento
George J. Hatfield, *Member*.....San Francisco

No	Title	Monthly rate	Total
	Sacramento Office		
1	Secretary	$350 00	$350 00
1	Farm Supervisor	275 00	275 00
1	Educational Supervisor	200 00	200 00
1	Legal Examiner	200 00	200 00
1	Chief Clerk	200 00	200 00
1	Chief Accountant	225 00	225 00
1	Clerk	150 00	150 00
2	Clerks	140 00	280 00
1	Clerk	135 00	135 00
2	Clerks	125 00	250 00
1	Clerk	115 00	115 00
1	Clerk	90 00	90 00
1	Stenographer	125 00	125 00
1	Stenographer	115 00	115 00
1	Typist	100 00	100 00
2	Typists	80 00	80 00
19			$2,970 00
	San Francisco Office		
1	District Manager	200 00	200 00
1	Asst District Manager	140 00	140 00
1	Stenographer	125 00	125 00
3			$465 00
	Los Angeles Office		
1	Chairman	416 66	416 66
1	Appraiser	250 00	250 00
2	Stenographers	140 00	280 00
4			$946 66
26	Grand total		$4,381 66

Personnel necessary for the administration of the California Veterans' Educational Institute, Chapter 579, Statutes 1921, is included in the above schedule

Status of Applications Filed With the Veterans' Welfare Board by California Veterans Under the Farm and Home Purchase Act, Chapter 519, Statutes of 1921.

Wounded or disabled applicants for home	(W D Home)	2,715 or 16%
Wounded or disabled applicants for farm	(W D Farm)	627 or 4%
Able-bodied applicants for home	(A B Home)	11,588 or 66%
Able-bodied applicants for farm	(A B Farm)	2,285 or 14%
Total applications on file, April, 1925		17,215

Number and Cost of Homes and Farms Purchased by the Veterans' Welfare Board, Segregated and Classified by Districts

Number and Cost of Homes Purchased in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Sacramento.

Year	Total number of homes	Total purchase price homes	No of homes purch L A	Cost of homes purchased Los Angeles	No of homes purch S F	Cost of homes purchased San Fran	No of homes purch Sacto	Cost of homes purchased Sacto
1922	57	$259,050 00	30	$133,250 00	21	$98,550 00	6	$27,250 00
1923	293	1,367,842 00	160	738,187 00	98	467,750 00	35	161,905 00
1924	571	2,589,482 34	290	1,318,450 00	191	851,505 00	90	386,527 34
1925	239	1,108,480 00	128	599,550 00	78	365,630 00	33	142,950 00
Totals	1,160	$5,324 504 34	608	$2,819,437 00	388	$1,786,435 00	164	$718,632 34

(1925—to March 31)

Number and Cost of Farms Purchased in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Sacramento.

Year	Total number of farms	Total purchase price farms	No of farms purch L A	Cost of farms purchased Los Angeles	No of farms purch S F	Cost of farms purchased San Fran	No of farms purch Sacto	Cost of farms purchased Sacto
1922								
1923	15	$92,300 00	5	$53,000 00			10	$59,300 00
1924	59	320,049 92	7	38,525 00			52	281,524 92
1925	22	131,699 28	5	32,580 00			17	99,119 28
Totals	96	$544,049 20	17	$104,105 00			79	$439,944 20

(1925—to March 31)

Total farms purchased	96	$544,049 20
Total homes purchased	1,160	5,324,504 34
Grand total	1,256	$5,868,553 54

RECESS.

At five o'clock and forty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. Coombs, the Assembly was declared at recess until eight o'clock p.m. of this day.

REASSEMBLED.

At eight o'clock p.m., the Assembly reconvened.
Speaker Merriam in the chair
Assistant Clerk Hoerst reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 790—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1381, relating to notices of application for administration to be given to consular representatives of foreign countries where the application for administration is made upon the estates of their deceased nationals—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it do pass

(Signed out)

WELLER, Chairman.
JACOBSON.
ROSENSHINE.
HORNBLOWER.
SPENCE.
ROLAND.
SMITH.
SEWELL
LITTLE.
DILLINGER.
McDOWELL.
LYONS.

The above reported bill ordered on file for second reading.

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Approving amendments and additions to the charter of the city of Oakland, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a nominating municipal election held therein on the twenty-first day of April, 1925—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

SEWELL, Chairman.
DILLINGER
HORNBLOWER.
LEVEY.
BROCK.
MORRISON.
SAYLOR.
MUELLER.
RUNNER.
REINDOLLAR.
JONES.
DODGE

The above Senate Concurrent Resolution No 27 ordered on file for adoption.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 790—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1381, relating to notices of application for administration to be given to consular representatives of foreign countries where the application for administration is made upon the estates of their deceased nationals

Bill read second time, and ordered on file for third reading.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536c, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 642?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 11, of the printed amended bill, strike out the word "funds" at the end of that line, and insert in lieu thereof the word "moneys".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, after line 16, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 13, 1925, add a new paragraph to read as follows:

"The term "farm products" for the purposes of this section shall include only grapes, peaches, apricots, pears, apples, figs, prunes, plums, nectarines, cherries, quinces, oranges, lemons, grapefruit, berries of all kinds, artichokes, asparagus, lettuce, celery, carrots, beets, turnips, garlic, spinach, cauliflower, cabbage, green beans, green peas, tomatoes, onions, eggplant, squash, potatoes, melons of all kinds, green corn, rhubarb, avocados, poultry and similar perishable products."

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Runner moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, eight o'clock and eighteen minutes p.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Dorris, Easley, Fry, Hartranft, Levey, Miller, J. A., Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Walters, Wemple, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—24.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

SENATE MESSAGES—(RESUMED).

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 1023, the following Senators: Sample, Inman, and Tubbs, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Assembly Bill No. 1100, the following Senators: Hollister, Harris, and Young, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to provide for a permanent historical exhibit at Sutter's Fort, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to authorize and empower the Director of the Department of Agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno, Los Angeles and other important producing and distributing centers, and to disseminate information concerning supply, demand, prevailing prices and commercial movements; making the expenditure of funds under the provisions hereof contingent upon the additional expenditure of a like sum by the United States Department of Agriculture, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, authorizing the acceptance by the Department of Agriculture of donations to be expended in accordance with the provisions hereof and creating the agricultural leased wire fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Los Angeles Railway Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 807—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to promote and increase the distribution and marketing of California grapes; to provide for an investigation of the methods to improve the quality of and demand for such products; and making an appropriation to carry out such investigation.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance of the provisions and benefits of an act passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise; to empower and direct the board designated as the State Board for Vocational Education to cooperate with the Federal Board for Vocational Education in carrying out the provisions of said federal act; to prescribe its powers and duties in carrying out the provisions of this act; to provide for a plan of cooperation between the State Board for Vocational Education and the Industrial Accident Commission; to provide for the appointment of a custodian of all moneys received by the State from appropriations made by the Congress of the United States and from other sources for the purpose of promoting vocational rehabilitation; to create a vocational rehabilitation fund and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, relating to appropriation for vocational rehabilitation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 158—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. W. Levers against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the West Side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 281—An act to appropriate moneys for, and to authorize and direct the California Highway Commission to complete that part of the State highway system of the State of California between the towns of Middletown and Lower Lake in Lake County, provided for by an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled, "An act calling a special election to be held on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, and providing for the submission thereat to the qualified electors of the State of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California known as Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27, proposed by the Legislature of said State at its forty-third session, providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $40,000,000 for the completion of the State highway system and the acquisition and construction of other State highways by the State Department of Engineering, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved July 1, 1919.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, extending from the northerly boundary of the city of Vallejo to Sears Point on the Black Point Cutoff; and making an appropriation for the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E. Smith against the State of California

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No 105—An act to pay the claim of the California Cooperative Canneries, Incorporated, against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend the title of and revise an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, and to include therein provisions for work in, under and upon and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, roads streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, together with any of the same which may form the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county whether they lie wholly or partly within or without the boundaries of such municipality and in, under and upon any publicly owned property and rights of way whether within or without a municipality, and in and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California; for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds, for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder, and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and for county aid in all of such work;

Also. Assembly Bill No 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 294—An act appropriating money for the erection of buildings for boys requiring special custodial care, for service connections, furnishings and equipment for the same at the Preston School of Industry

Also: Assembly Bill No 462—An act to provide for the survey of and works in and upon the Santa Ana River watershed and basin for flood control; and making an appropriation therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 776—An act appropriating money for salaries and maintenance of the California Industrial Farm for Women;

Also Assembly Bill No 777—An act appropriating money for the construction of buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College.

Also Assembly Bill No 1281—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices in cases of mortgaged property of decedents or minors.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 808—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to create a flood control district to be called 'Los Angeles County Flood Control District', to provide for the control and conservation of flood and storm waters, and for the protection of harbors, waterways, public highways and property in said district from damage from such waters, and for the construction of works and the acquisition of property therefor, to authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds, and the levying and collecting of taxes by said district, to provide for the government and control of said district, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof," approved June 12, 1915, relating to powers of such district;

Also Senate Bill No. 818—An act granting in trust certain tide lands and lands lying under inland navigable waters, situate in the bay of San Diego to the city of Chula Vista, in furtherance of navigation and commerce and the fisheries, and providing for the government, management and control thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 422—An act to promote the development of the California fruit, nut and vegetable industry in State and interstate markets and to protect the State's reputation in these markets and establishing standards and standard packages for certain fruits, nuts and vegetables specified herein, and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of fruits, nuts and vegetables, to provide for the certification of fruits and vegetables and to provide for the payment of fees, to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and to repeal the "California Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Act," approved June 3 1921,

Also Senate Bill No 484—An act to provide for the issuance and sale of State bonds to be known as "California State Buildings and State University Buildings Bonds," to provide for and create a fund for the completion and equipment of State buildings at Sacramento and the construction and equipment of a State building at Los Angeles, to create and provide for a fund for the construction and equipment of a building or buildings for the University of California at Berkeley and a building or buildings for the University of California at Los Angeles, authorizing the expenditure of said funds for the purposes herein enumerated, creating a State Building Finance Board, creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, and making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $10 000 for the expense of printing, lithographing and selling said bonds, designating the name by which this act shall be known, and fixing the time at which this act shall be and become effective;

Also Senate Bill No. 541—An act to amend section 739 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers of Supreme Court;

Also, Senate Bill No. 757—An act providing for and relating to damage resulting from or caused by the acquisition of a water supply or taking, diverting and transporting of water from a watershed and from the lands, streams and waters therein, to and for use in and by municipal corporations and providing for compromise, arbitration and settlement and payment of claims for any such damage and empowering and authorizing municipal corporations and persons, firms and corporations furnishing water to or for use in municipal corporations to pay, compromise, arbitrate and settle any and all damage caused, or claimed to have been caused, by the acquiring of such land or water, or the taking, diverting or transporting the same for the purposes aforesaid fixing the time for the presentment of such claims and relating generally to such damages.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1269—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1269?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the amended bill, strike out the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 11, of the amended bill, after the word "California" insert the word "irrigation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 16, of the amended bill, strike out the word "purpose" and insert in lieu thereof the word "purposes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 12, line 10, of the amended bill, after the word "amended", strike out the comma and the word "upon" and insert in lieu thereof a period and the word "Upon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 12, line 18, of the amended bill, strike out the word "proceeding" and insert in lieu thereof the word "proceedings".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 15, line 30, of the amended bill, after the word "assessment", strike out the comma and the word "such", and insert in lieu thereof a period and the word "Such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 16, line 2, of the amended bill, after the word "be" insert the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 16, line 42, of the amended bill, after the word "same", strike out the word "became" and insert in lieu thereof the word "become".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 18, line 36, of the amended bill, strike out "land of the districts" and insert in lieu thereof the following "lands of the district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 27, line 6, of the amended bill, after the word "to" insert the word "acquire".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 37, line 45, of the amended bill, strike out the words "may have been" and insert the words "might be".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1269 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A.,

Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 261—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, and to add two new sections to said act to be numbered 10*a* and 10*b*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory and to service outside of district—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 261?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 4, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "to pay".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 261 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1019—An act to amend section 241 of the Civil Code, relating to appointment of guardians by will or deed—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1019?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 15, 1925, after the word "illegitimate" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 15, 1925, strike out the word "device" and insert in lieu thereof the word "devise".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 1019 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4184, creating the office

of public guardian—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1208?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1925, after the word "person" insert the following: "has no parent or relative competent and willing to act and".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1925, after the word "parent" insert the following "or relative".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 1, line 20, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1925, after the word "competent" insert the following "and willing".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1208 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 328?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, strike out the words "five hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two hundred fifty".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 328 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—47.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 461—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 461?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended April 15, 1925, after the word "person" insert the following: "has no parent or relative competent and willing to act and".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 461 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 308—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 308?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "five hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two hundred".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 308 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 644—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755, and 2768 of the Political Code, relating to permanent road divisions—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 644?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the words "two inspectors", and all of lines 5, 6, 7 and down to and including the word "duties" in line 8, and insert "such inspectors as they deem necessary and fix their compensation".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 644 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller,

Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 330—An act providing for the leasing of tide and submerged lands of the State of California filled in through dredging operations—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 330?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 1, of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "sale" and insert in lieu thereof the word "leasing"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "sold" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "leased".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "price" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "rental".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 10 to 19, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In the lease of said lands the preference right to lease shall be given to the abutting property owners for a period of six months from the date this act becomes effective

All money received from the rental of said lands shall be paid into the general fund of the state. The surveyor general is hereby authorized to prepare, make, execute and deliver all papers, instruments and documents and to do any and all things necessary to carry out the provisions of this act."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 330 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 545?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the word "approved" and insert in lieu thereof the word "approval"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, strike out the word "guarls" and insert in lieu thereof the word "guards".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 545 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding 19 new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1249?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the amended bill, strike out the word "the".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 11, of the amended bill, after the word "California" insert the word "irrigation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 6, line 16, of the amended bill, strike out the word "purpose" and insert in lieu thereof the word "purposes".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 12, line 10, of the amended bill, after the word "amended", strike out the comma and the word "upon" and insert in lieu thereof a period and the word "Upon".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 12, line 18, of the amended bill, strike out the word "proceeding" and insert in lieu thereof the word "proceedings".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 15, line 30, of the amended bill, after the word "assessment", strike out the comma and the word "such", and insert in lieu thereof a period and the word "Such".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN

On page 16, line 2, of the amended bill, after the word "be", insert the word "of".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 16, line 42, of the amended bill, after the word "same", strike out the word "became" and insert in lieu thereof the word "become".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 18, line 36, of the amended bill, strike out "land of the districts" and insert in lieu thereof the following "lands of the district".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 27, line 6, of the amended bill, after the word "to", insert the word "acquire".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 37, line 45, of the amended bill, strike out the words "may have been" and insert the words "might be".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1249 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 140—An act to amend section 464 of the Penal Code, relating to burglary with acetylene torch, electric arc or explosives—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 140?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In line 12 of the bill, as amended March 14, 1925, strike out the words "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 140 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 365*d*, relating to the duties of the California Highway Commission—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 207?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 4, of the printed bill, strike out the number "363*i*" and insert in lieu thereof the number "365*d*".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 207 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 894—An act to regulate the planting of trees along the public highways of California and a plan for the planting, care, maintenance and replacement of trees along all public roads—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 894?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out the remainder of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 894 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 922—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the maintenance of fire boats in San Francisco Bay—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 922?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first three lines of the title of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to amend section two thousand five hundred twenty-six *a* of the Political Code, relating to the maintenance of fire boats in San Francisco bay."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Following the enacting clause of the printed bill, insert the following:

"SECTION 1. Section two thousand five hundred twenty-six *a* of the Political Code is hereby amended to read as follows ".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 922 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 7385, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court of the counties of Humboldt, Mendocino, Siskiyou and Lake—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1123?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the following "Sacramento county," and all of line 4 of said title, and insert in lieu thereof the following, "the counties of Humboldt, Mendocino, Siskiyou and Lake"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the words "county of Sac-" and also all of lines 6 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "counties of Humboldt, Mendocino and Siskiyou shall be five thousand dollars; of the county of Lake shall be four thousand dollars, one-half of which shall be paid by the state, and the other half thereof by the county for which the judge is elected or appointed."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1123 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—47.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 46½ of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 155?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 15, 16 and 17.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 155 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 18—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 18?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, after the last word "and" insert the word "refinish".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 18 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 266?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 1, line 26, of the amended bill, after the word "transfer" strike out the comma and the following "pledge, lien upon"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, lines 10 and 11, of the amended bill, strike out the comma and "pledge, lien".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 16, of the amended bill, after the word "assignment" strike out the comma and "pledge, lien".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 2, lines 17 and 18, of the amended bill, after the word "assignor" strike out the comma and "pledgor, lienor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 2, line 19, of the amended bill, after the word "assignee" strike out the comma and "pledgee, lien claimant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 2, line 37, of the amended bill, strike out the word "encumbrance"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 2, line 38, of the amended bill, after the word "mortgage" insert the following "of the fixtures or store equipment of a baker, cafe or restaurant owner, garage owner, machinist, or retail or wholesale merchant".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 2, lines 46 and 47, of the amended bill, strike out the following: "The mortgagee may purchase said property at such sale."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 266 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V. Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to

amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of waterworks and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to elections—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 734?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Beginning with the ninth line of the printed bill, page 1, strike out all down to and including the word "district" in lines 13 and 14 on page 2 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following

"SEC. 4. Within ninety days after the date of filing with the county clerk of the copy of the certificate of the secretary of state, provided for in section three of this act, the board of supervisors of the county in which the county water district is located shall make and cause to be entered upon its minutes at a regular meeting thereof an order calling an election in such county water district for the election of a board of directors for the county water district consisting of five members, each of whom shall be a resident and qualified elector of the county water district

The order of the board of supervisors shall fix the date of the election which shall not be more than sixty days after the date of the order calling the election. The order shall also create one or more voting precincts within the district and establish a polling place in each precinct and appoint a board of election, consisting of one inspector, one judge and two clerks, to hold, conduct and make returns of the election

The county clerk shall give notice of the election by publishing notice thereof for at least two weeks in one but not to exceed three newspapers published in the county. The notice of election so published shall state the purpose for which the election is to be held, describe the voting precincts, state the location of the polling place for each precinct, the name and position of the persons appointed election officers and the date on which the election will be held

The election shall be conducted in accordance with the general election laws of the state so far as the same may be applicable and the returns canvassed by the board of supervisors of the county at its regular meeting next succeeding the date of the election.

In all cases where the boundaries of the county water district include both unincorporated territory and any incorporated municipality or municipalities, the board of directors of the district, in addition to the five directors elected, shall further consist of one additional director, for each incorporated municipality within the boundaries of the county water district, and one additional director to be appointed by the board of supervisors of the county in which such district is located. Each such additional director for an incorporated municipality shall be appointed by the mayor or president of the board of trustees of the municipality for which such additional director is allowed, and the additional director for the county shall be appointed by the board of supervisors of the county. Any director so appointed need not be an elector or resident of the county water district All directors elected or appointed shall hold office until the election and qualification or appointment and qualification of their successor. The term of office of directors elected under the provisions of this act shall be four years from and after the date of their election, *provided*, that the directors first elected after the incorporation of the county water district shall hold office only until the election and qualification of their successors as hereinafter provided The term of office of director appointed shall be six years from and after the date of their appointment. All vacancies occurring in the office of directors appointed shall be filled by appointment by the same authority as in the first instance.

All vacancies occurring in the office of directors who are elected shall be filled by appointment by the remaining directors elected and the person so appointed shall have all of the qualifications necessary to be elected a director, and shall hold office during the unexpired term

In all cases where, under the provisions of this section, directors are to be appointed the first appointed directors shall be appointed by the mayor or the president of the board of trustees of incorporated municipalities and the board of supervisors not later than the date set for the election provided for in this section.

The election of directors of such county water district shall be in every fourth year after its organization, on the fourth Tuesday in March, and shall be known as the general water district election. A second election shall be held, when necessary, as hereinafter provided, on the third Tuesday after such general election and shall be known as the second water district election. All other elections which may be held by authority of this act, or of the general laws, shall be known as special water district election."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 734 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V. Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 624?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 23, of the printed bill, strike out the word "final".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 42, of the printed bill, strike out the word "person".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 624 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1305—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1305?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, of the printed bill, strike out lines 19 to 22, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"14. Constables, twenty-five dollars per month and such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1305 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield,

Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—52
NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1302—An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1302?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 13 and 14 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "offer such supplements for sale at a price sufficient to cover the cost of publication and distribution."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 17 and 18 and insert in lieu thereof the following "two thousand dollars, to be expended for the preparation and printing of such supplement to the said index."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 1302 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the sixth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 131?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 13, of the amended bill, following the word "annum" insert the following "to be paid as are other deputies herein provided for,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, after line 52 of the printed bill, add a paragraph reading as follows: "Until January 1, 1927, but not thereafter, the county treasurer shall be entitled to retain for his own use the fees which are now or which may hereafter be allowed by the state law for collection and payment to the state treasurer of inheritance taxes; *provided, however*, whenever the fees received on account of any one estate paying inheritance taxes shall exceed the sum of two hundred dollars, such excess shall be by the county treasurer paid into the county treasury as in the case of fees received by him from other sources"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 48, of the amended bill, strike out lines 48 to 52 inclusive, and on page 6 strike out lines 1 to 3, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the words "five hundred eighty dollars per annum; also, one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, one deputy who shall receive a salary of two thousand two hundred eighty dollars per annum; one deputy who

shall receive a salary of two thousand one hundred dollars per annum; one deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand nine hundred twenty dollars per annum, and one deputy who shall receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum who shall be a draftsman whose duties shall include the preparation of maps for the county assessor, and one deputy at".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 6, line 36 of the amended bill, strike out the comma following the word "paid" and the remainder of the line and also lines 37 and 38, and insert in lieu thereof a period

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE

On page 7, following line 31 of the amended bill, insert the following: "They shall be furnished with offices and necessary supplies, including light, heat, telephone service and incidental expenses, by the board of supervisors"

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 8, of the bill as amended April 21, 1925, strike out the letters "lares" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "lars".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 16, of the bill as amended April 21, 1925, after the word "at" insert the letter "a".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 10, line 20, of the bill as amended April 21, 1925, strike out the word "bonds" and insert in lieu thereof the word "bond"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 131 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Block, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1226—An act to add two new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, and 738*b*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the counties of Santa Clara and Sacramento—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1226?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the words "a new section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two new sections".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

In line 2 of the title of the printed bill, after the letter "a" add the words "and seven hundred thirty-eight *b*"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the word "county" and insert in lieu thereof the word "counties"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

In line 4 of the title of the printed bill, strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following "and Sacramento"

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

After line 8 of the printed bill, add the following:

"SEC. 2. A new section is hereby added to the Political Code to be numbered seven hundred thirty-eight *b*, and to read as follows

738*b*. The annual salaries of the judges of the superior court of the State of California in and for the county of Sacramento shall be six thousand dollars, one-

half of which shall be paid by the state, and the other half by the said county of Sacramento."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1226 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—Browne—1.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions, to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses, to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 602?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 4, line 13 of the printed bill, after the period insert the following "*There is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the motor vehicle fuel fund*, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five thousand dollars for the purpose of designing, preparing and securing such emblems, said money to be expended by said board on warrants drawn in the manner provided by law, and said amount to be a revolving fund into which shall be paid from time to time as they are collected the amounts received from operators of motor vehicles for said emblems and the legislature may from time to time withdraw from said fund such amounts as it may deem proper; *provided*, that said fund shall not be decreased below the sum of five thousand dollars There is also hereby appropriated out of said motor vehicle fuel fund the sum of twenty thousand dollars annually, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be used by the state board of equalization to carry out the provisions of this act."

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 27, of the printed bill, strike out everything after the figure "9" and strike out all of lines 28, 29 and 30 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "This act shall not apply to hotel busses meeting trains or boats, nor to taxicabs, drays, transfer vehicles and other like city motor vehicles operating within incorporated cities or towns or the usual transfer delivery zone adjacent thereto, nor shall it apply to such vehicles operating between incorporated cities or towns where no portion of any state or county highway is traversed in said operation.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 30, of the printed bill, after the period thereon insert the words:

"Sec. 9½. Nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to nor to levy a license upon that part of the gross income from the operation of any motor vehicle earned on account of carrying United States mail or parcels post under any contract with the United States government entered into prior to the first day of May nineteen hundred twenty-five."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 602 were concurred in by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson D P, Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence,

Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 10—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4442*a*, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers and grand and trial jurors in counties of the thirteenth class, and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 10?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7, line 1, of the printed bill as amended April 1, 1925, strike out all of said line after the period following the figures "13", and strike out lines 2 to 39, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

The population of the several judicial townships, for the purpose of fixing the compensation of township officers, shall be ascertained and declared by the board of supervisors in the month of July, 1926, and in the month of July every four years thereafter

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 7, line 40, of the printed bill, as amended April 1, 1925, strike out all of said line after the period following the figures "14", and strike out lines 42 to 52, inclusive, and on page 8 of the printed bill as amended April 1, 1925, strike out lines 1 to 8, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Justices of the peace shall receive the following monthly salaries to be paid each month as the salaries of county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases: (1) In townships having a population of ten thousand and one, or more, two hundred dollars per month; (2) in townships having a population of from seven thousand and one, or more, to ten thousand, inclusive, one hundred seventy-five dollars per month; (3) in townships having a population of from four thousand and one to seven thousand, inclusive, one hundred fifty dollars per month; (4) in townships having a population of three thousand and one to four thousand, inclusive, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month, (5) in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or more and less than three thousand, fifty dollars a month, (6) in townships having a population of two thousand or more, and less than two thousand five hundred, forty-five dollars a month, (7) in townships having a population of one thousand two hundred or more, and less than two thousand, forty dollars a month, (8) in townships having a population of one thousand or more and less than one thousand two hundred, twenty dollars a month, (9) in townships having a population of four hundred fifty or more, and less than one thousand, fifteen dollars a month; (10) in townships having a population of less than four hundred fifty, five dollars per month. Each justice must pay into the county once a month all fines and fees collected by him in criminal and civil cases, and the auditor must withhold warrants for salary until a certified statement has been filed with him of all criminal and civil cases tried or filed and fines and fees collected and paid into the county treasury. In addition to the monthly salary herein, each justice may receive as expenses for maintaining his office such a sum as may be necessary, not to exceed twenty per cent of the amount allowed him as salary.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 8, line 9, of the printed bill as amended April 1, 1925, strike out all of said line after the period following the figures "15", and strike out lines 10 to 42, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following

Constables shall receive the following salaries to be paid each month as salaries of county officers are paid, which shall be in full for all services rendered by them in criminal cases: (1) In townships having a population of three thousand or more, one hundred fifty dollars a month; (2) in townships having a population of two thousand five hundred or more, and less than three thousand, eighty dollars a month; (3) in townships having a population of two thousand or more and less than two thousand five hundred, seventy-seven and one-half dollars a month; (4) in townships having a population of one thousand two hundred or more, and less than two thousand, seventy-five dollars a month; (5) in townships having a population of one thousand or more, and less than one thousand two hundred, thirty-five dollars a month; (6) in townships having a population of four hundred fifty or more, and less than one thousand, twenty-five dollars a month, (7) in townships having

a population of less than four hundred fifty, five dollars a month; *provided, further*, that in addition to the salary herein allowed each constable shall be paid out of the treasury of the county for traveling expenses outside of his own township, for services of warrant of arrest or any other paper in a criminal case, such fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed by law. For serving a coroner's subpoena the same fees and mileage as are now or may hereafter be allowed by law for the service of a subpoena issued out of a justice's court. For summoning a coroner's jury the same fees as are now or may be hereafter allowed for summoning a jury in a civil action in the justice's court. For transporting prisoners to the county jail, the expenses of such transportation. In addition to the monthly salary allowed him herein, each constable may receive for his own use in civil cases the fees allowed by law. In addition to the monthly salary allowed herein, each constable in townships having a population of three thousand five hundred or more may receive as expenses for maintaining his office each month a sum not to exceed twenty-five per cent of the amount allowed him as salary.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 6, line 33, of the printed bill, strike out the word "serveyor" and insert in lieu thereof the word "surveyor".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 6, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "the following" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 6, line 35, of the printed bill, strike out the words "and employees".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 6, line 37, of the printed bill, after the word "pleasure", insert the following: "at a salary of two hundred fifty dollars per month".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 5, line 47, of the printed bill, strike out the period after the word "appoint", and insert in lieu thereof the following ": *provided, however*, that the total compensation of said additional deputy assessors and clerks shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars per annum."

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 5, line 52, of the amended bill, strike out the word "deputy" and insert in lieu thereof the word "deputies,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 10 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Fasley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielson, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 275—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, towns, counties or consolidated cities and counties, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population, may be regulated by ordinance; and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance," approved May 31, 1917—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 275?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, after the word "some" insert "or all or none".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, strike out the word "others" and insert "some or all or none".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 32, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925 strike out the period following the word "hearing", and in lieu thereof insert a comma, following which add the words "or if no such newspaper is published and circulated therein, then such notice shall be posted in three public places therein at least five days prior to such hearing", following which add a new section, in the following words and figures

"SEC 5 The legislative body of any city, town, county or city and county having no planning commission may proceed in the manner prescribed in section four hereof and shall make the tentative report, arrange for and hold such public hearings, make such final report and afford all persons particularly interested and the general public an opportunity to be heard at the time and place and in the manner prescribed in section four hereof."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 1, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, strike out the numeral "5" and in lieu thereof insert the numeral "6".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 3, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, after the comma following the word "commission" insert the words "if any such there be,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 3, line 10, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, strike out the numeral "6" and in lieu thereof insert the numeral "7".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 3, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, strike out the numeral "7" and in lieu thereof insert the numeral "8"

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 3, line 17, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 23, 1925, strike out the period, and in lieu thereof insert a semicolon, following which insert the following: "*provided, however*, that such repeal shall in nowise affect any suit, prosecution or proceeding pending at the time this act shall take effect, nor shall such repeal affect any then existing rights or remedies under the provisions of the act hereby repealed for which no proceeding has been commenced, nor shall such repeal affect any appeal or right of appeal pending or existing at the time of the taking effect of this act."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 275 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Anderson, R J, Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton Browne, Byrne, Campbell Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnsen, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noves, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—39.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 88—An act to amend section 496 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for receiving stolen property—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 88?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out the word "stollen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "stolen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 16, of the printed bill strike out the words "except where such per-" and strike out lines 17 and 18 of the printed bill.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 88 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Maxter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ccc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 159?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 5, of the printed bill, strike out the word "county" and insert in lieu thereof the word "counties".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "San Joaquin" insert the following: "San Bernardino and Orange,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 159 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Maxter, Murphy, Nielson, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1176?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "within", strike out the words "three months" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one year".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1176 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1054?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 17, of the printed bill, after the word "annum;" strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 19, of the printed bill, after the word "annum," strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 2, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "annum," strike out the word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1054 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1264?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 7, line 48, of the amended printed bill, after the word "cremation" insert the following: "unless objected to by any friend or relative".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1264 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden,

Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Remdollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V. Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 205—An act to amend section 29 of the "Workmen's Compensation Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended to permit the revocation of certificates of self-insurance, to make failure to secure the payment of compensation a misdemeanor, and to require employers to furnish the Industrial Accident Commission with statements showing the name of their insurance carrier or how they have secured the payment of compensation—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 205?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2 of the printed bill, strike out all of lines 49, 50 and 51.

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 205 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Remdollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 980—An act to amend section 204c of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the secretary of superior judges as jury commissioner—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 980?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, strike out the words "five hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "four hundred fifty".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On line 10 of the printed bill, strike out everything after the period after the word "month" and insert the following: "In counties and cities and counties of the second class the secretary shall receive a salary of five hundred dollars a month."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 980 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell,

Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 700?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, lines 16 and 17, of the printed bill, after the period following the word "examination", add the following "Thereupon said board of supervisors shall fix a time and a place for a hearing of the matter of the formation of such hospital district, and shall direct the clerk of said board to publish a notice once a week for two successive weeks in a newspaper circulated in the territory which it is proposed to organize into a hospital district which said board deems most likely to give notice to the inhabitants thereof of the proposed formation of such district Said notice shall be headed "Notice of the proposed formation of _____ hospital district in _____ county (stating the name of the proposed district and the name of the county in which the proposed district is located)" and it shall state the fact that the board of supervisors of said county has fixed the time and place (which shall be stated in said notice) for a hearing on the matter of the formation of a hospital district Said notice shall describe the territory or shall specify the exterior boundaries of the territory proposed to be organized into a hospital district At any time prior to the time fixed for the hearing of said matter any person interested may file with the clerk of the board written objections to the formation of the district At the time and place fixed for the hearing, or at any time to which said hearing may be continued, the board shall consider all written objections filed and shall pass upon the same and after considering the objections presented, the board may in its discretion dismiss all proceedings theretofore had relative to the formation of the district If the board overrules said objections it shall hear any person having objection to the inclusion within said proposed district of any territory and may exclude any territory therefrom which would not be benefited by incorporation within the district"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, strike out the word "must" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 4, after the word "construct", add a comma and the word "operate".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 700 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amend-

ment to article VI of the constitution of the State, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 26 of said article, relating to a salary allowance to certain judicial officers upon the termination of their active term of office, and to their eligibility for further judicial duties—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 2, line 14, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly March 12, 1925, after the period insert the following:

"*Provided further*, that no judge hereinbefore referred to, who shall engage in the practice of the law after the termination of his active term of office, shall be eligible to sit as a judge as herein provided or to receive any salary provided in this section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 16, 1925, strike out the words "the request of a court or" and strike out all of line 13 on said page 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "request made in such manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Block, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobsen, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rutner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None

The above reported Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 67—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 67?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, after the figures "1188" strike out the remainder of said page, all of page 2 and all of page 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A candidate for any public office including presidential electors either as individuals or by group as provided in section one thousand one hundred ninety-seven of this code, for which no non-partisan candidate has been nominated at any primary election may be nominated subsequent to said primary election, or in lieu of any primary election, in the manner following. A nomination paper containing the name of the candidate to be nominated, or, in the case of presidential electors the names of the candidates either as individuals or by group, with other information required to be given in the nomination papers provided for in the direct primary law then governing primary elections, shall be signed by electors residing within the district or political subdivision for which the candidate is to be presented, equal in number to at least one per cent of the entire vote cast at the last preceding general election in the state, district or political subdivision for which the nomination is to be made subject to the restrictions contained in said direct primary law. The provisions of said direct primary law as therein applied to non-partisan offices, when the nomination to be made under this section is for an office for which nominations are made at the August primary election, or for electors of president and vice president of the United States, and the provisions of that law as therein applied to primaries other than the August primary election and the May primary election, when the nomination to be made under this section is for

a municipal office or for any office to which that law does not apply, shall substantially govern as to the manner of the appointment of verification deputies, the form of nomination papers and the securing of signatures thereto, and fastening together of sections of the nomination paper containing such signatures and the filing thereof with the county clerk and the certification thereto by the county clerk and transmission thereof to the secretary of state or to the city clerk or secretary of the legislative body of any municipality, as the case may be, the filing of the candidate's affidavit, the payment of filing fees and all other things necessary to get the name of the candidate under this section upon the ballot, except that such provisions shall be directed toward getting the candidate's name on the ballot for a general or municipal election or a special election and not on the ballot for nomination at a primary election

In addition to the other matter required to be set forth on the candidate's nomination paper, it must also be set forth that each signer thereof did not vote at the primary election immediately preceding at which a candidate was nominated for the public office mentioned in said nomination paper; *provided*, that this statement shall be omitted in case no candidate was nominated at said primary election for the public office mentioned in said nomination paper. Upon the filing of a sufficient nomination paper and affidavit by any candidate nominated under the provisions of this section and the payment of the filing fees as hereinbefore provided, the name of such candidate shall go upon the ballot at the ensuing general or municipal election according to the provisions of section one thousand one hundred ninety-seven of this code."

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 67 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—52.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Carter, Sewell, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—6.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 201—An act to amend section 10½ of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the practice of optometry.

Also: Senate Bill No. 599—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages, to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending sections numbered 58, 59, 61, 63, 64 and 73 thereof, relating to operators and chauffeurs licenses;

Also: Senate Bill No. 578—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts, their terms of office, qualification and compensation and for the selection of jurors therein.

Also: Senate Bill No. 714—An act relating to and providing for the formation, organization and management of corporations for the purpose of receiving and

maintaining a fund or funds and applying the income and principal thereof to promote the well-being of mankind

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 727—An act to establish the California State Historical Association, providing for the appointment of a board of trustees for said association and making an appropriation for its support during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Senate Bill No. 632—An act defining and regulating the business of dry-cleaning and dyeing, standardizing the business of, and providing for the maintenance, construction and inspection of dry-cleaning and dyeing buildings and establishments, providing ways and means for enforcing this act and fixing penalties for the violation thereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was received and read:

By Mr. Levey:

Resolved, That the Controller be, and he is hereby, authorized to draw his warrant on the Contingent Fund of the Assembly in the sum of $397.80, in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

State Purchasing Department	$189 55
Wholesale Typewriter Co.	157 50
Remington Typewriter Co.	17 50
Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co.	25 20
Western Union Telegraph Co.	8 05
Total	$397 80

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Hollister, Harris and Young, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 46, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 16, 1925, after the second word "the" cross out the word "general" and insert in lieu thereof the word "salary".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 5, line 29, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 16, 1925, after the word "said" cross out the word "assistants" and insert in lieu thereof the word "deputy".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 5, line 31, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 16, 1925, after the word "paid" cross out the semicolon and insert the words "and said assistants to be paid as other claims against the county are paid;".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 5, line 35, of the printed bill, as amended in the Senate April 16, 1925, after the word "office" cross out the word "assistance" and insert in lieu thereof the word "assistants".

SEWELL,
SAYLOR,
DAYTON,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Sample, Inman and Tubbs, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments and that the bill be further amended as follows.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended April 6, 1925, strike out the words "expect to" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "will".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 13, of the printed bill, as amended April 6, 1925, strike out the words "expect to" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "will".

McDOWELL,
WALTERS,
WOODBRIDGE,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments.

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melvile, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22—Relative to the creation of a commission for the purpose of making a thorough exhaustive study into the narcotic situation in California and recommending measures for the care and rehabilitation of narcotic addicts.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 22 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 finally adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wem-

ple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—65.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 22

Relative to the creation of a commission for the purpose of making a thorough, exhaustive study into the narcotic situation in California and recommending measures for the care and rehabilitation of narcotic addicts

WHEREAS, The widespread use of habit-forming narcotic drugs throughout California has resulted in the physical, mental and moral degeneration of thousands of our people, and

WHEREAS, No adequate successful method of restoration and rehabilitation of confirmed drug addicts has as yet been devised, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly concurring, That a commission of three members be appointed by the Governor to serve without compensation, that said commission shall make a thorough and exhaustive study of the narcotic situation in California and shall submit a complete report of their findings and recommendations to the next session of the Legislature of the State of California in order that an efficient successful method for the treatment and care of drug addicts may be presented and be it further

Resolved, That there be and is hereby appropriated and made available from any funds not otherwise appropriated the sum of $2,500 or so much thereof as is necessary for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses of the members of the commission, for the employment of a stenographer, and for such other expenses as may be necessary to the accomplishment of the work of this commission.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40—Relative to revenue and taxation.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40 read.

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—Broughton, Cleveland, Dorris, and Roland—4.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 40.

Relative to revenue and taxation.

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California by adding a new paragraph to section 14 of article XIII thereof, to be designated as section 14*aa*, relating to revenue and taxation.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes an amendment to the constitution of the State of California by adding a new paragraph to section 14 of article XIII thereof, to be designated as section 14*aa*, to be inserted after the last paragraph of subdivision *a* of said section and to read as follows:

Subject to the power vested in the Legislature by this constitution to change the rate in this section prescribed, the percentage of tax in the last paragraph of subdivision *a* of section 14 of article XIII of this constitution levied on all separately operated steam railroads that do not exceed two hundred fifty miles in

length and that are not operated as a part of another railroad or railroad system owning or operating a line or lines of railroad in excess of two hundred fifty miles in length shall be five and one-quarter per cent fixed upon their gross receipts from the operation ascertained as in this constitution provided; *provided, however*, that in the event that it shall be hereafter finally determined by the courts that the classification herein made is inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of the United States Constitution or prejudicial to the rights of the State to tax other steam railroad companies operating longer lines of railways at a different and higher rate of tax, then this amendment shall be void, and the rate of tax levied upon the railroads herein included and all steam railroads shall be seven per cent, or such other rate as may hereafter be adopted, fixed upon their gross receipts from operation ascertained as in this constitution provided.

Senate Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

ASSEMBLYMAN BADHAM IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and forty minutes p.m., Hon. Willard E. Badham, member from the Seventy-second District, was called to the chair.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 199 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—57.

NOES—Adams, Hornblower, and Oliva—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 361—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25, and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for president and vice president of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees; and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917; and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

ASSEMBLYWOMAN WOODBRIDGE IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., Assemblywoman Cora M. Woodbridge of the Ninth District was called to the chair.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and five minutes p.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Brock, Sewell, Spalding, Melville and Badham demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 361 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—44.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Cleveland, Dayton, Dodge, Hornblower, Louttit, Lyon, McDonough, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Pierce, Reindollar, Sewell, Smith, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—20.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 320—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 320 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 127 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson,

Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—49.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Dayton, Duval, Foster, Heisinger, Johnson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Spalding, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—18.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 384—An act to add a new title to part IV of division I of the Civil Code, to be known as title XXIV, consisting of sections numbered 653*ab* to 653*af* inclusive, and relating to the formation of corporations to receive bequests, gifts, and donations and administer the same.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 384 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 390—An act to amend section 361 of the Civil Code, providing for the increasing or diminishing of the number of directors or trustees of a corporation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 390 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 419—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate the issuance of stock without nominal or par value by public utility corporations now existing or hereafter organized," approved May 31, 1917.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 419 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Fry,

Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—55

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 418—An act to amend section 591 of the Civil Code, relating to corporations for the formation of chambers of commerce, boards of trade, mechanics' institutes, and other kindred associations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 418 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 139—An act to amend section 360*d* of the Political Code, relating to the jurisdiction of the Department of Finance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 139 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 828—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to prescribe the duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, to provide for the appointment of a veterinarian, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to protect domestic live stock from contagious and infectious diseases, to provide for the appointment and duties of officials to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to provide an appropriation therefor,' approved March 18, 1899, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, and to add two new sections to be numbered 4*a* and 7 respectively, relating to the control and eradication of certain destructive infectious diseases of animals whenever discovered in this State; providing for the payment for animals and property destroyed in order to suppress certain destructive infectious

diseases; providing for penalties for violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring the urgency of said act.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—Browne—1.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 828 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Louttit, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 774—An act to amend section 129 of the Civil Code, relating to the domicile and place of residence of the parties in an action for divorce.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 774 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—Browne—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 392—An act to amend section 1618 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the compensation of executors and administrators.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 392 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Campbell, Carter, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Mor-

rison, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—46.

NOES—Adams, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Dorris, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, McDonough, Miller, Eleanor; Mueller, Murphy, Roland, Saylor, Wemple, and Mr. Speaker—16.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 572—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 572 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—54

NOES—Spalding, and Wright, T. M.—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 365—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III, of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 356 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 2043 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the exclusion of witnesses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 398 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine,

Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 48—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the state," approved March 4, 1889, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 48 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—50

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 826—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the chief of engineers of the United States army and the board of engineers for rivers and harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs; and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917.

Bill read third time.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville,

Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 826 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Hartrantt, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 100, 101, 102, 114, 130, 131, 138, 145, 153, 154, 155, and 159, relating to the use, operation and equipment of vehicles, the registration of vehicles and the fees to be paid therefor, notices to be given upon exporting or dismantling motor vehicles and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provisions of this act—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 600?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 600 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Carter, Roberts and Davis as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 600.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and fifty minutes p.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Runner.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 642 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dodge, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

ADJOURNMENT.

At eleven o'clock and fifty-five minutes p.m., on motion of Mr. McPherson, the Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned this day until nine o'clock a.m., Friday, April 24, 1925.

IN ASSEMBLY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
SACRAMENTO, Friday, April 24, 1925.

At nine o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, the Assembly was called to order.

Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

The roll was called by Chief Clerk Arthur A. Ohnimus, and the following members answered to their names:

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—78.

Quorum present.

PRAYER.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

During the reading of the Journal, on motion of Mr. Fry, its further reading was dispensed with.

ASSISTANT CLERK HOERST READING.

GUESTS ADMITTED TO FLOOR OF ASSEMBLY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Noyes, Mr. Harry Staples and Miss Elizabeth M. Benthien, teachers, and the following pupils of the Marysville High School were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and their names ordered printed in the Journal:

Robert Baker, William Belcher, Edinger Berg, Leslie Bessen, Pearl Boyer, Alice Bluett, Clyde Burris, George Call, Elizabeth Chapman, Carol Contris, Thelma Day, Georgia DeLashmutt, Hugo Del Pere, Kenneth Dempsey, Edgar Dickinson, Alice Dong, Lois Dwyer, Ivadel Eich, Jessie Fernalds, Frances Fisher, Frances Fee, Frank Freeman, Hazel Hanson, Mildred Frohn, Howard Gates, Charlotte Gluckman, Elma Grant, Chester Hamon, William Hanson, William Hargrave, Everett Harlan, Elmore Haslett, Floy Hayes, Bernice Heilmann, Katherine Herzog, Alvin Huckins, Foryet Hutchinson, Harley Hutchinson, Clifford Johnson, Katherine Johnson, Eunice Lambert, Thomas Mathews, Reva Morgan, Jack McQuaid, Helen Nash, Clyde Miller, Jessie Nealon, Rawlings Oakley, Noel Parkison, Austin Parsons, Wesley Peters, Alice Raub, Laughlin Rock, Harold Richardson, Albert Robinson, Barr Shaver, Thelma Smith, Nina Stuart, Mae Swift, Gale Taffinder, Annie Tennenbaum, Charles Thomas, Paul Thomas, Eva Waddle, Eunice Webster, Martin Williams, and Henry Kwanck.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Miller, J. A., Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Jose of San Francisco were extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day and their names ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mr. Robt. Baxter Todd of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Roland, Mrs. Nancy Todd of Oakland was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. McPherson, Mrs. Chas. Colvin of Vallejo, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and her name ordered printed in the Journal.

Through the courtesy of Mr. McPherson, Mr. Robert Colvin of Vallejo, California, was extended the privilege of the floor of the Assembly for this day, and his name ordered printed in the Journal.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Adams:

WHEREAS, The Reverend Rudolph I. Coffee, Chaplain of the Assembly, during the Forty-sixth Session, has by his prayers each morning brought to this body valuable inspiration, and has reminded the members of their obligations not only to their God, but to their fellowmen, to the State, and the nation; and

WHEREAS, His intellectual attainments and depth of thought have compelled the admiration of all within his hearing and have won the personal regard of all the members; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Assembly hereby express appreciation of his services as Chaplain and assures him that the members will forever retain kind remembrances of him; and it is further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be, and he hereby is authorized and instructed to have printed 500 booklets containing the prayers offered at this session, and that he send one of said booklets to each member of the Assembly and

to each desk clerk of the House and the remaining booklets to Reverend Rudolph I. Coffee.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

MOTION TO APPROVE JOURNALS.

Mr. Carter moved that the Journals of Thursday, April 16, 1925; Friday, April 17, 1925; Saturday, April 18, 1925; Monday, April 20, 1925; Tuesday, April 21, 1925; Wednesday, April 22, 1925, and Thursday, April 23, 1925, be approved as corrected by the Minute Clerk.

Motion carried.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Approving amendments and additions to the charter of the city of Oakland, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a nominating municipal election held therein on the twenty-first day of April, 1925.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Smith moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, nine o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Coombs, Dayton, Finney, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Murphy, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—31.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senate Bill No. 559—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 559 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—45.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 232—An act to appropriate money to pay the expense of making the exchange of certain lands as provided by chapter 229, Statutes of California, 1923.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 232 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—44.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 270—An act to provide for the sale of the sovereign lands of the State of California, lying within the United States meander lines of Clear Lake, Lake County, that are susceptible of reclamation.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 270 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Runner, Saylor, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—44

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 304—An act to provide for the transportation of certain dependent children for whom proper homes are offered outside the State and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 304 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bedham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, Wright, T M, and Mr Speaker—51.

NOES—None

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH

At ten o'clock and two minutes a m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr Smith.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 27.

Approving amendments and additions to the charter of the city of Oakland, a municipal corporation in the county of Alameda, State of California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a nominating municipal election held therein on the twenty-first day of April, 1925.

Senate Bill No. 298—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Institute.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Wright, T. M., moved that Senate Bill No. 298 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 298 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 308—An act making an appropriation for the Calaveras River flood control project of the city of Stockton, California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

ASSEMBLYMAN DUVAL IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and ten minutes a.m., Hon. Walter H. Duval of the Sixtieth District was called to the chair.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 308 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 445 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the Inheritance Tax Department.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Weller moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, ten o'clock and seventeen minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms, having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 600 the following Senators: Maloney, Handy, and Boggs, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 6—An act appropriating $5,000 to be used by the California Highway Commission for the purpose of making a survey for a road from the city of Hollister to Soledad.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 6 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris,

Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—49.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At ten o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 13—An act making an appropriation for the encouragement of county agricultural fairs and providing for the distribution of the moneys hereby appropriated

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 13 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—50.

NOES—Broughton—1.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 15—An act to provide for the survey and construction of a State highway from Governor's Camp in the California Redwood Park, to the coast road at the point where said coast road crosses the divide between Waddell Creek and Scott Creek, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 15 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 50—An act to amend section 456 of the Political Code, relating to employees in the office of the State Treasurer.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 50 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy,

Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 51—An act appropriating money for the purpose of remodeling and making repairs to certain buildings at Sutter's Fort.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 51 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—51.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 125—An act making an appropriation for the erection and construction of a new grandstand at the State agricultural grounds at Sacramento, California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 125 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—52.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 400—An act to amend section 412, and to repeal section 413 of the Political Code, relating to appointees of the Secretary of State, and making an appropriation to pay the salaries of said appointees, not otherwise provided for during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 400 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 680—An act appropriating money for the purpose of placing a memorial tablet in "Memorial Grove" located in Capitol Park, in the city of Sacramento.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 680 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 743—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Noyes moved that Senate Bill No. 743 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 743 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 536—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 536 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None

Title read.

AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

During reading of the title, Mr. Wright, S. V., moved to amend the title as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the second and third lines of the title of the amended bill, strike out the following: "and making an appropriation therefor."

Amendment adopted.

Title read as amended, and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ATTACHES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Attaches and Employees respectfully begs leave to report and submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following named person be and he is hereby appointed and employed for the position and at the per diem set opposite his name to date from and include the twenty-second day of April, 1925:

Charles Erb, Assistant Clerk ..... $7 00 per day

Be it further

Resolved, That the following named persons be stricken from the roll as hereinafter stated:

Walter James Little, Page, from and including April 12 .. $2 50 per day
C. E. Whiteside, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, from and including April 19, 1925 ..... 5 00 per day
Kendall P. Perkin, Assistant History Clerk, from and including April 19, 1925 ..... 7 00 per day
Robert Orr, Assistant Clerk, from and including April 22, 1925 ..... 7 00 per day
Charles Erb, File Clerk, from and including April 22, 1925 7 00 per day
Mrs L. Cabeldu, Stenographer, from and including April 23, 1925 ..... 5 00 per day

The said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant from said fund in favor of the said named persons at the said per diem and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker —52

NOES—None.

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution introduced by Mr Levey:

Resolved, That the Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $397.80, in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

State Purchasing Department $189 55
Wholesale Typewriter Co. 157 50
Remington Typewriter Co 17 50
Pacific Telepone and Telegraph Co. 25 20
Western Union Telegraph Co 8 05

$397 80.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

MURRAY, Chairman.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.
SPENCE.
NOYES.

Mr Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger,

Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No. 6—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 110—An act to amend section 1859 of the Civil Code relating to liability of innkeepers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 210—An act to amend section 927*p* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the small claims court.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 263—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county waterworks districts; for supplying the inhabitants thereof with water, for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts and for the issuance of county waterworks district bonds, and the payment thereof," approved June 13, 1913, as amended, by amending section 1 thereof and by adding two new sections to be known as section 8¾ and section 14¼, to provide for the incurring of additional bonded indebtedness by waterworks districts and for adding new territory thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 342—An act to amend section 1687 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of teachers in elementary schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 343—An act to amend the Political Code, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 1804, relating to the sale of school supplies by one district to another;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 419—An act to amend section 4253 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the twenty-fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 455—An act to amend section 4 and to add two new sections, to be numbered 5 and 10, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the consolidation of districts organized or existing under the California Irrigation District Act," approved June 1, 1921, relating to the consolidation of irrigation districts and the selling of bonds thereby;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 590—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of an act entitled "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the distribution and expenditures of funds provided by said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 630—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1669*a*, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish standards therefor, to prevent the adulteration and mislabeling of commercial feeding stuffs, providing for the branding and labeling of the same, providing for the registration of the manufacturers thereof, empowering the Director of Agriculture to enforce the provisions of this act providing penalties for violation of the same, creating the feed inspection fund, and repealing an act entitled "An act to define commercial feeding stuffs and to establish a standard therefor, providing for the branding and labeling of same, empowering the State Board of Health to enforce the provisions of the act and providing penalties for the violation of same," approved May 16, 1919;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 708—An act to prevent the propagation and dissemination of noxious weeds and provide for the control and eradication thereof, declaring such noxious weeds to be a public nuisance and defining proceedings for the abatement thereof, including the establishment of liens, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticultural commissioners in relation hereto, making a violation of the provisions hereof a misdemeanor, repealing that certain act entitled "An act to prevent the propagation by the production of seed, of that certain plant known as sorghum halepense, otherwise known as "Johnson grass," approved March 20, 1903, as amended, and repealing that certain act entitled, "An act to prevent the propagation of noxious weeds," approved June 3, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 796—An act defining and regulating the sale of manufactured articles from cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills composed in whole or part of cotton duck, canvas, drills or twills, when such articles are intended for camping or pleasure purposes, for human habitation, for sheltering live stock, for show, exhibition or entertainment purposes, or to protect merchandise, commodities, farm products or minerals against the elements, or if used as protection or safety devices against loss of life or loss from the elements on land, rivers or bays of the State of California, requiring the same to be properly marked as to weight, construction, color, size and use of fillers or other preparations, and providing penalties for violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 927—An act to repeal section 636c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 928—An act to repeal section 636d (one) of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 931—An act to repeal section 632b of the Penal Code, relating to the use of salmon or steelhead roe as bait;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 932—An act to repeal section 632b of the Penal Code, relating to protection of Sacramento perch and to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 936—An act to amend section 626g of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 937—An act to repeal section 626½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 938—An act to repeal section 626p of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of black sea-brant;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 939—An act to repeal section 636½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1027—An act to amend section 1288 of the Penal Code, relating to bail after indictment, so as to provide for the justification and approval of the same by a judge of the municipal court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1028—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1461a, relating to proceedings in justice's and police courts, so as to make the procedure in said courts apply to municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1030—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, prescribing who may solemnize marriages;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1032—An act to amend section 161 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to employment of judicial officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1033—An act to amend section 147 of the Code of Civil Procedure, prescribing what courts shall have seals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1035—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 1617, relating to county jails to provide for the imprisonment of convicts in the municipal court in city jails;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1038—An act to amend sections 33 and 34 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to courts and courts of record;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1039—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 149a, relating to seals of municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1040—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered section 1281a, providing that judges of the municipal courts may admit to and justify bail;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1041—An act to amend section 808 of the Penal Code, prescribing who are magistrates;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1085—An act to amend section 18 of an act known as the "Los Angeles County Flood Control Act," approved June 12, 1915, as amended, relating to the issuance of additional bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1091—An act to amend section 36 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, relating to registrations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1096—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 373, relating to the dumping or deposit of garbage, offal, excreta or other refuse upon the beaches or shores of the Pacific Ocean;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1125—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to trials of employees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1150—An act to amend section 461 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of the crime of burglary;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1163—An act to amend section 1551 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1164—An act to amend section 1750c of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1165—An act to amend section 1610 of the Political Code, relating to public schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1167—An act to amend section 1618 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1224—An act to amend section 19c41 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salary of the probation officer in counties of the forty-first class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1246—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act empowering the board of trustees of the Whittier State School to sell all or any portion of the property heretofore acquired for the use of the Whittier State School, and to appropriate the proceeds for the purpose of reestablishing the said school

elsewhere," approved May 27, 1919, relating to the disposition of the proceeds of sale;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1262—An act to authorize levee districts to expend money for sanitation purposes within such districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1301—An act to add three new sections to the Political Code to be numbered 4463 and 4464 and 4465, relating to newspapers of general circulation;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock a m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No 80—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 597*h*, relating to carrying animals on automobiles;

Also Assembly Bill No. 387—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the work and hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved February 28, 1905, as amended, regulating the work and hours of duty of registered pharmacists;

Also Assembly Bill No. 392—An act to provide for the establishment, organization, powers and government of municipal port districts and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof, to provide for the acquisition and construction of harbor works and improvements, railroad and water transfer and terminal facilities, and for the acquisition of property therefor, by municipal port districts and by the municipal corporations included therein, and for defraying the cost and expense thereof by such districts and by such municipal corporations; to provide for the development, operation, maintenance, improvement and management of harbors and other waters and for the promotion and accommodation of commerce, navigation and fishery by such districts, to authorize the incurring of indebtedness, the issuance of bonds and the levy and collection of taxes by such districts; and to authorize municipal corporations in such districts to surrender and transfer certain municipal powers and to grant certain municipal property to such districts for the purpose of carrying out the objects and purposes of this act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 573—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1011—An act authorizing the creation of a debt or debts, liability or liabilities, through the issuance and sale of State bonds, for the single object of creating a fund to provide farm and home aid for veterans in accordance with the provisions of the Veterans' Farm and Home Purchase Act, approved May 30, 1921, and of any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto; creating a Veterans' Welfare Finance Committee, defining the powers and duties of said committee and of the Veterans' Welfare Board and other State offices in respect to the administration of the provisions hereof; providing ways and means, exclusive of loans, for the payment of the interest of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such interest falls due, and also for the payment and discharge of the principal of such debt or debts, liability or liabilities, as such principal matures, appropriating money for the expense of preparing and of advertising the sale of bonds herein authorized to be issued, and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1926;

Also Assembly Bill No 1280—An act to provide for the formation, powers, government, operation and dissolution of garbage disposal districts to facilitate the disposal of garbage and other refuse matter, and annexation thereto, and to provide for the assessment, levy, collection and disbursement of taxes therein;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at 10 o'clock a m

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 158—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. W. Levers against the State of California—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An

act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 100, 101, 102, 114, 130, 131, 138, 145, 153, 154, 155 and 159, relating to the use, operation and equipment of vehicles, the registration of vehicles and the fees to be paid therefor, notices to be given upon exporting or dismantling motor vehicles and regulating the procedure to be followed in enforcing the provisions of the act—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Inman, Maloney, and Boggs, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

CARTER,
ROBERTS,
DAVIS,
Assembly Committee on Conference.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs Badham, Duval and Spence as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 600

SENATE MESSAGE

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Senate Bill No. 600 the following Senators: Breed, Sample, and Sharkey, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Senate Bill No. 432—An act to regulate the use of property and the operation of places of business surrounding public school buildings and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 432 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotet, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Johnson, Jost, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Minter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rumner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—49.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 163—An act to amend section 345 of the Civil Code, relating to extension of time of delinquent stock sale and notice thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 163 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 180—An act to establish an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act; to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

ASSEMBLYMAN MCPHERSON IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock a.m., Hon. Robert B. McPherson of the Tenth District was called to the chair.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 180 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 543—An act to be known as the Twenty-four-hour School Act, providing for the establishing of twenty-four-hour schools by school districts, providing for admission to such schools and for the government, control, conduct, direction and support thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Jost, Roland, Johnson, and Scofield and Mrs. Saylor demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the passage of Senate Bill No. 543

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 543 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—42.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Mitchell, Oliva, Schmidt, Scofield, and Williams—26.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and five minutes a.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 70—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23, and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 70 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage of Assembly Bill No. 1188—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of Bayou Vista Ditch Company.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 361—An act to amend sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 25, and 33 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections, and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees, and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known

as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 22, 23 and 24 of the said Direct Primary Law; and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913; and amended and approved May 29, 1917, and amended and approved April 8, 1919.

Also Senate Bill No 365—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states

Also Senate Bill No 572—An act to amend section 1523 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of personal property by executors and administrators

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Constitutional Amendment No 40—Relative to revenue and taxation.

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No 21—Relating to forest protection.

Also: Senate Bill No 48—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to create a police relief, health and life insurance, and pension fund in the several counties, cities and counties cities and towns of the State," approved March 4, 1889, as amended.

Also: Senate Bill No. 199—An act to amend section 1203 of the Penal Code, relating to probation of persons arrested for crime, after plea or verdict of guilty and the suspending of the imposition or execution of sentence during the term of probation or the imposition of jail sentence or fine or both or other conditions to fit the crime in connection with probation, and the disposition of such accusation after full compliance with the terms of probation and providing for the creation of offices of adult probation officer, assistant adult probation officer and deputy adult probation officer and fixing their compensation and duties and providing for adult probation boards in said counties and cities and counties;

Also Senate Bill No. 320—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No 15—An act relating to the Piute Pass State highway; appropriating money for the survey, location and estimate of cost of the State highway to be known as the Piute Pass State highway, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 189—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses.

Also Assembly Bill No. 214—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895, as amended, relating to compensation of certain officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts, the calling and holding of elections in such districts; the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors," approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 17 of "the California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees;

Also Assembly Bill No 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters

Also Assembly Bill No 636—An act to amend sections 6, and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California, to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices, providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures, to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act, including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act

Also Assembly Bill No. 704—An act creating the California Military Reserve, providing for the appointment of officers therein, and when said reserve may be called into active service.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 282—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 397—An act to amend section 2207*j* and to add a new section to be numbered 2207*l*, of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind;

Also Assembly Bill No. 453—An act to abolish the Labor Bureau Contingent Fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No 506—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco State Teachers College,

Also Assembly Bill No 532—An act to amend section 515 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the deputy superintendent of public instruction,

Also Assembly Bill No 584—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots 10, 11 and 12 in block 4 of Diestelhorst's addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block 5 and lots 6 and 7 in block 6 of said Diestelhorst's addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to amend section 8 of, and to add a new section, to be numbered 10*b*, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts, the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance, and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payments of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds, to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, relating to listing of property,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 799—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Thomas Byrne, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 800—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 801—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. C. Harter, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 802—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Dan Murphy and R. J. Dillon, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No 803—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Bankers Life Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 804—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. Teichert and Company, against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 805—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of L. F. Sinsheimer, against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 844—An act to amend section 2086 of the Political Code, relating to salaries in the office of the Adjutant General's office.

Also Assembly Bill No 903—An act to provide for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee celebration of the admission of California into the Union, and providing for the appointment of a committee, and making an appropriation therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No 1002—An act to appropriate money to be used to augment, develop and improve the water supply and the water system of the Whittier State School;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of and to add a new section to be numbered 11 to an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 1013—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the burial of ex Union soldiers, sailors and marines dying without leaving sufficient means to defray burial expenses," approved March 15, 1889, as amended, by adding a new section thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, and to add to said act a new section to be numbered 8*a*, making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of said act,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1099—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of certain lands in Los Angeles County and apply the proceeds to the purchase of other lands in said county.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1168—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of officers and employees, Chico State Teachers College, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

Also Assembly Bill No 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compiling, printing, and distributing constitutional amendments for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No 1191—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*r*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1194—An act appropriating money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon

contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Department of Public Accounting.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1295—An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1303—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1304—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1306—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the text book royalty fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1307—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1309—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1310—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State Prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin Prison manufacturing revolving fund.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1313—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State Prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885,' approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided for in said act," approved March 24, 1911, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1314—An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1315—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition Commissioners.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 807*a* and 883*a*, providing for the filing with county clerks of certificates of election or appointment of judges of recorders' courts in cities of the fifth and sixth classes, and the certification by said county clerks of process issued by recorders' courts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 153—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots;

Also Assembly Bill No. 231—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to enable any water company organized under the laws of this State to cancel certain shares of stock hereinafter described, and in lieu thereof to issue a new certificate therefor to the owner of the land to which said shares of stock are attached or appurtenant," approved June 14, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1771*a*, relating to the use of the estate of a wife over which a guardian has been appointed by reason of incompetency.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1287—An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors;

Also Assembly Bill No 1293—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused passage of the following

Assembly Bill No. 112—An act to amend section 626*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Assembly Bill No. 31—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the salary of the Real Estate Commissioner.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 429—An act to authorize the legislative body of any city, county, school district or other public corporation to employ the services of trained experts, and pay the cost thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 430—An act defining the power of municipalities to establish the grades of those portions of any State or county highway lying within their boundaries;

Also Assembly Bill No. 483—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1308—An act to amend section 1 of "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Board

of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by amending section 14 of article XIII thereof, relating to taxation of public utilities

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 19—Relative to the policy and practice of renting or leasing the exclusive right to hunt wild game or game birds on State lands, by-passes, drainage, levee, or protection districts or other properties of this State to persons, clubs or corporations

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36 ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 474—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 626s of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game:

Also. Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 632¼, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game:

Also Assembly Bill No. 1316—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to appointment of fish and game wardens

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 812—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry; to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, defining its duties and powers

and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the disposition of fines.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 812 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—45.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Deuel, Foster, Heisinger, Jost, McDowell, Noyes, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Wemple, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—21.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLYMAN WRIGHT, T. M., IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and ten minutes a.m., Hon. T. M. Wright of the Forty-fourth District was called to the chair.

Senate Bill No. 1—An act relating to assessments for city improvements.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Dayton, Spalding, Adams, Heisinger and Noyes demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 1 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Levey, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—46.

NOES—Burns, Campbell, Fry, Jones, Jost, Little, McDonough, Melville, Mitchell, Oliva, Pierce, Smith, and Wright, S. V.—13.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grade of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent said assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to completion of work by city.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 671 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—55.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and fifteen minutes a.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities, and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements; to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 672 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lattle, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 404—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 467*a*, to the Civil Code of the State of California, providing for and authorizing the construction of additional tracks by railroad corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 404 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter

Davis, Dayton, Denel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLYMAN COOMBS IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and eighteen minutes a.m., Hon. Frank L. Coombs of the Eleventh District was called to the chair.

Senate Bill No. 250—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste; to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canners or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform; to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers or fresh fish dealers; to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes, and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 250 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 82—An act to repeal section 32 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts.' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 82 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell,

Smith, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 81 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—60.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 647—An act to empower the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish; to license those engaged in catching or marketing fish; and to provide penalties for violation of this act.
Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 647 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-two minutes a.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 138—An act to provide proper sanitary conditions at terminals for the preservation of the health of employees.
Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr Murphy moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 7, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 23, 1925, strike out the period following the word "terminal" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, however*, that this act shall not apply to

separately operated steam railroads that do not exceed two hundred and fifty miles in length."

The question being on the motion to appoint Select Committee of One for the purpose of amending Senate Bill No. 138.

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Schmidt, Hornblower, Noyes, Deuel and Oliva demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the motion to appoint Select Committee of One for purpose of amending Senate Bill No. 138.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs Crittenden, Lyons, Runner, McDonough and Byrne, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to refer to a select committee of one for purpose of amendment.

The roll was called, and the motion to refer to Select Committee of One for purpose of amending lost by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, R J., Badham, Brock, Carter, Cleveland, Davis, Dayton, Duval, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Johnson, McPherson, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Pierce, Sewell, Walters, Weller, and Mr. Speaker—21.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M—51

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 138 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—53.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Dayton, Foster, Johnson, Melville, Mixter, Sewell, Walters, and Weller—14

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 662 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Dayton, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices to relatives of persons under guardians.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 666 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 702—An act to amend sections 1552, 1554, and 1561 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to probate sales of real estate.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 702 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—53.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also Assembly Bill No 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Merced;

Also Assembly Bill No 401—An act to amend section 1 and section 2 of an act entitled "An act requiring the payment into the State treasury of all moneys belonging to the State, received by the various State institutions, commissions, and officers and directing the disposition of the same," approved March 17, 1899, as amended, relating to the payment of State money into the treasury and abolishing certain special funds;

Also Assembly Bill No. 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom Prisons;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 753 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the Supreme Court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the consolidation of actions.

Also Assembly Bill No 500—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the confinement, care and reformation of delinquent women, to provide for its maintenance, conduct and government, to pro-

vide for commitment and admission thereto, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved May 3, 1913, relating to deposit of moneys.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following.

Assembly Bill No. 501—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons, to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions, to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 599—An act to amend sections 9 and 11 and to repeal sections 12 and 16 of the "State Market Commission Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 737b of the Political Code, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in Imperial County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 681—An act to amend section 410 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of the laws, resolutions and journals of Legislature; of reports of Supreme Court;

Also: Assembly Bill No 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health;

Also Assembly Bill No 1122—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code relative to partial redemptions from sale to State for delinquent taxes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1154—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1312—An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 815—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior courts.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Lyons moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 6, of the printed bill, as amended April 23, 1925, strike out the word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, as amended April 23, 1925, after the word "Orange", insert the following "Santa Barbara"

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, as amended April 23, 1925, strike out the word "Santa Barbara" and the comma following.

The question being on the motion to appoint a Select Committee of One to amend Senate Bill No. 815,

DEMAND FOR PREVIOUS QUESTION.

Messrs. Fry, Levey, Jost, Heisinger and Noyes demanded the previous question.

The question being put: Shall the main question be now put?

Demand sustained.

The question being on the motion to appoint a select committee.

REQUEST FOR ROLL CALL.

On request of Messrs. Lyons, McDonough, Schmidt, Pierce and Browne, the Speaker ordered a roll call taken on the motion to appoint a Select Committee of One for the purpose of amending Senate Bill No. 815.

The roll was called, and the motion to appoint a Select Committee of One for the purpose of amending Senate Bill No. 815 was lost by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Crotet, Davis, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, and Williamson—36.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Runner, Scudder, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—40.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Browne moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 14, of the printed bill, after the comma following the letters "tura" insert the following "Tuolumne,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 18, of the printed bill, after the comma following the word "Sutter" strike out the word "Tuolumne" and the comma.

The question being on the motion to appoint Select Committee of One for the purpose of amending Senate Bill No. 815.

Motion lost.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 815 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Burns, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—55.

NOES—Browne, Campbell, Duval, Finney, Hornblower, Lyons, and Mr. Speaker—7.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 485—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and

other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission, and for their compensation and traveling expenses; providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof; to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 485 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Crofer, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, and Woodbridge—57.

NOES—Bernard, Campbell, and Mr. Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSISTANT CLERK LYNCH READING.

Senate Bill No. 350—An act providing for the management of irrigation districts that are in arrears as to bond interest or principal.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 350 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P. Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crofer, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—58.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Crittenden, and Mr. Speaker—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 67—An act confirming and validating the formation or organization of municipal improvement districts and declaring the urgency of said act.

Urgency clause read.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 67 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 68—An act to legalize bonds heretofore issued and sold, or to be issued and sold, by municipal improvement districts where authority for such issuance has already been given by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the electors of such districts voting upon the question of incurring such indebtedness.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 68 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 821—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts to levy tax to meet deficiencies.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 821 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No. 797—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to declare noxious or dangerous weeds growing upon the streets or sidewalks, or upon private property within municipalities, to be a public nuisance, creating a lien upon the property fronting upon such streets or sidewalks or upon which such nuisance exists for the cost of abating the same," approved May 26, 1915, as amended, relating to the collection of liens.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 797 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 130—An act providing for the taking over by the State of California of a certain road in the county of Del Norte, and declaring the same to be a State highway and for the maintenance and improvement of the same as a State road or State highway, and authorizing the board of supervisors of Del Norte County to convey said road to the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 130 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, West, Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—60.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 102—An act to provide for the establishment of a highway, to be known as the Bay Shore highway, in the counties of San Francisco, San Mateo and Santa Clara.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 102 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hart-

ranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 229—An act declaring Peralta street from Seventh street to San Pablo avenue in the city of Oakland a State highway and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 229 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 606—An act to divide the highways of the State of California into a primary system and a secondary system, and designating the roads within each system, providing for the manner of expenditure of State funds in the construction of said roads and authorizing the California Highway Commission to designate the order of construction of said roads

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 606 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster Fry, Hawes Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T M—59.

NOES—Adams, Coombs, Melville, and Mr. Speaker—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Murray:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $14.05 in favor of Charles H.

Wilkinson, Sergeant-at-Arms, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

McNeil's Red Top Taxi, taxi cab hire	$6 05
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, taxi cab hire	5 00
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, taxi cab hire	1 50
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, taxi cab hire	1 50
	$14 05

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

Also:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $95 01 in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

Sacramento Public Market	$5 75
Capital Dairy	3 60
Pioneer Baking Company	8 16
Wood Curtis Company	10 00
Capital Grill	67 50
	$95 01

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to concur in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters—and requests that your honorable body recede therefrom.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 127?

The roll was called, and the Assembly refused to recede from Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 127 by the following vote:

AYES—None.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Nielsen, Scudder and Mixter as a Committee on Conference to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 127.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 824—An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to acquire necessary rights of way, and to construct and maintain a highway, which is hereby declared to constitute and be a State highway, extending from Barstow, in the county of San Bernardino, to a point to be selected by the California Highway Commission on the boundary line between the State of California and the state of Nevada, near the town of Jean, Nevada, or at such other

point thereon as may be selected by said California Highway Commission, which said highway is commonly known and referred to as the Arrowhead Trail.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 824 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 24 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts" approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith' approved May 15, 1915," approved May 28, 1917, relating to the boundaries of fish and game district 4 "B".

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 403 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 522—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 522 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 504—An act to amend section 626*f*, of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 504 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 156—An act to regulate the use of purse seines, purse nets, drag nets, lampara nets or round haul nets in (fish and game districts 19, 20 "A" and 21), and providing a penalty for the violation thereof

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 156 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell Smith Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 652—An act to amend section 626*e* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 652 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 523—An act to amend section 628*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 523 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 641—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 641 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 626c of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No 651 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T M., and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 639—An act to amend section 628c of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 639 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter,

Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 571—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' " approved June 3, 1921, and all amendments thereto, and adding a new section to be numbered section 2½.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 571 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate

Senate Bill No 175—An act to provide for the regulation and use of aircraft in the State of California; to create a Director of Civil Aeronautics, to define his powers and duties and to provide for the creation and organization of an Aircraft Department under his jurisdiction, to carry into effect the provisions of this act; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the registration, numbering, and use of aircraft, and the licensing of operators thereof," approved June 3, 1921.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 175 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 496—An act to provide for and regulate the method of improving abandoned orchards; providing for the method of giving notice to improve such property; providing for a lien for the cost of such improvement and providing for a foreclosure of such lien.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 496 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Woodbridge, and Mr. Speaker—49

NOES—Adams, Browne, Finney, Jones, Murray, Spalding, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—10.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for local improvements upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities, such act to be known as 'The Local Improvement Act of 1901'" which became a law under constitutional provision without the Governor's approval February 26, 1901, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and

for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 34, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference, concerning Assembly Bill No. 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of the Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 96, 114, 138, 145, 153 relative to the registration of vehicles, the fees to be paid therefor and the use and operation of vehicles.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 125—An act making an appropriation for the erection and construction of a new grandstand at the State agricultural grounds at Sacramento, California:

Also: Senate Bill No 138—An act to provide proper sanitary conditions at terminals for the preservation of the health of employees:

Also: Senate Bill No. 250—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste; to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canners or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform; to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers or fresh fish dealers; to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes, and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended:

Also Senate Bill No. 671—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grade of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to completion of work by city.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way forming the exterior boundaries of any municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundaries, or extending into the territory of two or more municipalities or extending into the territory of one or more municipalities and unincorporated territory, and providing for work upon and the improvement thereof, and providing for the construction of sanitary and storm sewers, drains and drainage systems, together with any and all appurtenances and appurtenant work in connection with any of such work or improvements, to assess the whole or any portion of the costs and expenses thereof upon private property, and to provide for a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for such costs and expenses and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved April 21, 1911, as amended:

Also: Senate Bill No. 559—An act to regulate the hunting of deer and to provide for the tagging of the carcass of any deer killed, and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation, propagation and protection

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 662—An act to amend section 1380 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in probate matters;

Also: Senate Bill No. 666—An act to amend section 1761 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices to relatives of persons under guardians;

Also: Senate Bill No. 702—An act to amend sections 1552, 1554, and 1561 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to probate sales of real estate;

Also: Senate Bill No. 647—An act to empower the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the business of buying and selling fresh fish, to license those engaged in selling or marketing fish; and to provide penalties for violation of this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 404—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 467*a*, to the Civil Code of the State of California, providing for and authorizing the construction of additional tracks by railroad corporations.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 485—An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics" approved March 3, 1883, as amended, providing for the appointment by the commissioner of said bureau of such full-time deputies, attorneys, statisticians, agents, assistants, stenographers and other employees as he may deem necessary, subject to the approval of the Board of Control and Civil Service Commission, and for their compensation and traveling expenses, providing for the salary of the said commissioner and his traveling expenses, and for offices to be maintained by him, and contingent expenses thereof; to repeal an act entitled "An act to create the office of attorney for the State Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved June 4, 1913, and to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act;

Also: Senate Bill No. 350—An act providing for the management of irrigation districts that are in arrears as to bond interest or principal;

Also: Senate Bill No. 536—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 335—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to concurrent jurisdiction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 863—An act to amend section 1208 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon animals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes.

Also Assembly Bill No 1223—An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April, 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 180—An act to provide an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts to be known as the State Narcotic Hospital, to provide for the government and maintenance thereof, to provide for admission and commitment of such addicts; and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act, to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof, and to make an appropriation therefor.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 664—An act to amend section 1517 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale and conveyance of the property of decedents.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 664 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—63.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 124—An act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 1871, relating to experts, their appointment by the court, or a judge thereof, and providing for their compensation and manner of examination as witnesses.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 124 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Byrne, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T M—42.

NOES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Browne, Burns, Campbell, Deuel, Easley, Foster, Hornblower, Jost, McDowell, Melville, Mitchell, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roland, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Wemple, and Mr. Speaker—26.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 832—An act to amend sections 1, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 832 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—67.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 39 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 831 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Foster, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63.

NOES—Fry, and Schmidt—2.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 458—An act to amend section 607*d* of the Civil Code, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 458 was refused passage by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Badham, Burns, Crittenden, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Schmidt,

Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—34.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Hartranft, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Lyons, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Smith, Walters, Wemple, West, and Wright, S. V.—38.

Senate Bill No. 456—An act to amend section 607*e* of the Civil Code of the State of California, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 456 was refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Brock, Burns, Crittenden, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hawes, Jacobson, Levey, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Spalding, Spence, Williamson, and Woodbridge—26.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Browne, Byrne, Cleveland, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Duval, Finney, Foster, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Scudder, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—36.

ASSISTANT CLERK BOOTH READING.

Senate Bill No. 217—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the erection and equipment of State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes.

URGENCY CLAUSE READ.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 217 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 367—An act creating a Commission for the Reform of Criminal Procedure and appropriating funds therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 367 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T M, and Mr. Speaker—70.

NOES—None

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLYMAN WELLER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Frank C. Weller, member from the Sixty-first District, was called to the chair.

Senate Bill No. 39—An act to amend section 457 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the watchmen in the office of the State Treasurer.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 39 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P, Anderson, R. J, Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry Hawes, Heisinger Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Melville Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S V, and Wright, T. M.—63

NOES—Bernard, and Mr. Speaker—2

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 41—An act appropriating money for tinting, papering and other necessary improvements and repairs of the Governor's mansion and outbuildings thereof at Sacramento and for new carpets, furnishings, and equipment to be used therein.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 41 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M, and Mr Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 45—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Byrne moved that Senate Bill No. 45 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 45 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 47—An act appropriating money for the installation of a water system at Marshall's Monument Grounds.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 47 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 57—An act to provide for the reforestation, constructing and maintaining of fire lanes and fire trails on the Angeles National Forest, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 57 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 103—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of E. E. Purrington against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 103 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Browne, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Elksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft,

Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Spalding, Spence, West, Williamson, and Woodbridge—45

NOES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Davis, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, Melville, Mueller, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—24

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and twenty-seven minutes a.m., Hon. Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 128—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of Mad River from erosion by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 128 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 197—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of the Santa Ynez River, through what is commonly known as the Lompoc Valley, from erosion, by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 197 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 291—An act appropriating money to complete the construction of the trail in the Sierra Nevada Mountains known as the "John Muir Trail" and laterals therefrom.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 291 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 110—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Vreeland, Everts & Co.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 110 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 696—An act concerning the waterfront of the city and county of San Francisco and authorizing the State Harbor Commissioner to pay fines levied by the Interstate Commerce Commission in connection with the operation of the belt railroad out of the San Francisco harbor improvement fund in an amount not exceeding $900.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 696 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 823—An act making an appropriation for the repair of the State Armory at San Francisco.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 823 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 825—An act making an appropriation for the repair and alteration of the east wing of the State Exposition Building at Exposition Park, Los Angeles.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 825 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 395—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of The First National Bank of Los Angeles, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 395 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 510—An act to amend section 2 of an act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, approved June 22, 1923, relating to the distribution of the State Blue Book

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 510 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 575—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 575 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—52.
NOES—Bernard, and Mr. Speaker—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 576—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the Chief Justice and of each of the associate justices of the Supreme Court.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 576 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Byrne, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Hartranft, Heisinger Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—54.
NOES—Bernard, and Mr. Speaker—2.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 694—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Percy E. Towne and Peter A. Breen, against the State of California.

Bill read third time.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 694 refused passage by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Eksward, Hartranft, Jacobson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison,

Mueller, Murphy, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—38.

NOES—Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Burns, Cleveland, Denel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Mitchell, Murray, Nielsen, Reindollar, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Wemple, West, Woodbridge, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—31.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The following report of standing committee was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

ON SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AFFAIRS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs reports as follows:

That from the sum of $150.00, which was by resolution upon the seventh day of April, allowed the Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Affairs from the contingent fund, for the employment of a special stenographer, said committee has expended the sum of $128.80, vouchers for which have been filed with the State Controller.

WALTERS, Chairman.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 127 the following Senators Chamberlin, Canepa and Inman, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintainance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" by amending sections numbered 2, 36, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 77, 80, 85, 96, 114, 138, 145, 153, relative to the registration of vehicles, the fees to be paid therefor and the use and operation of vehicles—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Breed, Sample and Sharkey, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following:

That the Senate concur in the Assembly amendments.

BADHAM,
DUVAL,
SPENCE,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report of the Committee on Free Conference.

The roll was called, and the report adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Burns, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crotei, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartrantt, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Chamberlin, Canepa and Inman, and reports that the Committee on Conference is unable to agree, and recommends that a Committee on Free Conference be appointed.

NIELSEN,
SCUDDER,
MIXTER,
Assembly Committee on Conference

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Wright, T. M., Hornblower and Carter as a Committee on Free Conference, to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 127.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The following message from the Senate was taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April. 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day appointed as a Committee on Free Conference on Senate Bill No. 127 the following Senators Lyon, Jones and Murphy, to meet with a like committee from your honorable body.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend sections 4, 7, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 18, relating to delinquencies, penalties for delinquencies, and refunds in payment over assessment on gasoline, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this act.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 601 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartrantt, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield,

Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.
Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 790—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1381, relating to notices of application for administration to be given to consular representatives of foreign countries where the application for administration is made upon the estates of their deceased nationals.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO REFER TO SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

During third reading of the bill, Mr. Jacobson moved that the Speaker appoint a Select Committee of One to amend the bill as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 11, of the printed bill, strike out the word "court" and insert in lieu thereof the word "country".

Motion carried.
The Speaker appointed Mr. Jacobson as such Select Committee.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE OF ONE.

The following report of Select Committee of One was received and read:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Select Committee of One, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 790, with instructions, reports that the instructions of the Assembly have been carried out.

JACOBSON, Select Committee.

Report of Select Committee of One and amendments adopted.
Bill ordered to reprint, re-engrossment, and on file for passage.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to assessment and collection of taxes;

Also Assembly Bill No. 933—An act to repeal section 628½ of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, relating to the salaries of the commissioners thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 197—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 487—An act to amend section 2167*b* of the Political Code, relating to psychopathic parole.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bills ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following:

Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day refused passage of the following:

Assembly Bill No. 79—An act to provide for the alteration of county boundary lines and for the adjustment of county debts and liabilities when such boundaries are changed, prescribing the method of holding elections and prescribing the duties of officers with respect thereto and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 82—An act to repeal section 32 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended;

Also: Senate Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41—Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the

salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41 read.

The question being on the adoption of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41.

The roll was called, and Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41 finally adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Crater, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Eksward Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—Badham, Carter, Coombs, Davis, Jacobson, Little, Roberts, Scofield, Sewell, Walters, and Weller—11.

Title read and approved.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41 read, and ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 41.

Relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 17 of article VI thereof, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court, of the district courts of appeal and of the judges of the superior courts.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Legislature of the State of California at its regular session commencing on the fifth day of January, 1925, two-thirds of all members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the people of the State of California that section 17 of article VI of the constitution of this State be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 17. The justices of the Supreme Court and of the district courts of appeal and the judges of the superior courts shall severally, at stated times during their continuance in office receive for their service such compensation as is or shall be provided by law. Three thousand dollars shall be paid by the State upon the salary of each superior court judge, the remainder of such salary, as the same is now or may hereafter be established, shall be paid by the county for which he is elected.

Senate Bill No. 811—An act to amend an act approved April 30, 1919, to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the water front of the city and county of San Francisco'".

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 811 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—61.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 654—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act for the preservation of the public health of the people of the State of California and empowering the State Board of Health to

enforce its provisions, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved March 23, 1907, as amended, relating to nuisances so as to repeal certain portions thereof relating to nuisance.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Senate Bill No. 654 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Broughton, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller West, Williamson, and Wright, S. V.—44.

NOES—Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—5.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 263—An act authorizing the Board of Control to reconvey certain real property to L. B. Collins.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 263 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 49—An act appropriating money for painting and repairing the State Capitol Building

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 49 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 152—An act appropriating money to meet the deficiency in the appropriation of salaries of Senators and Assemblymen for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years.

URGENCY CLAUSE.

The question being: Shall this section, setting forth the urgency features of this bill, be passed?

The roll was called, and the urgency clause adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 152 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—62.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 344—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1608*c*, to authorize the governing boards of school districts to rent, purchase, or build, and furnish school buildings to house pupils or employees of the school districts.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 344 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Brock, Broughton, Campbell, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—41.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Browne, Carter, Cleveland, Croter, Eksward, Finney, Jones, Melville, Mixter, Murphy, Roland, Runner, and Mr. Speaker—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 468—An act making an appropriation for research work as to citrus by-products by the University of California.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called and Senate Bill No. 468 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, R. J., Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 405—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations affecting actions against directors or stockholders of corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 405 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Brock, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Runner, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—50

NOES—Murray, Walters, and Mr. Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 713—An act to amend section 361*a* of the Civil Code, relating to the transfer as a whole of the business franchise and property of corporations.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 713 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Carter, Coombs, Crittenden Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jost, Levey, Little, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, Williamson Woodbridge Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—57.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 455—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof; and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 455 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Broughton, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Spence, Walters, Wemple, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—57.

NOES—Bernard, and Mr Speaker—2.

Title read and approved

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Weller.

The roll of absentees was called and Senate Bill No. 303 passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dayton, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartrantt, Hawes, Hersinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—74.

NOES—Bernard, Carter, and Mr. Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Bill No. 4—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 26—An act making an appropriation for the prevention and extinguishment of fires in Tamalpais Forest fire district;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 91—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof and the building of the State Armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles;

Also Assembly Bill No. 102—An act to appropriate $25,000 to the State Department of Agriculture for the eradication of Alhagi camelorum (otherwise known as camel's thorn) in the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 106—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to appropriate the sum of $30,000 to be used in the construction, renewal and repair of works for restraining, impounding and controlling debris resulting from mining operations, natural erosions and other causes, and to provide for the manner of expending such appropriation,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 166—An act to provide for the eradication of citrus white fly in California by providing for the establishment by proclamation of citrus white fly districts, declaring certain plants within such citrus white fly districts to be a public nuisance, providing for the destruction or treatment of such host plants, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the county horticulture commissioners in relation to the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation for the enforcement of this act;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 237—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 238—An act to provide for the accomplishment of the work of the direct improvement of the navigation of the Sacramento, San Joaquin

and Feather rivers of the State of California, by controlling the floods, removing the debris and continuing the improvement of the Sacramento River, California, in accordance with the plans of the California Debris Commission contained in the report of said commission submitted August 10, 1910, and transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of War on June 27, 1911, and printed in House of Representatives Document No. 81 of the first session of the sixty-second United States Congress, as modified by the report of said commission submitted February 8, 1913, approved by the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors and printed in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document No. 5, sixty-third United States Congress, first session, in so far as said plan provides for the rectification and enlargement of river channels and the construction of weirs, and making an appropriation for such work; and providing for the continuance of such work as provided by section 2 of an act of the Congress of the United States entitled "An act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes," approved March 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 392—An act appropriating the sum of $300,000 for the completion of construction and equipment and furnishing State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 50—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 595*a*, relating to the retirement of insurance companies from this State and the reinsurance of their risks;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 162—An act appropriating money for expenditures as directed by the division of water rights of the Department of Public Works of the State of California in aiding the Department of Interior of the United States in stream gaging work in the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 191—An act to amend section 1048 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the consolidation of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 194—An act to amend section 427 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the joinder of causes of action;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 230—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of paying interest due from the land settlement fund to the general fund in the State Treasury;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 534—An act to amend the California Vehicle Act approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," by amending section numbered 102 thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 556—An act to appropriate money for the purpose of improving the navigability of the San Joaquin River by deepening and widening the same from Suisun Bay to the mouth of Stockton Channel;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 578—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 579—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment at California Polytechnic School of California Institute;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 604—An act to amend section 10 of the "California Warehouse Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 680—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to duties of the county superintendent of schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 716—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the county of Sacramento against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 745—An act appropriating money to purchase land to be used as a farm by the Agnews State Hospital;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 747—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of the fruit growers of California, incorporated, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 768—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments to be levied upon the property of the State of California

known as the University of California, Southern Branch property, on Heliotrope drive and Willow Brook avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 821—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 831—An act to amend section 1599 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to encumbering, leasing or selling real property of the estates of decedents or of persons under guardianship;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 874—An act requiring the State Reclamation Board of California to construct a bridge or fill across the barrow pit on the east side of the west levee of the Sutter by-pass connecting the lands owned by J. A Murray and Charles H Volsburg with the said west levee at a point near the point where the said west levee intersects with the Sacramento River in Sutter County and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1124—An act relating to the salaries of employees of the State, county, municipal or other political subdivision of the State who may be subject to call to duty with the military armed forces of the United States;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1160—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1612*d*, relating to the education of children in tuberculosis sanitariums;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1162—An act to amend section 1858 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1199—An act appropriating money for the purchase of land for the Fresno State Teachers College;

Also Assembly Bill No 1211—An act making an appropriation for the payment of certain assessments for the installation and maintenance of ornamental lights, levied upon the property of the State of California, known as the University of California, Southern Branch, on Vermont avenue, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1217—An act to amend section 19*a*27 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, relating to salaries of probation officers;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1225—An act appropriating money to provide for the paving and improving of Stockton boulevard, fronting property owned and under option of the State of California, known as the State Fair Grounds;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1242—An act to validate bonds of school districts, union school districts, joint union school districts and high school districts, and sanitary districts, and to provide for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest on such bonds;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1254—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of building and furnishing a cottage for housing patients at the State Hospital at Agnew, California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1257—An act to limit the interest chargeable upon moneys heretofore appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1258—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1259—An act to amend sections 3, 17, 18 and 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1266—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Philadelphia Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the year 1926 and to provide for a commissioner thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1289—An act to authorize and empower the State Director of Education, with the approval of the State Board of Control, to sell and convey the lands and buildings of the San Diego State Teachers College, and from the proceeds of such sale to purchase and improve a new and suitable site for said school to erect and construct upon the site so purchased buildings and other structures and improvements necessary and proper for said school, to purchase furniture, fixtures, apparatus, and other things necessary for said school, and to rent such temporary buildings and grounds as may be necessary for the use of said school until the completion of the new school buildings;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1300—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to grant certain money from the fund for the examination and registration of nurses

to the regents of the University of California under certified trust for the establishment of a professorship of nursing education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 147—An act to cure defects in maps or plats filed for record prior to April 1, 1925, and in deeds or conveyances referring to such maps;

Also Assembly Bill No. 151—An act declaring the county road commencing at Beegum, in Shasta County, and extending to Peanut, in Trinity County, to be a State highway;

Also. Assembly Bill No 232—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to cemetery districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 725—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, designated the "Bank Act," by amending sections 15, 15*a*, 21*a*, 62, 65, 80, 83, 96, 101, 123, 130, 132, and 138, and by adding new sections thereto to be numbered sections 16, 16*a*, 16*b*, 16*c*, 16*d*, 16*e*, and 104, all relating to the definition and regulations of the business of banking;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 641—An act to amend sections 13, 14, 16, 17, 20 and 21 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to insanitary dairies, creameries, licenses, milk fat tests, dairy statistics and the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture of the State of California in connection therewith;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to the National Editorial Association—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

(Signed out)

LYONS, Chairman.
BROUGHTON.
CAMPBELL.
ROBERTS.
WELLER.
FINNEY.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 25 ordered on file for adoption

REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Mr. Eksward asked for and was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25, at this time, without reference to committee or file.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Relative to the National Editorial Association.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No 25 read.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

Pending the announcement of the vote, Mr. Eksward moved a call of the House.

Motion carried.

Time, eleven o'clock and thirty-two minutes a.m.

The Speaker directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close the doors.

The doors were closed, and the Chief Clerk was directed to call the roll.

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

Adams, Anderson, D. P., Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Jones, Levey, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine,

Runner, Scofield, Spalding, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—43.
NOES—None.

The Chief Clerk announced the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms having been furnished with the names of the absentees, was directed to bring them to the bar of the House.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 698—An act to amend section 2554 of the Political Code.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 698 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—53
NOES—Anderson, R. J., Coombs, Graves, and Mr. Speaker—4.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 528—An act to amend section 71 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define the powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 528 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58
NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 830—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county and township officers from the State.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 830 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—57.

NOES—Heisinger, Johnson, and Mr. Speaker—3.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 616—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Crittenden moved that Senate Bill No. 616 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 616 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No 790—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1381, relating to notices of application for administration to be given to consular representatives of foreign countries where the application for administration is made upon the estates of their deceased nationals

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 790 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel Dorris, Duval, Easley, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, and Wright, T. M.—62.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Walters, Wright, S. V., and Mr. Speaker—4

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE.

The following report of Committee on Free Conference was received and read:

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Free Conference concerning Senate Bill No. 127—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters—reports that it has met a like committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Lyon, Jones and Murphy, and reports that the Committee on Free Conference has agreed to recommend the following: That the Senate concur in the Assembly amendments, and that the bill be further amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, as amended in the Assembly April 15, 1925, beginning with the semicolon, strike out the rest of the line and all of lines 10, 11 and 12, and insert in lieu thereof a period.

CARTER.
HORNBLOWER.
WRIGHT, T. M.,
Assembly Committee on Free Conference.

The question being on the adoption of the report and amendments

The roll was called, and the report and amendments adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D. P., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Little, Lyons, McDonald, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed the following

Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering; providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for professional engineers, granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board, providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 367—An act creating a commission for the reform of criminal procedure and appropriating funds therefor.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 601—An act to amend sections 4, 7, 10 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith" approved May 30, 1923, and to add thereto a new section to be numbered 18, relating to delinquencies, penalties for delinquencies, and refunds in payment over assessment on gasoline, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this act

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 790—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1381, relating to notices of application for administration to be given to consular representatives of foreign countries where the application for administration is made upon the estates of their deceased nationals.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted the report of Committee on Free Conference, concerning Senate Bill No. 127.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 53 thereof, relating respectively to the construction of works and the compensation of officers—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 297?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1 of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 31, 1925, in line 3 of the title strike out the words "tions fifty-three and fifty-seven" and insert in lieu thereof the words "tion fifty-three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2 of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly March 31, 1925, beginning with line 25 strike out all of lines 25 to 49, both inclusive.

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 297 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 303?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the printed bill, after the word "conclusive" insert the word "evidence".

The roll was called and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 303 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller Eleanor, Miller J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 77—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737a, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Alpine—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 77?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the third line of the title of the amended bill, strike out the word "Madera" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Alpine".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 5, of the amended bill, strike out the words "Madera is five" and insert in lieu thereof "Alpine is three".

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 77 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller Eleanor; Miller J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M, and Mr. Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No 183—An act to amend "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department, and to assess and collect taxes, from time to time, for such purposes, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, by the addition thereto of a new section to be numbered 24½, providing for the annexation of unincorporated territory to a fire district—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 183?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 9, of the printed bill, after the word "district" insert the words "and not included in any other fire protection district or timber land patrolled by the state board of forestry, or in accordance with the rules and regulations of said state board of forestry".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 183 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller Eleanor; Miller J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—59.
NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to amend sections 2, 3 and 764 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section, to be numbered 752*c*—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 669?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "sections", strike out the following: "two.".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Section", strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

Beginning with line 5, on page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all to and including line 43 on page 2.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 26, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 3" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 2".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 5, line 12, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec. 4" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In the first line of the title of the printed bill after the word "three", strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In the second line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "four" insert the following: "and eight hundred fifty-two *a*".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 7, following line 47, of the printed bill, insert the following:

"SEC. 4. Section eight hundred fifty-two *a* of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 852*a*. The board of trustees may at any time submit to the electors at any municipal or at any special election to be held for that purpose, an ordinance to divide the administration of the municipality into five departments and provide for the assignment of its several members to be the heads of such respective departments and to be appointed as the commissioners of such respective departments; *provided*, that if a department of public health be created the commissioner in charge may be given the powers and duties of the municipal board of health, and such health board be thereby abolished. Such ordinances shall define the duties, powers and responsibilities of each commissioner and may require such commissioner to devote a specified number of hours of each business day to the performance of such duties, in which event such commissioner may receive a compensation, the amount of same to be fixed by said ordinance. The board may, by majority vote, subject to the provisions of this section, assign its several members to be and appoint them as the respective commissioners of such several departments and may by like vote from time to time change such assignment and appointment. It may assign employees to one or more departments, and may make such other rules and regulations as may be necessary or proper to the efficient and economical conduct of the business of the municipality. The substance of the ordinance so proposed shall be printed on the ballots used at such election substantially as follows: "Shall the administration of the municipality be divided into five departments as follows." (Insert the five departments of government proposed and briefly designate the powers and duties conferred upon each and the compensation each commissioner or head of department shall receive.) "Yes" and "No" so printed in connection therewith that the voters may express their choice. The returns of the election shall be canvassed and declared as at other municipal elections, and if it appears that a majority of the votes cast at such election were in favor of the ordinance, such ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the tenth day thereafter.

The board of trustees may at any time submit to the electors at any municipal or special election, an ordinance providing for the establishment of the city manager form of government. Such ordinance shall define the powers and duties of the manager and may fix his compensation or amount of the minimum thereof. The substance of the ordinance so proposed shall be printed on the ballots used at such election

substantially as follows: "Shall the city adopt the city manager form of government?" with the words "Yes" and "No" printed in connection therewith so that the voters may vote for or against such question. The returns of the election shall be canvassed and declared as at other municipal elections, and if it appears that a majority of the votes cast at such election were in favor of the ordinance, the same shall go into full force and effect on the tenth day thereafter. Thereupon the board of trustees shall, within sixty days thereafter, appoint a city manager, who need not be a resident of the city at the time of his appointment. Upon his appointment the terms of the other subordinate officers theretofore appointed by the board of trustees shall cease unless they be reappointed by the manager, who shall have the power to appoint and dismiss the marshal, recorder and other subordinate officers except the clerk, attorney, and treasurer.

The ordinances provided for in this section may be submitted directly by the people under the general laws providing for exercise of the initiative. Any city adopting the commission plan or city manager plan of government as herein authorized may, by subsequent vote of the electors, abolish the same in the like manner as herein provided for their adoption."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 669 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Cloudman, Crittenden, Crotei, Davis, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, Melville, Miller Eleanor; Miller J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Noyes, Pierce, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 589—An act to amend section 365c of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365d, 365e, 365f, 365g, 365h, 365i, 365j, 365k, 365l 365m, 365n, 365o, and 365p to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 589?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, lines 2 and 3 of the printed bill, strike out the word "exclusive".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 2, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "commission" and insert in lieu thereof the following: ". All such expenditures shall be incurred subject to the approval of the board of control,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE

On page 2, line 51, of the printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "roads" and insert in lieu thereof the following ", and, subject to the approval of the board of control,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 7, line 41, of the printed bill, strike out the word "to" and substitute in lieu thereof the following: ", subject to the approval of the board of control,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 7, line 46, of the printed bill, insert between the period after the word "matters" and the word "No" the following words "Employees and assistants provided for herein, shall be employed subject to the rules and regulations of the state civil service commission as provided for by law.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

On page 7, line 51, of the printed bill, after the word "empowered" and before the word "to" insert the following: ", subject to the approval of the board of control,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

On page 8, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "authorized" and before the word "to" insert the following: ", subject to the approval of the board of control,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT.

On page 8, line 3, of the printed bill, after the word "may" and before the word "sell" insert the following ", subject to the approval of the board of control,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE.

On page 8, line 5, of the printed bill, after the period after the word "requires" insert the following words "The state board of control may cause the said California highway commission to make all purchases under the provisions of the law creating a state purchasing department and all amendments thereto, and may from time to time waive or reestablish such provisions relating to the methods of making purchases".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN.

On page 8, line 29, of the printed bill, after the period after the word "advisable" strike out the words "it shall be the duty of the state printer" and insert in lieu thereof the following words "after the approval of the board of control, it shall be the duty of the chief of the division of printing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

On page 9, line 30, of the printed bill, after the period after the word "expenses" strike out balance of the line, and strike out all of lines 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE.

On page 7, line 27, of the printed bill, after the word "government" insert a new sentence to read as follows "All agreements in reference to said cooperative work shall be signed on behalf of the State of California, either by the state highway engineer or the California highway commission."

The roll was called and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 589 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1196—An act to amend sections 17, 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts eighteen and nineteen—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1196?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In the first line of the title of the printed bill, after the word "sections" insert the following: "seventeen,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 1, line 1, of the printed bill, after the word "Section" strike out the word "forty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seventeen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 8, of the printed bill, after the semicolon following the word "follows" insert the following.

"Sec. 17. Fish and game district three shall consist of and include those portions of Contra Costa county not in fish and game districts three "F," twelve and twelve "B", those portions of San Joaquin county not included in fish and game districts one and twelve "B", those portions of Alameda county not included in fish and game districts twelve and thirteen, those portions of San Francisco county not included in fish and game districts ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen, those portions of San Mateo county not included in fish and game districts ten and thirteen; those portions of Santa Clara county not included in fish and game district thirteen, those portions of Santa Cruz county not included in fish and game districts three "A," ten, fourteen, fifteen and seventeen, those portions of San Benito county not included in fish and game district three "B"; those portions of Monterey county not included in fish and game districts sixteen, seventeen and eighteen, those portions of San Luis Obispo county not included in fish and game district eighteen, those portions of Santa Barbara county not included in fish and game districts three "C" and eighteen those portions of Ventura county not included in fish and game districts three "D" and nineteen; those portions of Stanislaus county not included in fish and game district one; those portions of Merced county not included in fish and game district one, those portions of Fresno county not included in fish and game districts one, one "K" and twenty-six, those portions of Kings county not included in fish and game district one, those portions of Kern county not included in fish and game districts one and one "L"

SEC. 2. Section forty-five of said act is hereby amended to read as follows "

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR

On page 1, line 15, of the printed bill, strike out "Sec 2" and insert in lieu thereof "Sec. 3".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

In line 1, of the title, as amended in the Senate April 17, 1925, after the word "seventeen" add a comma

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.

In line 17 of the amended bill, after the word "districts" add "three "G" " and a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.

In line 19 of the bill as amended, after the word "district" add "three "E", three "G" and".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1196 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobsen, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Seofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action against the surety or sureties on the contractor's bond independent of a right of action against the board, commission, officer, or other body by whom the contract was awarded to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 895?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

In lines 13 to 18, both inclusive, of the title of amended printed bill, as amended in the Assembly on April 8, 1925, strike out the following: "giving a right of action against the public authorities who execute the contract if any money is due the contractor upon completion of the contract or if the verified claims filed are ignored, providing that such authorities may immediately pay claims filed if the contractor consents in writing,".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In lines 18, 19 and 20 of the title of the amended printed bill, strike out the following: "and providing for the dismissal of claims paid by the sureties, without right of subrogation".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, lines 40 to 52, both inclusive, of the amended printed bill, and page 4, lines 1 to 12, both inclusive, of the amended printed bill, strike out the sentence beginning with the word "At" on line 40, page 3, and ending with the word "anticipated." on line 12, page 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Actions against the state, public board, commission, or officer thereof, or the political subdivision of the state, or the disbursing officer whose duty it is to make payments under the provisions of the contract for the public improvement in question, brought by any claimant who has filed claim under this act, or his assign, shall be governed by the provisions of sections one thousand one hundred eighty-four, one thousand one hundred eighty-four *a*, one thousand one hundred eighty-four *b*, and one thousand one hundred eighty-four *c* of the Code of Civil Procedure and the verified notice provided for in the said sections shall be equivalent for all purposes to the verified claim provided for herein."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 4, lines 44 to 53, both inclusive, of the amended printed bill, strike out the sentence beginning on line 44 with the word "A" and ending on line 53 with the word "notwithstanding".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.

On page 4, line 27, of the amended printed bill, as amended in the Senate on April 22, 1925, strike out the word "herein" and insert in lieu thereof the word "therein".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 895 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Ekswärd, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobsen, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Lattle, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—66.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1255—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921 as amended, relating to powers of the districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J T MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1255?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 1, line 3, of the printed bill, strike out the word "authroizing" and insert in lieu thereof the word "authorizing".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO

On page 2, line 47, of the printed bill, after the word "completed" strike out the comma and insert the following: "and suit shall have been commenced against said district for such claim for labor or other personal service and said suit shall have been settled or reduced to final judgment,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1255 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartrantt, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—52.

NOES—Cloudman, Croter, Jost, Miller, Eleanor, Murray, Roland, Saylor, Smith, Spence, West and Mr. Speaker—11.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges and the district attorney's special fund—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1274?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE

On page 2, line 13, of the printed bill, after the word "sheriffs" insert the words "coroners, recorders,".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1274 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—60.

NOES—Bernard, and Mr. Speaker—2.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices, providing for the inspection, measurement, and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures, to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers, and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 639?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

On page 3, line 23, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 13, 1925, after the word "fourteenth", insert the word "fifteenth".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

On page 3, line 31, of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 13, 1925, after the word "sealer", insert the following: "*provided further* that nothing in this act shall be construed to affect the salaries of sealers of weights and measures now or hereinafter paid pursuant to any charter or law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 3, line 34, of the printed bill, as amended April 22, 1925, strike out the period following the word "law" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: "*provided, however*, that in counties of the third class the sealer of weights and measures shall receive four thousand dollars per annum; *provided*, that in counties of the third class there shall be and there hereby is allowed to the sealer of weights and measures one chief deputy whose salary is hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum; and such other deputies as may be appointed in accordance with law whose salaries are hereby fixed at the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum each *provided, further*, that the salaries of said sealer of weights and measures, said chief deputy, and all other deputies shall be paid by said county at the same time and in the same manner and out of the same fund as the salaries of other county officers, said chief deputy and deputies to be appointed as provided by law."

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 3, line 37, of the amended printed bill, strike out every word, beginning with and including the word "*provided*" down to and including the word "law" on line 51, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided, however*, that nothing in this act shall be construed so as to affect the salaries of sealers of weights and measures of counties of the third class."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 639 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., and Wright, T. M.—67.

NOES—Bernard, Heisinger, and Mr. Speaker—3

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 657?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 5 of the title of the printed bill, as amended in Assembly April 15, 1925, after the word "inspection" strike out the period and insert the word "fund".

The roll was called, and Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 657 was concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crit-

tenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—68.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER. I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to regulate the working hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 255?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

Strike out the first five lines of the title of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: An act to regulate the working hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

Beginning with line 1, on page 1, of the printed bill, strike out all to and including line 7 on page 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. As a measure for the protection of public health, no person employed by any person, firm or corporation to sell, at retail, drugs and medicines, or to compound physicians' prescriptions, shall perform any work in any store, dispensary, pharmacy, laboratory or office for more than an average of nine hours per day, or for more than one hundred eight hours in any two consecutive weeks nor on more than thirteen days in such two consecutive weeks.

SEC. 2. No person, firm or corporation employing another person to sell, at retail, drugs and medicines, or to compound physicians' prescriptions, shall require or permit said employed person to perform any work in any store, dispensary, pharmacy, laboratory or office for more than an average of nine hours per day, or for more than one hundred eight hours in any two consecutive weeks nor on more than thirteen days in such two consecutive weeks, *provided, however*, that the periods of rest to be taken by the employee must be so apportioned that the employee shall be entitled to one complete day of rest during one of such weeks, and to two half day periods in the other of such weeks; but nothing herein contained shall prevent the employer from granting to the employee a complete day of rest during each of such weeks.

SEC. 3. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished therefor by a fine not less than twenty dollars nor more than fifty dollars or by imprisonment, for not exceeding sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court, *provided, however*, that the provisions of this act shall not apply in any case of emergency:

The word emergency as used herein shall be construed as being accident, death, sickness or epidemic.

SEC. 4. The commissioner of the state bureau of labor statistics is hereby authorized, directed and empowered to enforce the provisions of this act.

SEC. 5. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 255 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder,

Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 2½, 3, 5, 7, 9, 15, 17, 21½, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38, 39, 45 and 46 and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, and to add seven new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a* and 22*a*—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 451?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 4 of the title of the amended bill, strike out the word "and" appearing between the words "eight" and "thirty-nine", and insert in lieu thereof a comma.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 4 of the title of the amended bill, after the comma following the word "thirty-nine" insert the following: "forty-five, and forty-six".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 7, lines 48 and 49, of the amended bill, strike out the word "nineteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighteen".

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.

On page 9, line 49, of the amended bill, after the period following the word "herein" add the following:

"SEC. 24. Section forty-five of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 45. Fish and game district eighteen shall consist of and include the ocean waters and tidelands to high water mark of the state lying between a line extending due west from the mouth of Carmel river and the south boundary of Santa Barbara county, and shall exclude all rivers, streams, sloughs and lagoons.

SEC. 25. Section forty-six of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 46. Fish and game district nineteen shall consist of and include the ocean waters and tidelands to high water mark of the state lying between the south boundary of Santa Barbara county and the southern boundary of San Diego county, and shall include all islands and waters adjacent thereto belonging to the State of California and lying off the coast of southern California, south of a line extending due west into the Pacific ocean from the north boundary of Santa Barbara county, exclusive of Santa Catalina island and state waters adjacent thereto, exclusive of all rivers, streams, lagoons and bays."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 451 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Minter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

Also:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day adopted as amended, Assembly Constitutional Amendment

No. 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered 14, relating to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts—and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J. T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 10 of the printed bill, after the word "shall" insert the words "have power"

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 10 of the printed bill, before the word "provide" insert the word "to"

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Crotet, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor, Minter, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—64.

NOES—None.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11 ordered to enrollment.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Weller:

WHEREAS, The course of study prescribed for the schools of this State requires a constant resort to and reference to the constitution of the State, and

WHEREAS, It is of vital importance and of paramount value to the State of California that every person desiring a constitution of the State of California and of the United States shall be furnished with a copy of the same, and

WHEREAS, Since the war there has been an awakened interest in the study of the constitution and demand and requests for copies of the same from ex-service men, schools, women's clubs, and persons desiring to study the constitution of our great State and nation in their efforts to prepare themselves for a more complete participation as citizens and to prepare themselves to become citizens, and

WHEREAS, The supply of constitutional pamphlets heretofore printed by the State has been exhausted and recent amendments have been adopted by the people, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the controller be and is hereby directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for the sum of $750 for the compilation and publication of a new edition of the constitution, said sum to be payable out of the contingent fund of the assembly, and the treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same, and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislative Counsel Bureau be and it is hereby instructed to compile and cause to be published and to be distributed to persons requesting copies of the same, a new edition of the constitution.

The Speaker ordered the above resolution referred to Committee on Contingent Expenses.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution introduced by Mr. Murray:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $14.05, in favor of Charles H.

Wilkinson, Sergeant-at-Arms, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same

McNeil's Red Top Taxi, taxi cab hire	$6 05
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, taxi cab hire	5 00
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, taxi cab hire	1 50
McNeil's Red Top Taxi, taxi cab hire	1 50
	$14 05

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
NOYES.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Mixter, Morrison, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—58.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following resolution introduced by Mr. Murray:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum of $95.01, in favor of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, to pay the amounts as itemized below, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same:

Sacramento Public Market	$5 75
Capital Dairy	3 60
Pioneer Baking Company	8 16
Wood Curtis Company	10 00
Capital Grill	67 50
	$95 01

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
NOYES.
LEVEY.
MILLER, J. A.

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Byrne, Campbell, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Ekswaid, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—59.

NOES—None.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Contingent Expenses, to which was referred the following Assembly resolution:

WHEREAS, The course of study prescribed for the schools of this State requires a constant resort to and reference to the constitution of the State, and

WHEREAS, It is of vital importance and of paramount value to the State of California that every person desiring a constitution of the State of California and of the United States shall be furnished with a copy of the same; and

WHEREAS, Since the war there has been an awakened interest in the study of the constitution and demand and requests for copies of the same from ex-service men, schools, women's clubs, and persons desiring to study the constitution of our great State and nation in their efforts to prepare themselves for a more complete participation as citizens and to prepare themselves to become citizens; and

WHEREAS, The supply of constitutional pamphlets heretofore printed by the State has been exhausted and recent amendments have been adopted by the people, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the controller be and is hereby directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for the sum of $750 for the compilation and publication of a new edition of the constitution, said sum to be payable out of the contingent fund of the Assembly, and the Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislative Counsel Bureau be and it is hereby instructed to compile and cause to be published and to be distributed to persons requesting copies of the same, a new edition of the constitution.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that it be adopted.

MURRAY, Chairman.
SPENCE.
NOYES.
LEVEY
MILLER, J. A

Mr. Murray moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Coombs, Crittenden, Cloter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Rutner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—55.

NOES—None.

ON ATTACHES.

SACRAMENTO CALIFORNIA, April 24, 1925.

WHEREAS, After adjournment the services of the officers, attaches and employees of the Assembly will not be required with the exceptions hereinafter noted, and

WHEREAS, It is necessary to furnish to the members of the Assembly complete copies of the final Histories, chaptered laws, Journals and other printed legislative material of this forty-sixth session of the California Legislature, and

WHEREAS, The Journals must be corrected and properly indexed, the final calendar of legislative business arranged and published, and a great number of bills be printed, and other details pertaining to this session of the Legislature taken care of, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly be and he is hereby authorized and directed to complete, compare, and have printed, after final adjournment, one thousand (1,000) copies of the final calendar of the legislative business of the forty-sixth session (or such number as may be necessary to fill the demand), and any other information that will create a permanent and complete guide and history of the session's business.

When the Governor shall have completed the consideration of all measures presented to him and the final calendar is prepared, the Chief Clerk is hereby directed to mail or express two (2) copies of the final calendar to each member of the Assembly.

The Chief Clerk is further authorized and directed to mail or express to each member a copy of the completed Journal and to have printed one thousand (1,000) copies of each bill, resolution or constitutional amendment which has passed both houses and been signed by the Governor, and to mail or express two sets of said chaptered laws to each member of the Assembly.

For the purpose of carrying out the object of this resolution, be it further

Resolved, That the name of each of the officers, attaches, and employees hereinbefore employed by this forty-sixth session of the Legislature for the position and at the per diem provided by law be and they are hereby stricken from the roll to begin and include Saturday, April 25, 1925, save and except the following:

Arthur A. Ohnimus, not to exceed 70 days at $10.00 per day	$700 00
C. Wm Booth, not to exceed 14 days at $9.00 per day	126 00
Alfred S. Gomes, not to exceed 10 days at $7.00 per day	70 00
Louis Erb, not to exceed 10 days at $9.00 per day	90 00

Ed C Lynch, not to exceed 10 days at $7.00 per day	$70 00
Chas. Erb, not to exceed 3 days at $7.00 per day	21 00
Adele Foren, not to exceed 30 days at $7.00 per day	210 00
Willis M. Baum, not to exceed 7 days at $7.00 per day	49 00
Anna T Perry, not to exceed 5 days at $5.00 per day	25 00
Madge Cross, not to exceed 70 days at $6.00 per day	420 00
Edith Mason, not to exceed 7 days at $5.00 per day	35 00
E. J. Hoerst, not to exceed 2 days at $7.00 per day	14 00
H. R. Nielsen, not to exceed 2 days at $7.00 per day	14 00
Oscar Norell, not to exceed 2 days at $7.00 per day	14 00
Gertrude Magruder, not to exceed 5 days at $5.00 per day	25 00
Total	$1,883 00

And the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants weekly upon the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, upon the authorization of Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, in an amount not to exceed the sum of one thousand eight hundred eighty-three dollars ($1,883 00), and the said Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same.

CARTER, Chairman.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Horublower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr Speaker—71.

NOES—None

Also:

Resolved, That there is due the officer and employee of the Assembly the per diem set opposite his name, from and including February 17, to and including February 23, 1925, to wit

C F Whiteside, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms $5 00 per diem

Said per diem to be paid out of the fund for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on said fund, in favor of said named person at said per diem, and the State Treasurer is authorized to pay the same

CARTER, Chairman

Mr Carter moved the adoption of the report and resolution

The question being on the adoption of the report and resolution.

The roll was called, and the report and resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Anderson, D P., Anderson, R J., Badham, Bernard, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval Eksward, Finney, Fry, Graves Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor Miller, J A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce Roberts, Saylor, Schmidt, Scudder, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Wright, S. V. and Mr. Speaker—57

NOES—Heisinger, Roland, Spalding, and Wright, T. M.—4

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Carter:

Resolved, That in order to pay the necessary expenses for the disposition of the closing business of this Assembly after adjournment, and for the payment of all bills, such as supplies from the purchasing department, telephoning, telegraphing, expressage, postage, etc., and for such other bills that may be presented, accompanied by proper vouchers covering such expenses, the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of Arthur A Ohnimus, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, upon the contingent fund of the Assembly in the sum five hundred dollars

($500), or such portion of said amount as may be necessary to carry out the above, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same.

Resolution read.

Mr. Carter moved the adoption of the resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Remdollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—71

NOES—None.

By Mr. Nielsen:

WHEREAS, The Citizens' Military Training Camp, authorized by the National Defense Act of 1920, has already demonstrated its value, and

WHEREAS, Over twelve hundred of the young men of California annually receive the benefits of this valuable training, and

WHEREAS, The training thus received by our young citizens will unquestionably be reflected in a higher development of the qualities of obedience, discipline, confidence and manliness, and

WHEREAS, This body is deeply interested in any work which is helpful in building up the character of our future citizens, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Assembly of the State of California heartily approves of the Citizens' Military Training Camp, and offers this resolution as an evidence of its unqualified interest and approval.

NIELSEN.
DODGE.
LOUTTIT.
JACOBSON.
MIXTER.
MILLER.
MURRAY.
MUELLER.
PIERCE.
BYRNE.
CAMPBELL.
BURNS.
CLOUDMAN.
SCHMIDT.
CLEVELAND
MELVILLE.
SCUDDER.
WALTERS.
WELLER.
LITTLE
SPENCE.
McDOWELL
WILLIAMSON.
McPHERSON.

Resolution read, and on motion adopted.

By Mr. Anderson, R. J.:

WHEREAS, The members of the Assembly will desire to have shipped to their various places of residence their bill files, books of codes, stationery and other printed matter at the close of this session; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk, Arthur A. Ohnimus, be authorized to procure such boxes, packing and other materials as are necessary for the purpose of shipping the same properly packed to the said members, and the said Controller is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the contingent expense fund of the Assembly in favor of said Arthur A. Ohnimus in a sum not to exceed four hundred ($400) dollars and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same.

For the purpose of carrying the above resolution into effect, the State Controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants weekly upon the appropriation for the payment of officers and employees of the Assembly in a sum not to exceed

two hundred thirty ($230) dollars in favor of the following named persons, and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same:

Charles H Wilkinson, not to exceed 20 days at $8 per day	$160 00
Wm Milton, not to exceed 7 days at $5 per day	35 00
Barney Ferguson, not to exceed 7 days at $5 per day	35 00
	$230 00

Mr. Anderson, R. J., moved the adoption of the resolution

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Campbell, Carter, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J A, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Roberts, Roland, Saylor, Scudder, Sewell, Spalding, Spence, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—54.

NOES—None.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The following messages from the Senate were taken up and read:

SENATE CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under state authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners—and respectfully request your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

J. A. BEEK, Secretary of Senate.
By J T. MACDONALD, Assistant Secretary.

The question being put: Shall the Assembly concur in the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 613?

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.

In line 1 of the title, strike out the words "sections one and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "section".

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.

In line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

On page 1, line 12, of the printed bill, beginning with the word "Section" strike out the rest of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC 2. There is hereby created a commission known as the "state civil service commission" which shall consist of three commissioners one of whom shall be the executive member and the other two shall be associate members, each of which members shall be appointed by the governor for the term of four years from the expiration of the respective terms of the members in office at the time this amendatory act takes effect. Vacancies shall be filled by appointments by the governor for the unexpired terms. Any commissioner may be removed by concurrent resolution of both houses of the legislature adopted by a two-thirds vote of each house. The member appointed to the position of executive member of said commission shall be ex officio president of the commission. He shall receive as compensation for his service the sum of five thousand dollars per annum and devote all his time to the duties of his office, which shall be maintained at the city of Sacramento. Each of the associate members of said commission shall receive as compensation for their services ten dollars per day while actually engaged in the duties of their office, not to exceed five hundred dollars each in any one year. All members of the commission shall receive their actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. The total and items of all expenditures and obligations made, authorized and incurred by the commission

shall not exceed the sums appropriated therefor by law. The names "commission" and "commissioners" as used in the act of which this is amendatory shall be construed to mean the executive head of the commission except that, in relation to the enactment of rules and regulations, the classifications and exemptions of places of employment and the dismissals from the public service, the votes of two members of the commission shall be necessary. In all other respects the duties, powers and functions now or hereafter conferred upon the civil service commission or commissioners are hereby vested in and conferred upon the executive member of said commission."

The roll was called, and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 613 were concurred in by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Fry, Hartranft, Hawes, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Sewell, Smith, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, and Wright, T. M.—55.

NOES—Bernard, Deuel, Heisinger, Runner, Spalding, and Mr. Speaker—6

The above reported bill ordered to enrollment.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—(RESUMED).

Senate Bill No. 763—An act to amend section 4290 of the Political Code, relating to fees and salaries of county officers.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Campbell moved that Senate Bill No. 763 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 763 re-referred to Committee on County Government.

Senate Bill No. 479—An act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts and places within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, as amended.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 479 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Coombs, Crittenden, Davis, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Miller, J. A., Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—56.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 700—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to broker's commissions on such sales.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER

Mr. Spence moved that Senate Bill No. 700 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 700 re-referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 297—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901.

Bill read third time.

MOTION TO RE-REFER.

Mr. Wright, S. V., moved that Senate Bill No. 297 be withdrawn from the file, and ordered re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 297 re-referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 382—An act to amend section 1374 of the Penal Code, relating to expenses of persons committed to State hospitals.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 382 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Croter, Deuel, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Fry, Hartranft, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Johnson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Oliva, Pierce, Reindollar, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Spence, Walters, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—63

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON GOVERNMENTAL REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

The Committee having under investigation revenues and expenditures of the State reports as follows:

There are created by law practically one hundred sixty-seven special funds. When any portion of these funds remain unexpended by the agencies having them in charge they become frozen and unavailable, except upon a special act of the Legislature with reference to each one of them. This process requires a great number of special acts of the Legislature and the law should be changed so that the frozen funds other than those of self-supporting commissions should automatically go into the general fund. It is probable that this could be done by a general law. It is doubtful if there should be such a thing as a special fund with reference to many of these funds, and there is no reason why they should not go directly to a general fund, from which they could be drawn with equal availability. Such an act creating this system would have to be so guided as not to contravene the budget amendment to the constitution.

The Committee finds that the estimated expenses for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 1925, and ending June 30, 1927, realized from franchise taxes provided from amendment number one which separates State and county taxes amount to $99,340,600 for the two fiscal years, but the total State receipts amount to $185,981,874 estimated for the said fiscal years. Deducting the amount of franchise tax given above from this total it is seen that from the several agencies of the State there is derived $86,641,874 besides the franchise tax.

The budget appropriates $106,141,033, and this amount is all that is required to take care of the expenditures of the government. It is found, however, that the total amount of the estimated expenditures for the two fiscal years is $160,120,283. It is seen, therefore, that the amount of expenditures for the two fiscal years over

and above the budget appropriation, amounts to $53,978,344. This excess over the budget is expended by the different agencies for which this aggregate amount is collected

It appears that the franchise tax going into the general fund amounts to $99,340,000, and the budget amounts to $106,141,933, there apparently being a deficiency in the general fund to pay the running expenses of the government which would amount to $6,801,933. This deficiency is more than accounted for in the fact that the fixed charges and recurrent appropriations amounting to $68,804,871 are accounted for in the budget.

The Committee further reports that during the progress of the making of the budget it has offered suggestions which have been submitted to the Attorney General and have reflected in the shaping of the budget.

In conclusion, the Committee desires to recommend to the future Legislature that such a committee be continued in existence, composed of the new members of the Legislature, but that it be composed of not more than five members, as this limited number will avoid the experience of calling too many of the members from other committees during the rushing time of the consideration of bills

In connection with the report the Committee submits a tabulation of estimates from the State Controller

COOMBS, Chairman.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH FISCAL YEARS.

Receipts.

Regular general fund receipts (Board of Equalization estimate)	$99,340,000	
Corporation tax, railroad, 1925 and 1926	5,220,000	
Corporation tax, railroad, 1921, 1922, 1923	8,491,316	
Surplus estimated for this biennium	9,720,946	
Reversion of 1919 and 1921 appropriations estimated	1,000,000	
Partly self-supporting funds, receipts	2,400,000	
Poll taxes, to school fund (Board of Equalization estimate)	2,000,000	
Total general fund		$128,172,262
Self-supporting agencies, budget estimate of receipts and balances		19,309,612
Motor Vehicle fund (apportionment)	$12,500,000	
Motor Vehicle fuel fund	26,000,000	
		38,500,000
Total receipts		$185,981,874

Expenditures.

Budget bill, exclusive of self-supporting agencies	$37,337,068	
Fixed charges and recurrent appropriations	68,804,871	
Total general fund		$106,141,939
Budget bill appropriations for self-supporting agencies	$12,747,994	
Budget but not in bill (Motor Vehicle Department expenses, Veterans Welfare Board, and Reclamation Board)	2,730,350	
		15,478,344
Motor Vehicle fund	$12,500,000	
Motor Vehicle fuel fund	26,000,000	
		38,500,000
		$160,120,283
General fund balance for special and deficiency appropriations and surplus		22,030,323
Self-supporting agencies, balances		3,831,268
Total		$185,981,874

NOTE.—Cents omitted in all amounts shown above.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 743—An act providing for the building of a causeway across the Sutter by-pass in Sutter County, State of California, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also Senate Bill No. 45—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back, and recommends that they do pass.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

The above reported bills ordered on file for final passage

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 743—An act declaring a portion of the public highway leading from Woodland, Yolo County, to Yuba City, Sutter County, to be a State highway; providing for the acquiring of rights of way and construction of bridges on said State highway and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 743 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Crittenden, Deuel, Dorris, Easley, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Wemple, Woodbridge, and Wright, S. V.—46

NOES—Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Davis, Eksward, Graves, Hartranft, Heisinger, Jones, Little, Miller, Eleanor, Saylor, Sewell, Spence, Walters, Weller, West Williamson, Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—20.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No 45—An act providing for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions in the State of California and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof and making an appropriation for the carrying out of its purposes.

Bill read third time

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and Senate Bill No. 45 finally passed by the following vote:

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Carter, Cleveland, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Easley, Eksward, Foster, Fry, Hawes, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Lyons, McDonough, McPherson, Miller, Eleanor, Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Morrison, Mueller, Murray, Nielsen, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Runner, Saylor, Schmidt, Scofield, Scudder, Smith, Spalding, Williamson, and Woodbridge—49.

NOES—Anderson, R. J., Badham, Brock, Campbell, Graves, Little, McDowell, Sewell, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—15.

Title read and approved.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Crittenden:

Resolved, That Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, be and is hereby authorized and empowered to receipt for any warrants that may be due members, officers, or other attaches of the Assembly, after the close of the session, or that may be drawn upon the contingent fund of the Assembly.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted

By Messrs. Wemple and Adams, and Mrs. Woodbridge:

WHEREAS, Word comes from Grass Valley in the closing hours of this legislative session of the grave illness of Senator Thomas Ingram, who was taken suddenly ill early in this final week of the session, and,

WHEREAS, Said illness is in the nature of a general breakdown, superinduced by faithful service to the State of California in the performance of arduous duties as a member of the Finance Committee and other important committees of the Upper House of this Legislature, therefore be it

Resolved, That this Assembly, holding Senator Ingram in the greatest esteem as it does, and honoring and respecting him, both for his official service and because of his loftiness of character, does hereby express itself as deeply grieved over his illness and sincerely and earnestly hopeful and praverful for his early and speedy recovery.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted

FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER CALL OF THE HOUSE DISPENSED WITH.

At eleven o'clock and forty minutes a.m., further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with, on motion of Mr. Eksward.

The roll of absentees was called, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 finally adopted by the following vote.

AYES—Adams, Anderson, D. P., Anderson, R. J., Badham, Bernard, Brock, Broughton, Browne, Burns, Byrne, Campbell, Carter, Cleveland, Cloudman, Coombs, Crittenden, Croter, Davis, Deuel, Dillinger, Dorris, Duval, Easley, Eksward, Finney, Foster, Graves, Hartranft, Hawes, Heisinger, Hornblower, Jacobson, Jones, Jost, Levey, Little, Lyons, McDonough, McDowell, McPherson, Melville, Miller, Eleanor; Miller, J. A., Mitchell, Mixter, Morrison, Mueller, Murphy, Murray, Nielsen, Noyes, Pierce, Reindollar, Roberts, Roland, Rosenshine, Rumner, Schmidt, Scofield, Sewell, Smith, Spalding, Walters, Weller, Wemple, West, Williamson, Woodbridge, Wright, S. V., Wright, T. M., and Mr. Speaker—71.

NOES—None.

Title read and approved.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 25 ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 25.

Relative to the National Editorial Association

WHEREAS, The National Editorial Association, composed of more than 2000 small city and country town newspaper editors and publishers of the United States, holds annual meetings in various parts of the nation, and

WHEREAS, It is understood that this association will be invited to meet in California in June, 1926, the invitation to be extended by the California Press Association, the Southern California Editorial Association, the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce and other commercial organizations, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the State of California does hereby join in this welcome to the newspaper editors of America, assuring them that the Golden State desires to be their host during the time of their annual convention and outing and that nothing will be left undone to show this body of publicists the beauty and the prowess of our commonwealth, its commanding position in agriculture and industry, its maritime importance, its charm of mountain, sea and desert—the great Pacific empire, builded by American brain and brawn, and be it further

Resolved, That an engrossed copy of this resolution, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly, be forwarded by the Secretary of the Senate to the President of the National Editorial Association.

MOTION TO EXPUNGE RECORD.

Mr. Roland moved that the record appearing in today's Journal pertaining to Senate Bill No. 694, wherein said bill was this day refused passage, be expunged from the record.

POINT OF ORDER

Mr. Crittenden arose to the following point of order: That such action was contrary to the rules of the Assembly.

RULING OF THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker ruled that the point of order was well taken as the motion to expunge the records was an attempt to accomplish, by an

indirect motion, that which the rules prohibit on the last day of the session of the Assembly, viz, reconsideration

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were offered:

By Mr. Coombs:

WHEREAS, The Honorable Walter J. Schmidt has announced his candidacy for the office of Supervisor for the city and county of San Francisco, and

WHEREAS, Said Walter J. Schmidt has represented the people of the city and county of San Francisco in the Legislature of this State for three successive terms, which, in itself, is testimony of his worth, and the confidence of the people of his district, in his integrity, ability and fidelity to their highest interests, and

WHEREAS, We, as members of the Assembly, having an intimate knowledge of his conscientious devotion to duty and sincerity of purpose, to truly represent the people, deem it a duty to the public to recommend Mr. Schmidt for the important position he seeks; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, members of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California, do most heartily commend the Honorable Walter Schmidt to the voters of the city and county of San Francisco for the position of Supervisor of that city.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Brock:

WHEREAS, The Honorable Messrs. Willard E. Badham, Mark A. Pierce, Thomas L. Dodge, Howard W. Davis, and Henry E. Carter, have announced their candidacy for the office of City Councilmen for the city of Los Angeles, and

WHEREAS, The said Messrs. Badham, Pierce, Dodge, Davis, and Carter have represented the people of the city of Los Angeles in the Legislature of this State for the forty-sixth session of the California State Legislature, which, in itself, is testimony of their worth, and the confidence of the people of their respective districts, in their integrity, ability and fidelity to their highest interests, and

WHEREAS, We, as members of the Assembly, having an intimate knowledge of their conscientious devotion to duty and sincerity of purpose, to truly represent the people, deem it a duty to the public to recommend Messrs. Badham, Pierce, Dodge, Davis and Carter for the important positions they seek; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, members of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California, do most heartily commend the Honorable Messrs. Badham, Pierce, Dodge, Davis, and Carter to the voters of the city of Los Angeles, for the positions of Councilmen for that city

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Foster:

WHEREAS, Mr. Barney Ferguson, our efficient and accommodating Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, has served the Assembly faithfully both in his official capacity and as entertainer de luxe, and

WHEREAS, He has been unofficially known as the host of the Legislature, now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, That he be thanked for his faithful services and that he be permitted to adopt the official title of Host of the California Legislature.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Adams:

Resolved, That the Assembly extends to the Sergeant-at-Arms, Charles H. Wilkinson, its thanks for the efficient and courteous manner in which he and his assistants have performed the duties of their office.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Miller, J. A.:

Resolved, That the members of the forty-sixth session of the Assembly extend herewith a vote of thanks to our bookkeeper, Wm. Milton, for his efficient work during the session.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Mueller:

WHEREAS, Miss Madge Cross, as Chief Stenographer, and her corps of efficient stenographers have at all times and under all conditions served each and every member of the Assembly with greatest possible dispatch, efficiency, and uniform courtesy; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Assembly, extend to them our sincere thanks and appreciation for the splendid services they have performed during this session.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Messrs Bernard, Crittenden, Nielsen and West:

WHEREAS, It is due in great part to the faithfulness and efficiency of the officers, attaches and employees of the forty-sixth session of the California Assembly, that the Legislature has progressed with its work and will be able to adjourn at an early date; be it

Resolved, That the members of the Assembly appreciate the services of the Chief Clerk, the clerks at the desk, of the Engrossing and Enrolling Committees, of the Sergeant-at-Arms, his deputies and the several employees under him.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Davis:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly are hereby tendered to Arthur A. Ohnimus, Chief Clerk, for the painstaking, efficient and courteous manner in which he has conducted the business of his office during the session.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Coombs:

Resolved, That the Assembly hereby extends its thanks to the Honorable Homer R Spence, for the uniform courtesy and constantly evidenced geniality with which he has presided over the Assembly as Speaker pro tempore, and that we heartily appreciate his courtesies when presiding over this House.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR.

At eleven o'clock and forty-five minutes a.m., Hon. Homer R. Spence, Speaker pro tempore of the Assembly, in the chair.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Jones:

WHEREAS, The members of the Assembly recognize and appreciate the ability, uniform courtesy, impartiality and fairness with which the Honorable Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, has presided over the deliberations of this House; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly are hereby tendered to Honorable Frank F Merriam.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

By Mr. Coombs:

WHEREAS, The stenographers of the forty-sixth session of the California Assembly have given efficient service in the performance of their several duties, and have been faithful to the trusts and confidences reposed in them, working at a per diem in nowise commensurate with the value of their employment, and over the time allotted by law for like service, and have ever been courteous and accommodating, it is

Resolved, That they, the said stenographers, are deserving of the thanks of this House and to an expression of sincere appreciation by its members for the value of their services

That they have in every degree fulfilled every expectation, and, if it were not for the fonder hope cherished that they may find a happier lot, a lot heretofore denied because, perhaps, they have been too critical of man's unworthiness, we would wish that each one of them might return to the service of the State at the next session of the Legislature.

Resolved, That we pay our tribute and our respect to the girls of the stenographers' room.

Resolution read, and on motion unanimously adopted.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

At eleven o'clock and forty-seven minutes a.m., Hon Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, in the chair.

RECESS.

At eleven o'clock and forty-eight minutes a.m., on motion of Mr. Eksward, the Assembly was declared at recess until eleven o'clock and fifty minutes a.m.

REASSEMBLED

At eleven o'clock and fifty minutes a.m., the Assembly reconvened. Speaker Merriam in the chair.

Assistant Clerk Lynch reading

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following reports of standing committees were received and read:

ON ELECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 425—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relative to the nomination of candidates otherwise than by primary election—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

LITTLE, Chairman.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 135—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, or telegraph or telephone establishment or office, or by any express or transportation company, compelling each employer in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, or other establishment employing any female, to provide suitable seats for all female employees and to permit them to use such seats when they are not engaged in the active duties of their employment and providing a penalty for failure, neglect, or refusal of the employer to comply with the provisions of this act, and for permitting or suffering any overseer, superintendent, foreman, or other agent of any such employer to violate the provisions of this act," approved March 22, 1911, as amended, relating to hours of labor of female employees.

Also Senate Bill No. 340—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating the payment of wages earned in seasonal labor and prescribing the powers and duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation thereto," approved May 28, 1913, relating to wages earned in seasonal labor,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

BROWNE, Chairman.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 616—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

McPHERSON, Chairman.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 12—An act to amend sections 626*b* and 631*a* of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of water fowl,

Also: Senate Bill No. 649—An act to amend section 637 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also, Senate Bill No. 650—An act to amend section 629 of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also Senate Bill No. 678—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 763—An act to amend section 4290 of the Political Code, relating to

fees and salaries of county officers—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DAYTON, Chairman.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 708—An act to amend section 1559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to broker's commissions on such sales—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 38—An act to amend section 452 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer,

Also: Senate Bill No. 829—An act to amend section 360c of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Finance,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

LYONS, Chairman.

ON WAYS AND MEANS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 297—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish the California Polytechnic School in the county of San Luis Obispo, and make an appropriation therefor," approved March 8, 1901,

Also: Senate Bill No. 298—An act making an appropriation for construction and equipment of California Institute,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 9—An act to amend section 2192 of the Political Code, relating to commitment of incompetents other than insane persons to State hospitals,

Also: Senate Concurrent Resolution No 18—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations,

Also: Senate Bill No 79—An act to make an appropriation for the repair and completion of the roof of the State Armory at Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles,

Also: Senate Bill No. 172—An act authorizing the Director of Agriculture to establish and maintain a seed inspection service and laboratory in Los Angeles, and making an appropriation therefor,

Also: Senate Bill No 353—An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act entitled "An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, and making the same an emergency measure,

Also: Senate Bill No 493—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Virgil Perrone against the State of California,

Also: Senate Bill No 562—An act to provide for the sale and leasing of certain State lands;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

ON IRRIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Senate Bill No 121—An act validating the formation, organization and proceedings of the Potter Valley Irrigation District under the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of the lands embraced within such districts, and, also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 31, 1897, as amended,

Also: Senate Bill No 302—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act and sections 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60 and 64 thereof, by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a* and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands, by adding 19 new sections to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and

exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section to be numbered 64s and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators to act as owners of title or evidence of title;

Also: Senate Bill No. 785—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the dissolution of irrigation districts, the ascertainment and discharge of their indebtedness, and the distribution of their property," approved February 10, 1903, as amended, relating to procedure and voting upon the question of dissolution,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MIXTER, Chairman.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 189—An act to amend section 4264 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers of counties of the thirty-fifth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 253—An act to amend section 4041 of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors;

Also Senate Bill No. 205—An act to add a new section to be numbered 3½ to an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department and to assess and collect taxes from time to time for such purpose, and to create a board of fire commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, relating to the annexation of territory,

Also, Senate Bill No. 497—An act to amend section 1972g of an act known as the "Juvenile Court Law," approved March 8, 1909, as amended, referring to salary of probation officer in counties of twenty-ninth class;

Also: Senate Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 4284 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of officers, in counties of the fifty-fifth class,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DAYTON, Chairman.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Assembly Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Senate Constitutional Amendment No 17—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 14 of article I thereof relating to the taking of private property under eminent domain proceedings—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

ON CONSERVATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No 21—Relating to forest protection—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

NOYES, Chairman.

ON BANKING.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 2—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923, by amending section 1 thereof, relating to the deposit of public moneys—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

SPALDING, Chairman.

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 115—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 3236, relating to preference on public contracts and furnishing supplies—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BURNS, Chairman.

ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 24—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 3284, relating to damages for death or personal injuries in negligence cases and to provisions of policies of indemnity or insurance,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 84—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 279, relating to the transportation of minors;

Also Assembly Bill No. 85—An act to amend section 66 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to operators' and chauffeurs' licenses.

Also Assembly Bill No 122—An act requiring owners of motor vehicles to file with the division of motor vehicles a contract of indemnity, indemnifying persons suffering damages to property, injuries to person, and loss by death, by negligence of operators of such vehicles, fixing the maximum liability under such indemnity contract, the terms thereof and requirements of the insurance carrier; prescribing penalties for operating vehicles without such indemnity contract,

Also Assembly Bill No 161—An act requiring the owner or operator of a motor driven vehicle to provide indemnity insurance to compensate persons for damages to persons or property arising out of the negligence of the owner or operator in such operation of the motor vehicle upon the public highways, roads, or streets in counties, cities and counties, and towns, prescribing the duties of the division of motor vehicles with reference thereto.

Also Assembly Bill No 247—An act to amend sections 77 and 78 of the "California Vehicle Act" approved May 30, 1923, relating to license fees and exemptions;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BADHAM, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 177—An act to amend section 113 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles; to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act" approved May 30, 1923, relating to the equipment of motor vehicles with speed governors.

Also Assembly Bill No. 360—An act to amend section 159 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to disposition of funds;

Also Assembly Bill No. 418—An act to require every corporation or person, their lessees, trustees, receivers or trustees appointed by any court whatsoever, owning, controlling, operating or managing any automobile, jitney bus, auto truck, stage or auto stage used in the business of transportation of persons or property or as a common carrier for compensation over any public highway in this State, to procure licenses to permit them to continue to so operate for any distance whatsoever along any public highway; and providing for the issuance of such licenses; and fixing fees to be paid for and under such licenses; and fixing penalties for violations of this act; and authorizing certain proceedings by and before the Railroad Commission in connection therewith;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BADHAM, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 540—An act to amend sections 159 and 160 of the California Vehicle Act, approved May 30, 1923, relating to use of funds;

Also Assembly Bill No 539—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923;

Also Assembly Bill No 548—An act to amend section 77 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor, to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or

injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supply or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or to enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 573—An act to amend section 78 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to payment of fees, and issuing licenses,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BADHAM, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 555—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith" approved May 30, 1923, regulating the refund of tax, on motor vehicle fuel, on certain sales

Also, Assembly Bill No. 690—An act to amend section 2 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, by amending section 2 thereof so as to classify bicycles as vehicles under the terms thereof and thus require the operators to comply with the rules of the road as contained in said act

Also Assembly Bill No. 689—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, by amending section 12, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires,

Also Assembly Bill No. 756—An act to amend the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, by amending section 30 and repealing section 155 thereof,

Also, Assembly Bill No 811—An act to amend section 63 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the age limit for chauffeurs and operators of motor vehicles;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

BADHAM, Chairman

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 885—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere; to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways, to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon; to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon, to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923;

Also Assembly Bill No 888—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission; providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof, and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No 291—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 36504, relating to assessments,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

BADHAM, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 967—An act to amend sections 1 and 108 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles, to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act, to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder, to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923;

Also Assembly Bill No. 974—An act to amend section 112 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1048—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923,

Also Assembly Bill No 1112—An act to amend section 118 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BADHAM, Chairman

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1118—An act to amend sections 60, 66, 67, 72 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to operators' and chauffeurs' licenses;

Also Assembly Bill No 1155—An act to amend sections 2090 and 2096 of the Civil Code, relating to the gratuitous carriage of persons;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1138—An act to amend section 83 of the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30 1923, relating to width of vehicles,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1190—An act to require every person driving any vehicles on a public highway, on approaching certain railway grade crossings, to stop before passing thereover, and to require railway companies to erect and maintain danger signs at such crossings, and providing penalties therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1292—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923;

Also Assembly Bill No 1116—An act to amend section 101 of an act entitled "The California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to motor vehicles,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

BADHAM, Chairman.

ON ELECTIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 32—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for and regulate primary elections and providing a method for choosing the delegates for political parties to State conventions and for nominating electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and providing for the election of party county central committees and to repeal the act approved April 7, 1911, known as the Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal the act approved December 24, 1911, amending sections 1 3, 5, 7, 10, 12 13, 22, 23, and 24, of the said Direct Primary Law, and also to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended:

Also Assembly Bill No 125—An act to regulate the method of voting for and electing candidates for judicial offices at primary and general elections by giving each office a designating number for the purposes of elections where two or more judges or justices of any court of record are to be elected for the same term at the same election,

Also: Assembly Bill No 695—An act to add a new section to be numbered 11, to an act entitled "An act to regulate the conduct of election campaigns and repealing an act entitled 'An act to promote the purity of elections by regulating the conduct thereof, and to support the privilege of free suffrage by prohibiting certain acts and practices in relation thereto, and providing for the punishment thereof,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 19, 1907, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 965—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to nomination of candidates otherwise than by primary election,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1108—An act to regulate the printing and distribution of propaganda for and against State and constitutional amendments, and candidates for public office,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

LITTLE, Chairman.

ON AGRICULTURE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER, Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 13—Relative to the citrus white fly—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DUVAL, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 179—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3051b, providing for liens for sacks, twine, wire and other materials used in harvesting, baling or otherwise preparing agricultural products;

Also Assembly Bill No 181—An act to add two new sections to the Civil Code, to be numbered 3067 and 3067a, relating to liens of sellers of seed,

Also Assembly Bill No. 202—An act to define produce brokers and salesmen, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, by the Director of the State Department of Agriculture, to define the powers and duties thereof; to create the director's market fund and a revolving fund, to provide for the enforcement of this act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 203—An act to provide for the licensing, bonding, regulation and control of commission merchants by the Department of Agriculture; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 217—An act to provide for the building of a pavilion in Exposition Park, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California, in which to exhibit the resources of the State of California, and for holding all kinds of industrial exhibitions, and to make an appropriation for the construction of said pavilion;

Also: Assembly Bill No 416—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish standards for the packing, marketing and sale of apples, forbidding the sale of certain infected and diseased apples, providing for the inspection and certification thereof, and for its enforcement, fixing penalties for its violation and repealing an act entitled 'The Standard Apple Act of 1917,' approved May 7, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921,

Also, Assembly Bill No 667—An act to regulate smudging and orchard heating, and to regulate the use of heaters and devices used for such purpose,

Also: Assembly Bill No 671—An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of an act entitled "An act regulating the sale and shipment of citrus fruits damaged by frost, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved May 3, 1915,

Also: Assembly Bill No 705—An act to promote the agricultural interests of California by providing for the inspection and disposition of bees, hives and appliances that are or may be infected with bee diseases, the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture, his agents and inspectors in each county in relation hereto, declaring any and all apiaries infected with bee diseases to be a public nuisance, prohibiting the keeping of bees in immovable or stationary frame hives, prohibiting the sale, barter, or removal of any diseased bees, hives or appliances without permit, providing for the licensing of beekeepers, including the payment of fees, making a violation of the provisions hereof a public nuisance, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No 722—An act to promote the development of the California olive industry and to protect the State's reputation in such industry by establishing and defining certain standards for canned olives and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned olives, and to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions hereof,

Also Assembly Bill No 1177—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 383½, prohibiting scald-picking of poultry and game, and the sale or possession of scald-picked poultry or game;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DUVAL, Chairman.

ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 391—An act amending section 1 of an act entitled, 'An act authorizing and directing the California Highway Commission to lay out and acquire a right of way or rights of way for a highway or highways from the county line of the city and county of San Francisco, in to and through San Mateo County, and to construct the same at a location or locations to be selected by said commission; declaring and establishing the same as a State highway or State highways, authorizing any county or city and county to contribute money or property toward the construction and maintenance of said highway or highways, authorizing the California Highway Commission to accept said contributed money or property and to place the same and any other unappropriated money which may come under the control of said California Highway Commission in the general fund of the California Highway Commission, which fund is hereby created," approved May 18, 1923, also amending the title of said act

Also: Assembly Bill No 439—An act declaring the public highway extending from Downieville, California, to Sierra City, California, to be a State highway.

Also Assembly Bill No 682—An act creating a system of State highways, classifying the State highways now in the State highway system, dividing the State highway districts and providing for the disposition of State highway funds.

Also: Assembly Bill No 701—An act declaring the public highway extending from the city of San Diego in the county of San Diego to a point on the boundary line between the State of California and Lower California opposite the town of Tia Juana in Lower California to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 905—An act relating to the placing of signs on State and other public highways by the California Highway Commission.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1051—An act transferring to Los Angeles County that portion of Whittier boulevard from the city limits of Los Angeles and Indiana street to Atlantia boulevard, Los Angeles County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1072—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended.

Also Assembly Bill No 1119—An act declaring the county road extending from Thornton in San Mateo County to Santa Cruz, to be a State highway.

Also Assembly Bill No 1130—An act to declare a portion of the public highway extending from Colfax in the county of Placer to Grass Valley in the county of Nevada to be a State highway, providing for the acquiring of rights of way and the construction of a State highway.
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 248—An act to declare a certain highway leading from the town of Mariposa in Mariposa County, to Wawona, also in Mariposa County, and commonly known as the Mariposa-Big Tree road, to be a part of the "seven per cent highway system";

Also Assembly Bill No. 355—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create for the State of California a Department of Engineering, to provide for the appointment of the officers and employees thereof, defining its powers and prescribing the duties of said department, its officers and employees, to provide the compensation of such officers and employees, to make an appropriation for the salaries and other expenses for the remainder of the fifty-eighth fiscal year and making certain acts a felony and repealing an act entitled 'An act creating a Commissioner of Public Works, defining his duties and powers and fixing his compensation,' approved February 9, 1900, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof, also repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a Department of Highways for the State of California to define its duties and powers, to provide for the appointment of officers and employees thereof, and to provide for the compensation of said officers and employees, and for the additional expenses of said department, and to make an appropriation therefor for the remainder of the forty-eighth fiscal year,' approved April 1, 1897, also repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment

of an auditing board to the Commissioner of Public Works, authorizing and directing him and them to perform certain duties relating to drainage, to purchase machinery, tools, dredges, and appliances therefor, to improve and rectify water channels, to erect works necessary and incident to said drainage, to condemn land and property for the purposes aforesaid, making certain acts a felony, and making an appropriation of money for the purposes of this act,' approved March 17, 1897, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof, also repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, duties and compensation of a Debris Commissioner, and to make an appropriation to be expended under his directions in the discharge of his duties as such commissioner,' approved March 24, 1893, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof, also repealing an act entitled 'An act to create the office of Lake Tahoe Wagon Road Commissioner providing the term of office and compensation of such commissioner, defining his duties and making an appropriation for the salary and expenditures provided for and authorized by this act,' approved April 1, 1897, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof," approved March 11, 1907, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereof by amending section 10 thereof, relating to officers and employees of Department of Engineering, their power, duties, and salaries;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MELVILLE, Chairman.

ON LABOR AND CAPITAL

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 93—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled, "An act to establish and support a Bureau of Labor Statistics," approved March 3, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the commissioner of said bureau and his deputies,

Also, Assembly Bill No 378—An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment, including a minimum wage' providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for violations of this act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No 743—An act to amend sections 15 and 16 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purposes and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended:

Also Assembly Bill No 422—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act regulating the employment of women and minors and establishing an Industrial Welfare Commission to investigate and deal with such employment including a minimum wage, providing for an appropriation therefor and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved May 26 1913, as amended, relating to minimum salaries of women,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BROWNE, Chairman

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Labor and Capital, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1093—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act regulating private employment agencies, providing for a license for the operation thereof and a fee therefor, providing forms of receipts and registers to be used and kept, prohibiting any charge for registering or filing application for help or employment, prohibiting the dividing of fees, providing for the refunding of fees and expenses in the event of failure to procure employment, and granting the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics the power to prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the purpose and intent of this act," approved June 3, 1913, as amended, relating to persons exempt from the provisions hereof

Also: Assembly Bill No 963—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children, providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith" approved May 10, 1919, by amending section five thereof, relating to minors employed in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and domestic labor and in places of amusement, so as to prohibit the employment of minors under the age of twelve years in any performance, concert or entertainment, except church, school, lodge or charity entertainments, and except in dramas and legitimate plays with the written consent of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and to require a permit from said commissioner for the employment of any

minor twelve years of age or over in any other performance, concert or entertainment;

Also Assembly Bill No. 964—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to be known as the Child Labor Law, and regulating the employment, hours, kinds and conditions of labor of children; providing for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this act by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, providing penalties for the violation hereof and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 10, 1919, by amending section seven thereof, relating to the penalty for violating the act, disposition of fines, reports and evidence as to illegal employment, so as to make proof that any defendant was the manager or superintendent of any place of employment subject to the provisions of the act at the time any minor is alleged to have been employed therein in violation thereof prima facie evidence that the said defendant employed and suffered and permitted the said minor to so work,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BROWNE, Chairman.

ON MEDICAL AND DENTAL LAWS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 752—An act to amend section 11 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to provide for the appointment of a Board of Optometry, define its duties and powers and prescribing a penalty for the violation of this act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 909—An act to amend sections 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12 and 16 of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

CAMPBELL, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Medical and Dental Laws, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 165—An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of California, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and for the appointment of a board to be known as the California State Board of Pharmacy," approved March 20, 1905, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 258—An act to promote the better education of practitioners of radiography; to provide for the issuance of certificates of registration as registered radiographers to qualified applicants by the State Board of Health; and to provide penalties for the violation hereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 440—An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of herbs, roots or other nature products used in the administering of sickness or treating diseases of a human being and providing a penalty for the violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 513—An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the examination of applicants for license, and the practice of those licensed, to treat diseases, injuries, deformities, or other physical or mental conditions of human beings, to establish a Board of Medical Examiners, to provide for their appointment and prescribe their powers and duties, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathy and other systems or modes of treating the sick or afflicted, in the State of California, and for the appointment of a Board of Medical Examiners in the matter of said regulation,' approved March 14, 1907, and acts amendatory thereof, and also to repeal all other acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 18*a*, relating to practice under assumed name or title and the employing or associating with other individuals in the practice of any system of the healing art,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 697—An act to repeal section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prohibit the advertising of venereal disease remedies and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act" approved May 11, 1919;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

CAMPBELL, Chairman

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 278—An act to amend section 3804*a* of the Political Code, relating to taxation,

Also Assembly Bill No. 793—An act to provide for the cancellation of current or delinquent taxes upon property standing in the name of the State or any of its subdivisions,

Also Assembly Bill No 880—An act to amend section 3658*a* of the Political Code, relative to the preparation and use of maps for the purposes of assessment and taxation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1004—An act to amend section 3692 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the State Board of Equalization;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1005—An act to amend section 3696 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the State Board of Equalization.

Also Assembly Bill No 1007—An act to amend section 3728 of the Political Code, relative to the duty of the auditor in relation to revenue.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1008—An act to amend section 3732 of the Political Code, relating to the duty of the auditor in relation to revenue;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1009—An act to amend section 3737 of the Political Code, relating to the auditor's statement to the supervisors,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

GRAVES, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1010—An act to amend section 3670 of the Political Code, relating to assessments on property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1113—An act to provide for the creation of a tax commission, defining its powers and duties, fixing its compensation and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

GRAVES, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 49—An act to repeal section 622*a* of the Political Code, relating to the taxation of insurance companies operating in this State.

Also Assembly Bill No 138—An act to amend sections 3617, 3627, 3628, 3629, and 3650 of the Political Code, all relating to revenue and taxation, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 3627*a* to carry into effect the provisions of section 12½ of article XIII of the constitution of the State of California as said constitution was amended November 4, 1924, providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes on notes, debentures, shares of capital stock, bonds, solvent credits, and mortgages or deeds of trust not exempt from taxation, and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with the terms hereof.

Also Assembly Bill No. 222—An act to amend section 3611 of the Political Code, relative to exemption of church property from taxation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 340—An act to add a new section to the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, to be numbered 6*a*, relating to exemptions;

Also Assembly Bill No. 367—An act to amend section 3756 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 409—An act to amend chapter IX of title IX of part III of the Political Code, embracing sections 3839 to 3856, both inclusive, providing for the levy and collection of poll taxes pursuant to the provisions of section 12 of article XIII of the State constitution as adopted November 4, 1924;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

GRAVES, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 14 of article XIII, relating to charging of rate of taxation for State purposes;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 7—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1¾ of article XIII thereof, relating to taxation of State and municipal bonds,

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 26—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State, by amending section 14 of article XIII thereof, relating to taxation of public utilities. Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

GRAVES, Chairman.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Federal Relations, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6—Relating to construction of a jetty at the Crescent City Harbor;

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No 7—Relating to provisions of United States Revenue Law.

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No 8—Relating to the issuance of tax free bonds.

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10—Relating to pensions for Civil War veterans;

Also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14—Relating to an amendment of the Volstead Act;

Also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17—Relative to approving the Colorado River Compact.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

LOUTTIT, Chairman.

ON FISH AND GAME.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 20—An act to further divide the State into fish and game districts by establishing a district especially suited for propagation of game, to be known as Sutter Buttes Game Refuge District, to provide for the management and protection thereof,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 34—An act to amend section 636 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 126—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game,

Also Assembly Bill No. 143—An act to amend section 626*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 218—An act to amend section 627*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the shipment of game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 316—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game,

Also Assembly Bill No. 317—An act to amend section 632 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish,

Also Assembly Bill No. 318—An act to amend section 32 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts, approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended

Also: Assembly Bill No. 398—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relative to the protection of fish and game,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 415—An act to prevent all persons not eligible to citizenship in the State of California, or in the United States of America, from catching or taking fish or shellfish in the waters of the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No. 447—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the hunting of wild birds and animals and to provide revenue therefrom for fish and game preservation and restoration," approved March 27, 1909, as amended, relating to license fees;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 514—An act to amend section 628*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of striped bass and shad;

Also: Assembly Bill No 515—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of abalone,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 516—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the manner of catching fish,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 535—An act to amend an act to license canners, curers, preservers, and packers of fish and handlers of crustaceans and mollusks, and providing a revenue therefrom for the conservation, propagation and restoration of fish in the State of California, and providing for a record of fish caught or received, and providing penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, approved May 28, 1917,

Also Assembly Bill No 564—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 637*g*, relating to the closing by the Governor of the open season for the taking of fish and game,

Also Assembly Bill No. 567—An act to repeal sections 19 and 20 of the "State Fish Exchange Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the fish exchange revolving fund and the deposit of moneys to the State commission market fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 572—An act to conserve the fish supply of the State of California, to regulate the use of fish for canning, packing, preserving, curing, and the manufacture of fish flour fit for human consumption, and the manufacture of fish meal or fish oil, to empower the Fish and Game Commission to make an investigation of the abundance of sardines, anchovies and herring; to empower the Fish and Game Commission to bring injunction proceedings in the name of the people restraining the taking or using of any species of said fish showing depletion,

providing for the dissolving or modification of said injunction where there is no further danger of depletion;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 618—An act to regulate the placing or keeping of dangerous or destructive species of animals in preserves.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 678—An act to amend section 626*b* of the Penal Code, regulating the use of decoys, pits and professional guides in hunting ducks or geese and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 702—An act to amend section 626*j* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 709—An act to amend section 637*a* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 711—An act to amend section 628*f* of the Penal Code of the State of California, relating to the protection of abalones and the protection of clams;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 712—An act to amend section 18 of an act entitled, "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts," approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,' approved May 19, 1915," as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 753—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 653*a*, providing that any person who creates artificial lakes or bodies of water for the purpose of attracting ducks or other wild fowl shall be guilty of a misdemeanor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 848—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 908—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the taking and catching of game fishes and to define game fish and to provide revenue therefrom, for fish preservation and restoration," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to fees for game fish licenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 909—An act to amend section 628*g* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 934—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 632½, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 935—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 988—An act to amend section 634 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 989—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to fish and game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 990—An act to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1082—An act to amend section 626*f* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of deer.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1117—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 628*k*, relating to the sale, taking and catching of mussels, scallops, razor clams and other shell fish and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1144—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1147—An act to encourage the destruction of predatory wild birds, to provide bounties for the killing thereof, making an appropriation for the payment of such bounties; providing a penalty for making false affidavit and for the repeal of all acts inconsistent therewith.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1148—An act to encourage the destruction of predatory wild animals, to provide bounties for the killing thereof, making an appropriation for the payment of such bounties, providing a penalty for making a false affidavit under the provisions of this act, and repealing acts inconsistent herewith.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 536—An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to conserve the fish supply in California by empowering the Fish and Game Commission to regulate and control the handling of fish or other fishery products for the purpose of preventing deterioration or waste; to establish grades to which the fish or other fishery products offered for delivery to canneries or preservers or to the fresh fish market must conform; to make regulations to insure the proper handling and delivery of fish or fishery products to canners, preservers or fresh fish dealers, to regulate and control the use of fish or other fishery products for reduction purposes and to provide penalties for any violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved May 25, 1919, as amended May 18, 1921,

Has had the same under consideration and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

CLEVELAND, Chairman.

ON LIBRARIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Libraries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 893—An act to amend section 2203 of the Political Code, relating to powers

and duties of the State Librarian—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

MURPHY, Chairman

ON REVISION OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Revision of Criminal Procedure, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 200—An act creating a commission for the reform of criminal procedure and appropriating funds therefor

Also Assembly Bill No. 211—An act amending sections 1246, 1247 and 1252 of the Penal Code, all relating to the manner of taking, perfecting and hearing appeals in criminal cases,

Also Assembly Bill No 270—An act to add five new sections to the Penal Code to be numbered respectively 601*a*, 601*b*, 601*c*, 601*d* and 796, relating to injury or interference, by means of explosives or other means, to or with works used for supplying water for domestic use, and to instigating, or advocating such injury or interference, and the jurisdiction of conspiracies to violate and violations of said sections;

Also Assembly Bill No 348—An act to amend section 107 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for the escape of prisoners;

Also Assembly Bill No 475—An act to amend section 1018 of the Penal Code, relating to plea of guilty, how put in, and when and how it may be withdrawn;

Also Assembly Bill No 611—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for murder,

Also Assembly Bill No 839—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 688*a*, relating to statements, declarations or confessions,

Also Assembly Bill No 843—An act to repeal sections 421, 442, 442½, 652, 653, and 734 of the Penal Code of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 1156—An act to add a new section to be numbered 1424, to chapter I of title XI of part II of the Penal Code, relating to the rights of complaining witnesses in criminal proceedings,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FINNEY, Chairman.

ON REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred Senate Bill No 566—An act to amend section 690 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to exempt property—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

GRAVES, Chairman.

ON INSURANCE.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 38—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No 39—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 40—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No 45—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 623*a*, relating to capital, assets and deposits required of alien insurance companies,

Also Assembly Bill No. 47—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 453*q*, relating to mutual life or mutual casualty corporations, societies or associations conducting business on the assessment plan;

Also Assembly Bill No 48—An act to amend section 453*i* of the Civil Code, specifying conditions to be complied with by foreign life, health, accident and annuity or endowment associations doing business on the assessment plan desiring to transact business in this State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 53—An act to amend section 611 of the Political Code, relating to the filing, adjusting, and publishing annual statements by insurance companies;

Also Assembly Bill No. 54—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 635*m*, relating to the conditions upon which surety companies may transact business in this State;

Also Assembly Bill No. 55—An act to amend section 421 of the Civil Code, relating to investments of insurance companies,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 56—An act to amend section 630 of the Political Code, forbidding persons, corporations and others from transacting insurance business in this State unless licensed by the Insurance Commissioner;

Also Assembly Bill No 59—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 633*e*, defining insurance adjusters and providing for licensing, supervising and regulating them and for the suspension and revocation of their licenses by the Insurance Commissioner;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 61—An act to amend section 453*j* of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of contracts of insurance by assessment associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 62—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 421*a*, providing that officers, directors, trustees, agents or attorneys for insurance companies shall not receive benefits from loans or investments made by such companies.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 252—An act to amend section 4 of, and to add a new section to be numbered 7*a*, to an act entitled "An act providing for the organization and regulation of reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges, to be known as 'The Reciprocal or Interinsurance Act of the State of California,' and repealing the act entitled 'An act providing for reciprocal and interexchange of indemnities, prescribing regulations therefor and fixing a license fee, and repealing an act entitled "An act defining certain classes of contracts for the exchange of indemnity, prescribing regulations therefor, and fixing a license fee," approved December 24, 1911,' approved May 26, 1917, as amended," approved June 3, 1921, relating to assets of insurance companies.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 257—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 336—An act to fix the depreciation for fire losses and to provide rules and regulations therefor and penalties for violation of the provisions thereof.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 366—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 382—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 629*b*, relating to group insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 410—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 411—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 472—An act to amend section 11 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, and repealing an act entitled "An act creating an 'industrial accident fund' and appropriating moneys therein," approved May 26, 1913, relating to the disposition of fees and the abolition of the "industrial accident fund";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 508—An act to add a new section to the "Workmen's Compensation Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to be known as section 9*a*, relating to disputes concerning payments of compensation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 527—An act to amend section 633 of the Political Code, relating to insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 531—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered section 618*a*, relating to investments by insurance companies;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 568—An act to amend section 59 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 675—An act to amend section 602*b* of the Political Code, relating to workmen's compensation insurance carriers and self insurers, classification of risks and premium rates relative thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 676—An act to amend section 594 of the Political Code, relating to the classification and capital requirements of insurance companies;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 758—An act to amend section 633*b* of the Political Code, relating to insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 763—An act to amend the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 836—An act to amend sections 453*t* and 453*r* of the Civil Code, relating to title insurance corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 919—An act relative to and regulating the business of insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 920—An act relative to and regulating the business of insurance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 921—An act relative to and regulating the business of insurance.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1077—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide whole family protection for members of fraternal benefit societies," approved April 20, 1917, relating to benefits;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1098—An act to amend sections 4 and 7 of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act, approved May 26, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 441—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to the meaning of the term "injury" as used in said act, and removing the defense of the statute of limitations in certain cases of injury;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back *without recommendation*

SCUDDER, Chairman.

ON CORPORATIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 260—An act to amend section 359 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds creating or increasing bonded indebtedness or increasing or diminishing the capital stock of corporations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 547—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define trusts and to provide for criminal penalties and civil damages, and punishment of corporations, persons, firms, and associations, or persons connected with them, and to promote free competition in commerce and all classes of business in this State," approved March 23, 1907;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 727—An act to repeal section 290½ of the Civil Code, relating to the names, powers of corporations, and the purposes for which certain corporations may be formed;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1050—An act to amend an act entitled "An act prescribing terms and conditions upon which corporations may transact business in this State and providing penalties and forfeitures for noncompliance," approved May 10, 1915, as amended, by amending section 3 thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1056—An act to amend section 602b of the Civil Code, authorizing the amendment of articles of incorporation of corporations sole, and providing the manner thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1173—An act to amend section 324 of the Civil Code, to repeal sections 326 and 328 of said code; to add a new article III of chapter II of title I of part IV of division I of said code consisting of sections 350 to 350e, both inclusive, all relating to the transfer of stock in corporations, and to make the law relating to the transfer of shares of stock in corporations uniform with the laws of other states;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

PIERCE, Chairman

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 407—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 379, relating to records of certain corporations and inspection thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1198—An act to amend section 25 of an act entitled "An act to define investment companies, investment brokers, and agents, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide penalties for the violation thereof; to create the office of Commissioner of Corporations, and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 28, 1913, as amended, relating to the issuance of stock;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

PIERCE, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 617—An act to amend section 32 of the "Public Utilities Act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended, relating to what may be charged to operating expenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 176—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 392a, relating to mail and express trains;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 227—An act to amend section 536 of the Civil Code, relating to rights of telephone and telegraph corporations upon any public road or highway or across any of the waters of lands within this State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 235—An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by regulating the number of cars in trains;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 323—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 4 and 5, and adding four new sections to be numbered 3, 3a, 5a and 6c to an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, and for the punishment of violation thereof; and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provision of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended, relating to the transportation of persons or property for compensation on the public highways by motor vehicles;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 353—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 392b, relating to railroad trains;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 377—An act requiring that common carriers of persons carry first aid kits or supplies, providing rules and regulations therefor and penalties for the violations of the provisions thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 523—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the

rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 633—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act requiring employers who provide hospital service for their employees and who make a charge therefor, to keep book records and accounts of all such charges, and to make an annual written report thereof, requiring each such charge to be just and reasonable and to be devoted to no other purpose than such hospital service; and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved June 8, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to amend subdivision (b) and sections 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses, to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, including in such repeal an act entitled the same as the title of this act to and including the word "herewith" in this title, which act was approved June 23, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 703—An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the supervision and regulation of the transportation of persons and property for compensation over any public highway by automobiles, jitney busses, auto trucks, stages and auto stages, defining transportation companies and providing for the supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission, providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act and for the punishment of violations thereof and repealing all acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 10, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 771—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act regulating headlights on all locomotives, and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act," approved June 4, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 772—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the equipment of steam locomotives with automatic bell-ringing devices," approved June 1, 1917;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 773—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act prescribing a certain kind of water glass for use on steam locomotives, providing a penalty for neglect to use such glass," approved May 25, 1915;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 775—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to require railroad companies when operating engines accompanied by tenders of insufficient clearance between the overhang of the roof of the cab and the top of the tender to provide a safe clearance by cutting out an opening in the overhanging roof of the cab so as to enable the engineman safely to go from the cab of the engine to the top of the tender; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved June 3, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 849—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act defining 'food commodities' and 'food warehousemen' declaring food warehousemen to be public utilities and subject to control and regulation by the Railroad Commission as specifically provided, prohibiting the storage of food commodities except in accordance with the provisions of this act; making unlawful certain discriminating and monopolizing practice by food warehousemen and those dealing with food warehousemen, except as provided by the Railroad Commission requiring food warehousemen to file schedules showing certain rates, charges, and other matters with the Railroad Commission and to keep the same open to public inspection, and providing for the uniform operation of such rates and charges and prohibiting the business of storing food commodities unless such schedules are filed and made public, and empowering the Railroad Commission to fix the rates, charges, rules and regulations of food warehousemen, to change the form of such schedules and forbidding, except as otherwise ordered by the Railroad Commission, changes in or departures from such schedules except on certain conditions, and forbidding acceptance of rates or charges differing from the rates or charges in such schedules by those dealing with food warehousemen, subject to exceptions by the Railroad Commission; declaring certain contracts illegal and void and forbidding recovery thereon providing for applications and complaints and other procedure before the Railroad Commission and the courts in matters wherein authority is conferred by this act upon the commission; defining the duties of the Attorney General upon the violation of certain provisions, providing for actions to enjoin violations of certain provisions and to recover damages for such violations; making the violation of certain provisions a misdemeanor and providing penalties, and declaring the purpose and effect of this act, approved May 5, 1919";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 954—An act requiring corporations to separate State taxes from service charges in rendering their bills to consumers, and making exceptions thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 966—An act to provide blowers and vents in tunnels and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Also Assembly Bill No 998—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents, and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Also Assembly Bill No 1126—An act to amend section 30 of an act entitled "An act providing for the incorporation of public utility districts in unincorporated territory, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the purpose of the construction of works and the acquisition of property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest on bonds and for carrying on their operations, and providing for the powers, management and government of such districts, and imposing certain duties and functions in connection with such districts upon certain county officers," approved May 31, 1921, as amended.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

SMITH, Chairman

ON GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 44—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 590, and to amend section 591 of the said code, relative to the powers of the Insurance Commissioner, the appointment of his deputies, assistants and other employees, and relating to the establishment of his offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and authorizing an appropriation for the maintenance of his office;

Also Assembly Bill No. 94—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, and to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 736a, relating to the salaries of justices of the Supreme Court and of the district courts of appeal;

Also Assembly Bill No. 271—An act to provide for the appointment of special State police, with the powers of peace officers, for the protection of property belonging to or under the control of counties, cities and counties, cities, irrigation districts, municipal water districts, public utility districts or other political subdivisions or districts of the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No 283—An act to create the Mortgage Loan Bureau of California, under the jurisdiction of the Corporation Commissioner; defining mortgage loan companies, providing for their license, defining the powers and duties of the Corporation Commissioner in the regulation, control and dissolution of such mortgage loan companies,

Also Assembly Bill No. 334—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualified applicants, with the designation of certified public accountant, and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions hereof,' approved March 23, 1901, as amended, by amending sections 2 and 3, by repealing sections 3a 4 and 5, and by adding thereto new sections to be numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, relating to issuance of certificates; suspension of certificates and violations thereof,

Also Assembly Bill No 400—An act to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a State Mining Bureau, creating the office of State Mineralogist, fixing his salary and prescribing his powers and duties; to provide for the employment of officers and employees of said bureau, making it the duty of persons in charge of mines mining operations and quarries to make certain reports, providing for the investigation of mining operations, dealings and transactions and the prosecution of defrauding, swindling and cheating therein, creating a State Mining Bureau fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and repealing an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and support of a bureau to be known as the State Mining Bureau, and for the appointment and duties of a Board of Trustees, to be known as the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau, who shall have the direction, management and control of said State Mining Bureau, and to provide for the appointment, duties, and compensation of a State Mineralogist, who shall perform the duties of his office under the control, direction and supervision of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau,' approved March 23, 1893, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto or in conflict therewith," approved June 16, 1913, relating to the disposition of funds;

Also Assembly Bill No 412—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission to define its powers and duties, and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities and agents, agents' employees, and by other persons or corporations, creating 'the Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys

therein to carry out the provisions of this act, repealing title XV, of part IV, of division I of the Civil Code, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended.

Also: Assembly Bill No 494—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the support of vocational reeducation and rehabilitation of workmen disabled in industry in this State, and to create a fund for these purposes to be known as the industrial rehabilitation fund by fixing an additional liability upon all employers liable under said act in cases where employees receive fatal compensable injury and leave no dependents" approved May 2, 1919, relating to the disposition of fees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 537—An act to amend sections 2, 50 and 57 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 569—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the Fish and Game Commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No 592—An act to amend section 14 of the "California Grain Standardization Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys and to the abolition of the "grain standardization fund",

Also: Assembly Bill No 650—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to create a State Board of Charities and Corrections, prescribing its duties and powers and appropriating money therefor," approved March 25, 1903, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No. 673—An act to amend section 791 of the Political Code, relating to notaries public;

Also Assembly Bill No. 687—An act to be known as the State Highway Improvement District Act and to provide for work on State highways, for the incidental establishment of grades thereof and the doing of work adjacent thereto which is incidental to the work thereon, for the issue of bonds representing all or any portion of the costs and expenses of said work; for the payment of said bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for the purpose; and for State, county and municipal aid in such work,

Also Assembly Bill No 692—An act to amend section 1 of "An act making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations, approved June 1, 1917, and any and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto," approved June 3, 1921

Also Assembly Bill No 693—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations,' approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act," approved May 23, 1919,

Also Assembly Bill No 694—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act appropriating money to supplement the appropriation made by an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a State Land Settlement Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations,' approved June 1, 1917, by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28 and 29 thereof, and by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 22 and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act,' approved May 23, 1919," approved January 24, 1921;

Also: Assembly Bill No 719—An act authorizing the sending of the librarians of any and all publicly supported libraries in the State to meetings of the California Library Association, and the payment of the expenses incident thereto

Also Assembly Bill No 720—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to accept from the Veterans' Home Association the conveyance of and to vest the title in the State of California, to the tract of land in Napa County known as the Veterans' Home, with the improvements and furnishings thereon, to make the same a State home for United States soldiers, sailors, and marines, and to provide for the government thereof by the State," approved March 11, 1897, as amended, relating to the appointment of employees,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 797—An act permitting the insertion of provisions in contracts for public work for the arbitration of disputes arising under such contracts or in the performance of the work thereunder between the contracting parties,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 769—An act to regulate the practice of public accounting in the State of California, to establish a State Board of Accountancy and to prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for the admission to practice as and the licensing of certified public accountants and to prohibit the unlawful use of any words, letters, abbreviations, symbols or other means of identification by unauthorized persons indicating that they are certified public accountants under this act, to provide penalties for the violation of its provisions, and to repeal an

act approved March 23, 1901, entitled "An act to create a State Board of Accountancy and prescribe its duties and powers; to provide for the examination of and issuance of certificates to qualified applicants, with the designation of certified public accountant, and to provide the grade of penalty for violations of the provisions thereof".

Also: Assembly Bill No. 770—An act to amend section 928 of the Penal Code to empower grand juries to employ efficiency experts in certain instances and to cause the printing and publication of the reports of such grand juries,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 842—An act to amend section 2 and to add a new section to be numbered 41½ to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of a Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 847—An act to repeal title IV, part III, chapter I, of the Political Code of the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 929—An act to amend section 631b of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of fines and forfeitures collected for violations of certain sections of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1014—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Veterans' Welfare Board and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation in aid of its operations," approved May 30, 1921, chapter 580, Statutes 1921, page 969, as amended by chapter 404, Statutes 1923, page 902, approved June 16, 1923,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1042—An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, providing for its organization and defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to create a State Bureau of Criminal Identification, and providing for the appointment of a director of said bureau, defining his duties and qualifications and powers, providing for the appointment of a clerk of said bureau and fixing his qualifications; fixing compensation of said director and clerk, providing for the manner of paying the same and providing for the expense of conducting the office,' approved March 20, 1905," approved May 31, 1917, as amended,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1078—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths; the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act, to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 15, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1115—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner, to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner; and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, to be numbered 23, relating to the creation of a Bureau of Real Estate Research and Statistics;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1139—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1146—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a fish game preservation fund and to unite the 'fish commission fund,' and the 'game preservation fund,' into a common fund to be known as 'fish and game preservation fund,'" approved March 15, 1909, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 4, creating a new fund, to be known as the "game bounty fund";

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1152—An act to authorize the State Board of Health to employ counsel to prosecute violations of the law;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1278—An act to repeal section 445 of the Political Code, authorizing the Controller of State to maintain an Inheritance Tax Department and in connection therewith to appoint an inheritance tax attorney and assistants thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1279—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to be known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' to establish a tax on gifts, legacies, inheritances, bequests, devises, successions and transfers, to provide for its collection and to direct the disposition of its proceeds; to provide for the enforcement of liens created by this act and by any act hereby repealed and for suits to quiet title against claims of liens arising hereunder, or under an act hereby repealed; and to repeal chapter 589 of the laws of the session of the Legislature of California of 1917, approved May 23, 1917, known as the 'Inheritance Tax Act,' and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1311—An act to authorize the destruction of public accounting records and books of account maintained by State agencies after audit by division of budgets and accounts, State Department of Finance;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1317—An act to amend section XIII of an act entitled "An act to regulate and license the business of producing, refining or distributing gasoline, distillate and other motor vehicle fuels, providing for the collection and disposition of license taxes, prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 30, 1923, relating to disposition of license taxes;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

LYONS, Chairman.

ON UNIVERSITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Universities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 949—An act appropriating money to be used for the construction and equipment of buildings for the southern branch of the University of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1049—An act repealing section 6 of "An act repealing sections 1, 2 and 3 of an act entitled 'An act to establish a branch State Normal School'," approved March 14, 1881;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 659—An act appropriating money for the purchase of a new site for the University of California, Southern Branch;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 661—An act to appropriate money for the erection of new buildings for the University of California, Southern Branch;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 664—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of the present site of the University of California, Southern Branch;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11—Relative to a southern branch of the University of California;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

CLOUDMAN, Chairman.

ON EDUCATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 13—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 14—An act to add a new section to the "Juvenile Court Law" approved June 5, 1915, as amended, to be numbered 22*a*, relating to the establishment of schools in detention homes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 103—An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the retirement of teachers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 136—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to school districts in cities and additional territory;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 137—An act to amend section 1617½ of the Political Code, relating to the sale or lease of school property upon which no public school is being maintained;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 187—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code, relating to school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 245—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1612*b*, relating to the power and duties of city boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 295—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1620*a*, relating to the cooperative purchase of standard school supplies and equipment by school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 463—An act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption of textbooks for use in the public high schools of the State for and furnishing textbooks for the use of pupils of such schools," approved May 18, 1917, as amended, relating to powers of the State Board of Education, with reference to textbooks;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 493—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 1612*b*, and relating to school district budgets and school district taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 672—An act to amend section 1733*a* of the Political Code, relating to high school districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 679—An act to amend sections 1617, 1662 and 1720 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 739—An act to amend section 1519*a* of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 780—An act to provide for the appointment of rural supervisors of schools in certain cases;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 861—An act to amend sections 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, 1884, 1885, 1885*a*, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889*a* and 1889 of the Political Code, to repeal sections 1745, 1746, 1746*a*, 1747, 1748 and 1749 of the Political Code, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds by junior college districts," approved May 27, 1921, providing a uniform procedure for the voting and issuance of school district, high school district and junior college district bonds and for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 901—An act to amend sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 17 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 883—An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers retired in accordance with the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to public school teachers of this State, creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund, and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds, and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, defining the operation of said act, providing for the return, to persons subject to the burdens of said act and not retired, of all moneys contributed by them to the public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of this act, defining the powers and prescribing the duties of public officers and others in connection with this act, and making an appropriation to carry the provisions of this act into effect;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 983—An act to amend section 1665 of the Political Code, relating to subjects in which instruction shall be provided in the elementary schools of the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 984—A new section is hereby added to the Political Code, to be numbered 1665*b*, providing what words and terms shall be taught and the definitions thereof and that pupils or students in the elementary schools above the sixth grade, in the secondary schools, junior high schools, senior high schools, junior colleges, all evening schools, and universities, printed or typewritten books, pamphlets, or manuals shall be used for study by the pupils or students, and copies of said typewritten pamphlets, books or manuals shall be filed;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 994—An act to amend section 1543 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the county superintendent of schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1090—An act to regulate notices concerning school matters;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1128—An act to amend sections 362, 362*a*, 362*b*, 362*c* and 362*e* of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1136—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of boards of school trustees and State boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1161—An act to amend section 1761 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1166—An act to amend section 1532 of the Political Code, relating to schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1181—An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 15 of an act entitled "An act to require certain high school districts to provide part-time educational opportunities in civic and vocational subjects for persons under eighteen years of age who are not in attendance upon full-time day schools, and part-time educational opportunities in citizenship for persons under twenty-one years of age who can not adequately speak, read or write the English language; to enforce attendance upon such part-time classes where established, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to part-time schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1244—An act to amend section 1764 of the Political Code, relating to high school taxes and funds,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HARTRANFT, Chairman.

ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 766—An act to amend section 737*k* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges of the county of Santa Barbara;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 854—An act to amend section 737*p* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in Stanislaus County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 910—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of superior courts.

Also Assembly Bill No 916—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 917—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the Chief Justice and associate justices of the Supreme Court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1020—An act to amend section 737*d* of the Political Code, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court for the county of San Diego,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1075—An act to amend section 737 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the judge of the superior court of the county of Yolo,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 376—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*r*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in Riverside County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 437—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges of Lassen County,

Also: Assembly Bill No 544—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salaries of superior judges of Colusa County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 560—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*u*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in the counties of Yuba and Sutter;

Also Assembly Bill No. 666—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*q*, relating to salaries of the judges of the superior court in San Bernardino County;

Also Assembly Bill No. 667—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*bbb*, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges of Contra Costa County;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 42—An act to amend section 737*r* of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior judges of the counties of San Francisco, Los Angeles and Alameda;

Also Assembly Bill No 82—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*t*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of Marin County;

Also. Assembly Bill No 43—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the Supreme Court and district courts of appeal:

Also Assembly Bill No 172—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 738*c*, relating to salaries of superior judges in counties of the forty-sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 220—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*cc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges;

Also. Assembly Bill No 370—An act to amend section 737*c*, of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the superior court judges of the county of Ventura;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1228—An act appropriating money for the purchase, installation and maintenance of machinery and equipment for the manufacture of fabrics, twines and cordage from jute, sisal, flax, hemp and any other raw materials except cotton at the State prisons at Folsom and San Quentin, and repealing an act entitled "An act authorizing the State Board of Prison Directors to fix the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute bags should be sold for the State, and providing for the prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same, and repealing an act entitled 'An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution and punishment for offenses under the same,' approved June 16, 1913, and all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved January 30, 1915;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1240—An act appropriating money to be used by the State Department of Health for malaria control,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1260—An act providing for an investigation of an adequate pension law for State employees, providing for the appointment of a committee for such investigation; defining the powers and duties of such committee and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1276—An act to appropriate money to pay the claim of National Cleaning and Dyeing Works against the State of California;

Also Assembly Bill No. 767—An act to create a commission to codify laws relating to public schools of the State of California and making an appropriation therefor;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 992—An act appropriating money for the support of the State Board of Health for the study of foci of plague infection among rodents during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1060—An act to provide for the issuance and the sale of State bonds to be known as "State building bonds," to provide a fund for the erection and equipment of State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes, creating a commission to determine the amount to be expended for furnishing and equipping said buildings, and accepting a suitable site, creating a sinking and interest fund for the payment of interest on said bonds and the redemption of the same, making appropriation therefor, making an appropriation of $1000 for the expense of printing and lithographing said bonds and providing for the submission of this act to the vote of the people.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1062—An act appropriating money for capital improvements and repairs for the College of Agriculture of the University of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1135—An act making an appropriation for the maintenance of prison road camps.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1151—An act making an appropriation for the completion of the west wing of San Quentin prison.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1215—An act to provide for an investigation of economical and efficient treatment and disposal of sewage and industrial wastes; describing the duties of the State Board of Health with respect thereto, providing for the fixing of compensation of employees in making such investigation and making an appropriation therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No. 1238—An act appropriating money to be used for the installation of a new system for the keeping of records in the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 809—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the superintendence of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths, the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act; to create the officers of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same, to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 15, 1915, as amended:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 868—An act appropriating money to meet a like appropriation of the federal government to be used in carrying out the provisions and

purposes of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance by the State of California of the provisions of an act passed by the congress of the United States known as the 'Shepard-Towner' Act, and entitled 'An act for the promotion of the welfare and hygiene of maternity and infancy and for other purposes,' approved November 23, 1921," approved May 1, 1923;

Also Assembly Bill No 879—An act making an appropriation for the survey of a proposed highway from the State highway at Earlimart, Tulare County, to connect with the State highway from Lost Hills, Kern County, to Cholame, San Luis Obispo County.

Also Assembly Bill No 886—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of a site for a State National Guard camp.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 956—An act to appropriate money to be paid as premiums to exhibitors of live stock at district live stock shows to be held in the first agricultural district.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 658—An act authorizing justices of the Supreme Court and of the district courts of appeal and judges of the superior court, of the State of California, to temporarily retire from regular service after reaching the age of sixty-five years and after service of at least twenty years in one or more of said courts and providing for service and compensation therefor of such justices or judges and for designating and assigning justices and judges pro tempore to act in place of such retiring justices or judges, and providing for their duties, expenses and compensation;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 698—An act to appropriate money to build a grand stand at the State Fair Grounds at Sacramento.

Also Assembly Bill No. 234—An act to amend section 363 of the Political Code, relating to the Department of Public Works;

Also: Assembly Bill No 379—An act for the government of the "Sutro Library";

Also Assembly Bill No 628—An act to provide for the appointment of an investigator and mediator to be appointed by the superior court in counties of the first, second and third class, and defining his duties and fixing his compensation and term of office.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 855—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of S W Persons, against the State of California:

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 352—An act authorizing and empowering the State Board of Forestry to acquire by purchase, gift or donation, in the name of the State of California, forest or brush covered lands under certain conditions, fixing the maximum price per acre to be paid for such lands as may be purchased; authorizing and directing the State Board of Forestry to administer and maintain and reforest such lands, or retain said lands for the conservation of water or watershed cover; appropriating the sum of $150,000 for the purpose of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 442—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of representatives of the Pit River Indian tribe to Washington District of Columbia.

Also Assembly Bill No. 448—An act appropriating the sum of $1,300,000 for the erection and equipment of State buildings in the city of Sacramento for State purposes.

Also Assembly Bill No. 505—An act making an appropriation for money to be at the disposal of the district attorneys in the several counties of the State to be used for the purpose of bringing into the State for trial at the expense of the State persons who are charged with forging or passing "bad" checks and further authorizing the district attorneys to expend of these funds, sufficient moneys to bring into the State witnesses for the purpose of prosecuting persons charged with drawing or uttering "bad" checks or forging checks;

Also Assembly Bill No. 551—An act making an appropriation for permanent improvements on the summer session property of Fresno State Teachers College at Huntington Lake, Fresno County.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

McPHERSON, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 30—An act appropriating money for the improvement and completion of the State highway between a point near the town of Hume, Fresno

County, and the floor of the Kings River Canyon, at or near Cedar Grove hotel in said county.

Also Assembly Bill No 130—An act to pay the claim of Charles Bartholomew against the State of California

Also Assembly Bill No 150—An act to provide for the compilation, printing, binding, publishing, and distribution of a Legislative Manual and State Blue Book, or Roster, repealing all conflicting acts and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof.

Also Assembly Bill No 163—An act directing the State Engineer to render a report to the Legislature of the State of California consisting of a plan of design, an estimate of cost, and recommendations of a plan of finance, for the erection of a proposed dam to be located at Army Point, Solano County, and extending to Bulls Head Point, Contra Costa County, and making an appropriation thereof.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 212—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of McCloud River Lumber Company;

Also Assembly Bill No. 239—An act appropriating money for the installation and equipment of a toy factory at Folsom State Prison,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 438—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Davies-Johnson Lumber Company against the State of California,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No 827—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered and designated section 739 relating to the compensation of the judges of the superior court—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

McPHERSON, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 427—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Railroad Commission, to define its powers and duties and the rights, remedies, powers and duties of public utilities and their officers, and the rights and remedies of patrons of public utilities, and to provide penalties for offenses by public utilities, their officers, agents and employees and by other persons and corporations, creating the 'Railroad Commission fund' and appropriating the moneys therein to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing title XV of part IV of division I of the Civil Code and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved April 23, 1915;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 774—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to require railroad companies operating within any part of this State to provide and equip certain engine cabs with handrails and footboards for the safety and protection of railroad employees, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved June 3, 1921;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

McPHERSON, Chairman.

ON COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 11—An act authorizing the establishment and government of port districts, providing for the acquirement, construction, maintenance, operation, development and regulation of a system of harbor improvements and rail and water transfer and terminal facilities within such districts, providing the method of payment therefor, providing for the levy and collection of taxes and special assessments therefor and for the issuance of bonds therefor and for the payment thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 141—An act transferring the duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities and jurisdiction of the board of pilot commissioners for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island and Benicia to the State Board of Harbor Commissioners providing for the appointment by the State Board of Harbor Commissioners of all pilots for such ports, providing that all pilotage fees for the ports of San Francisco, Mare Island and Benicia shall be paid to the State Board of Harbor Commissioners, fixing the salaries of pilots for such ports, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof,

Also Assembly Bill No 253—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about Islais creek and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "Islais Creek Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for

the reclamation of the lands of said district, and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said Islais Creek Reclamation District;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 735—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act providing for the improvement, development or protection of any harbor, bay, inlet, or other arm of the sea, existing within any county of this State, providing for the appointment of a harbor commission by the board of supervisors of any such county to have charge and control of the improvement, development, or protection thereof, and the voting, issuance and sale of the bonds of such county to pay the cost thereof," approved June 15, 1915, as amended, relating to improvement;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 904—An act granting in trust to the city and county of San Francisco the interest of the State in and to, and the control and management of the harbor of San Francisco, as described in the act; providing for the disposition of revenues derived from the operation of said harbor, providing for the sale of bonds authorized but not sold, providing for the payment of interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, fixing the terms and conditions of the grant; providing for the issuance of a proclamation by the Governor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 993—An act to aid commerce and navigation by authorizing certain improvements in and about South Basin and South Basin Canal and as a means thereof creating a reclamation district to be called and known as the "South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District," fixing the boundaries thereof, providing for the management and control thereof, vesting certain powers therein, and authorizing a method for the reclamation of the lands of said district; and to aid and assist such works of reclamation granting to the city and county of San Francisco and its successors any title of the State in or to any public highways lying in said district with certain reservations; and dissolving any reclamation district wholly situate within the boundaries of said South Basin-South Basin Canal Reclamation District.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

SCOFIELD, Chairman

ON MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 86—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 767*a* and 865*a*, relating to annual budgets in cities of the fifth and sixth classes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 89—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to elections and terms of trustees and appointive officers in cities of the sixth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 178—An act to amend section 1191 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon lots or tracts of land for street, highway or sidewalk improvement;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 185—An act to provide for the exclusion from sanitary districts of territory lying within the boundaries of an incorporated city or town;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 279—An act to provide for the exclusion from lighting districts of territory lying within the boundaries of an incorporated city or town;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 280—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations; for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 298—An act providing for the incorporation, government and management of metropolitan water districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded debt and to acquire, construct, operate and manage works and property, providing for the taxation thereof, the addition of area thereto and the exclusion of area therefrom and authorizing municipal corporations to aid and participate in the incorporation of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 519—An act to amend section 857 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved May 13, 1883, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 549—An act to amend an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of said sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 580—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 608—An act to authorize the city of Placerville to execute certain trusts in relation to the lands granted to said city;

Also Assembly Bill No. 635—An act relating to outdoor advertising as in this act defined, and granting to municipalities the power to regulate or prohibit such advertising;

Also Assembly Bill No. 648—An act to amend that certain act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening, or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, squares, lanes, alleys, courts, and place, within municipalities, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenient for such purposes, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvement," approved March 24, 1903, and acts amendatory thereto,

Also Assembly Bill No. 714—An act to amend section 23 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of municipal water districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction by said districts of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved May 1, 1911, as amended, relating to powers of municipal water districts to levy tax to meet deficiencies;

Also Assembly Bill No. 731—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to boundaries of municipalities;

Also Assembly Bill No. 785—An act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and on streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to assessments

Also Assembly Bill No. 870—An act to authorize the establishment of municipal courts, and to prescribe their organization, government, jurisdiction and procedure; and providing for the election and appointment, qualification and salaries of judges, and officers of the court;

Also Assembly Bill No. 924—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 162*a*, relating to municipal courts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 925—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 162, relating to the appointment of judges of municipal courts

Also Assembly Bill No 926—An act providing for the constitution, regulation, government and procedure of municipal courts, and for the jurisdiction thereof; providing for the establishment of municipal courts in cities and cities and counties governed under charters framed and adopted under the authority of the constitution of the State of California, prescribing the manner in which, the time at which and the term for which the judges, clerks and other attaches of municipal courts shall be elected or appointed and for the number and qualifications of said judges, clerks and other attaches, fixing the compensation of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such municipal courts and prescribing the payment thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 952—An act to amend the title and section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out, opening, extending, widening or straightening, in whole or in part, of public streets, avenues, highways, lanes, alleys, courts and places in the unincorporated territories of counties, for the condemnation of property necessary or convenience for such purposes, for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of such improvements, for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent assessments for the expense of such improvements and for the effect and enforcement of such bonds," approved May 11, 1923, extending the scope of said act to improvements partly within and partly without municipalities, and relating to the creation of assessment districts partly within and partly without municipalities;

Also Assembly Bill No 953—An act to provide for the acquisition by counties of land for public park or playground purposes by condemnation, purchase or otherwise, and for the establishment of assessment districts and the assessment of property therein to pay the expense of acquiring such land;

Also Assembly Bill No 1069—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No 1140—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering municipalities to provide a procedure for the fixing and establishing of setback lines on private property bordering on the whole or part of any street, avenue or highway, to prohibit the erection of buildings, fences or other structures between such setback lines and the lines of any such street, avenue or

highway, and to condemn any and all property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved May 31, 1917;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

SEWELL, Chairman.

ON IRRIGATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 740—An act to create a water district known as the Mono-Inyo Water District, prescribing its boundaries and providing for the government and control thereof;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1073—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the issue and sale or exchange of funding bonds of irrigation districts organized under and in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled 'An act to provide for the organization and government of irrigation districts, and to provide for the acquisition or construction thereby of works for the irrigation of lands embraced within such districts, and also, to provide for the distribution of water for irrigation purposes," approved March 7, 1897, as amended, relating to reports of directors;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1143—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation, organization, and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works, and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1184—An act to recognize and declare valid all proceedings on organization and formation of Crescent Irrigation District;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1250—An act to validate the proceedings on organization and formation and the organization and formation of Round Valley Irrigation District, an irrigation district organized and existing under the California Irrigation District Act,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MIXTER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Irrigation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 362—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, operation, maintenance, and government of water storage districts, and for the acquisition, appropriation, diversion, storage, conservation, and distribution of water for irrigation of lands in such districts, for drainage and reclamation connected therewith, and for the generation, disposition, and sale of hydro-electric energy developed incidental to such storage and distribution; and for the acquisition of lands or rights therein and the acquisition, construction, operation, and maintenance of works to carry into effect the provisions of this act and conferring upon the State Engineer certain additional duties and powers in connection with the carrying out of the purposes of said act and providing for the appointment of directors to assist the State Engineer in so doing and defining such duties and powers; and repealing the California Irrigation Act approved June 4, 1915, and all acts amendatory thereof," approved June 3, 1921,

Also Assembly Bill No 467—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 10*a*, relating to the filing of records of diversion and use of water;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 600—An act to amend the California Irrigation District Act by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 61½, relating to the issuance by boards of directors of irrigation districts of new warrants and the extension of old warrants;

Also: Assembly Bill No 623—An act to amend the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 11*a*, relating to the appropriation of waters percolating through an underground reservoir or basin,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

MIXTER, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC UTILITIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 246—An act to add a new title and chapter I to division I, part IV of the Civil Code, to be numbered title XV, chapter I, relating to requirements of service of public utilities supplying electricity,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 759—An act to prohibit any person or common carrier by railroad moving any fixed signal, switch or switch light for the purpose of what

is commonly known as test of employees, to define fixed signals, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

SMITH, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred Assembly Concurrent Resolution No 3—Relating to an investigation of telephone rates by the State Railroad Commission—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

SMITH, Chairman.

ON JUDICIARY.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No 368—An act amending sections 1246, 1247, 1247*a*, and 1252 of the Penal Code, all relating to the manner of taking, perfecting and hearing appeals in criminal cases,

Also Senate Bill No 397—An act to amend section 396 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to changing the place of trial;

Also Senate Bill No. 644—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code of the State of California, in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor,

Also Senate Bill No. 712—An act to amend sections 4014, 4015 and 4016, of the Political Code, relating to judicial townships and the officers thereof;

Also Senate Bill No 771—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relating to defectively acknowledged instruments;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 8—An act to create a public corporation to be known as "The State Bar of California," to provide for its organization, government, membership and powers, to regulate the practice of law, and to provide penalties for violation of said act;

Also Senate Bill No 94—An act to amend section 988 of the Penal Code, relating to proceedings upon arraignment in criminal cases,

Also Senate Bill No. 119—An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to maps unless the same are recorded; prescribing penalties for the violation hereof, and to repeal an act entitled "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act

Also Senate Bill No. 283—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of marriage licenses,

Also Senate Bill No. 317—An act to amend section 1222 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add two new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1223 and 1224, relating to contempts, defining the same, and providing for appeals;

Also Senate Bill No. 323—An act authorizing the chief justice of the Supreme Court of the State to call a conference of justices and judges of State courts and providing for an annual conference thereafter for the purpose of studying and promoting the best and most efficient methods of administering the law in State courts, of coordinating the work of such courts and making an appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this act;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 12—An act to amend section 10 of the Political Code, relating to holidays;

Also Assembly Bill No 16—An act to amend section 241 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the formation and term of office of grand juries;

Also Assembly Bill No 35—An act to amend section 230 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to juries in justice or police courts,

Also Assembly Bill No. 74—An act to amend section 4300*g* of the Political Code, relating to witness fees in civil and criminal cases;

Also Assembly Bill No. 76—An act to amend section 927 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the jurisdiction of small claim courts.

Also Assembly Bill No. 97—An act to amend section 555 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the release of attachments.

Also Assembly Bill No. 98—An act to amend section 1190 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to undertakings in actions to foreclose mechanics' liens.

Also Assembly Bill No. 99—An act to amend section 543 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to garnishment in aid of attachment.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 111—An act to amend section 476*a*, of the Penal Code, relating to the issuing of fraudulent checks.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 117—An act to amend section 279 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the admission of attorneys from other states and foreign countries to practice law in this State.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 118—An act to amend section 2924 of the Civil Code, relating to redemption of property sold under power of sale.

Also. Assembly Bill No. 119—An act to amend section 1190 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to undertakings in actions to foreclose mechanics liens;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 124—An act to amend section 97 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to salaries of justices of the peace;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 129—An act to amend section 196 of the Civil Code, relating to the obligation of parents for the support and education of their children.

Also Assembly Bill No. 139—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 2284, relating to the substitution of trustees named in deeds of trusts;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 145—An act to amend section 869 of the Penal Code, relating to preliminary examinations in cases of homicide.

Also Assembly Bill No. 146—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of court reporters

Also Assembly Bill No 156—An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded, and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded.

Also Assembly Bill No. 180—An act to amend section 537*d* of the Penal Code, relating to the removal of property upon which a lien exists.

Also Assembly Bill No 188—An act recognizing the right of the supreme court to adopt rules of procedure in civil and criminal causes, and declaring the effect thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 192—An act to amend section 848 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, relating to the service of summons outside of the county.

Also Assembly Bill No. 193—An act amending section 438 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to counterclaims,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 198—An act to amend section 1973 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add to said code a new section to be numbered 1973*a*, relating to agreements in writing;

Also Assembly Bill No. 199—An act to repeal title I and title II of part IV of division III of the Civil Code, to repeal section 1083, 1136, 1140, 1141, 1142, 3049, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3308, 3309, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3313, and 3314 of said code; to amend sections 1612, 1613, 1624, 1689 and 3387 of said code; to add a new title I of part IV of division III of said code in place thereof consisting of sections 1721 to 1800, both inclusive; and to add a new section to said code to be known as section 1624*a*, all relating to sale of goods, to amend section 36 of said code, relating to disaffirmance by minor; to amend section 658 of said code, relating to real property; to amend section 660 of said code, relating to fixtures, to add a new section to said code to be known as section 35*a*, relating to minors and to add three new sections to said code to be known as sections 1097, 1098 and 1099, relating to real property, and to make the law of sale of goods in the State of California uniform with the law of other states;

Also Assembly Bill No. 201—An act to repeal chapter III of title X of part IV, division III of the Civil Code, and to add a new chapter III of part IV, division III, in place thereof, all relating to limited partnerships, and to make the law relating to limited partnerships uniform with the law of other states,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 228—An act to add five new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1203*a*, 1203*b*, 1203*c*, 1203*d* and 1203*e*, relating to liens on monuments, gravestones and cemetery structures,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 240—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1319, providing that where a contest of a will may be brought under the provisions of section 1312, subdivision III, of the Code of Civil Procedure, a forfeiture clause forfeiting any bequest, legacy or interest under said will shall at all times be deemed, held and considered contrary to public policy and void and of no effect,

Also, Assembly Bill No. 243—An act to amend section 607 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to procedure in the trial of civil actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 264—An act to amend sections 1 and 3 of "An act requiring the recording of maps of subdivisions of land into lots for the purpose of sale, and prescribing the conditions on which such maps may be recorded and prohibiting the selling or offering for sale of land by reference to said maps unless the same are recorded," approved March 15, 1907, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 285—An act to amend section 1881, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to confidential communications;

Also Assembly Bill No 289—An act to amend sections 408 and 409 of the Political Code, relating to the Secretary of State;

Also Assembly Bill No 314—An act to amend section 1469, Code of Civil Procedure, relating to administration of estate not exceeding $2,500 in value;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 338—An act to amend section 1207 of the Penal Code, relative to defectively acknowledged instruments;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 339—An act to amend section 1525 of the Penal Code, relative to search warrants;

Also Assembly Bill No 345—An act relating to the use and furnishing of premiums, prizes, stamps, coupons, tickets, certificates, cards, or other similar devices, for or with the sale of goods, wares, merchandise; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 361—An act to amend section 1035 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to interest and cost of court,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 365—An act to amend section 1549 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of real estate at private sale in estates of deceased persons;

Also: Assembly Bill No 371—An act to repeal section 158 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the residence of superior judges,

Also, Assembly Bill No 380—An act to amend section 224 of the Civil Code, relating to the support of children,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 393—An act to amend sections 724, 725, 733, 852, 857, 859, 2220 and 2280 of the Civil Code, relating to trusts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 404—An act to amend section 31 of the Penal Code, relative to who are principal in the commission of a crime;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 405—An act to amend section 736 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries of the justices of the Supreme Court;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 406—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 736*a*, relating to the salaries of the justices of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No 413—An act to amend the Penal Code by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 337*b*, relating to the publication, distribution, selling or giving away of tips or other information concerning horse races, or betting upon horse races;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 428—An act to amend section 685 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of an execution after five years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 458—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered section 531*a*, relating to executions;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 459—An act to amend section 1788 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardian's sales;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 468—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act defining criminal syndicalism and sabotage, prescribing certain acts and methods, in connection therewith and in pursuance thereof and providing penalties and punishments therefor," approved April 30, 1919;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 476—An act to amend section 132 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to decrees of divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 477—An act to amend section 546 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to duties of the sheriff;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 479—An act to amend section 284 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens of an attorney;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 499—An act to amend the title and sections 16, 21, and 24, of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years, and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance; providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions; establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof; providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons; providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the creation of a juvenile court;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 525—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1714*a*, relating to vehicles and persons being carried therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 530—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code, providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 571—An act to amend section 69 of the Civil Code, relating to the issuance of marriage licenses;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 575—An act to amend section 956 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to what may be reviewed on appeal from judgment;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 577—An act to amend section 632 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to upon trial by court, decision to be in writing and filed within thirty days;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 581—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of the claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 587—An act to fix the liability of bidders to the State of California or to any county, city, municipality or political subdivision of said State who deposit money, certified checks or bid bonds to guarantee that such bidder will enter into a contract if such contract is awarded to him;
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 733—An act to amend section 1861 of the Civil Code, relating to liens of innkeepers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 741—An act to amend section 394 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the place of trial of actions or proceedings to which a county, city and county, or city is a party;

Also: Assembly Bill No 748—An act to amend sections 161, 682 and 687 of the Civil Code, respecting ownership of property by several persons, including community property and the community interest of husband and wife;

Also Assembly Bill No. 750—An act to amend section 928 of the Penal Code, relating to grand juries;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 755—An act defining broker, regulating the sale by a broker of evidences of debt, or any rights entitling the holder thereof to participate in profits, or division of profits, or assets, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No 761—An act making it unlawful to repeat or scatter false rumors or reports of a slanderous or harmful nature concerning any person or persons, and providing a penalty therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 764—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code of the State of California, to be numbered 871*a*, to limit prosecution for public offense;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 778—An act to define the crime of negligent homicide when committed by the operation of a vehicle, and to prescribe penalties for said crime;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 786—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code, providing for the sale of personal property and of stock in trade in bulk and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock

Also. Assembly Bill No. 790—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 526, relating to the sale of tickets to theaters;

Also Assembly Bill No 792—An act providing for the collection of money advanced in payment of taxes on real property by co-owners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 818—An act to add a new section to the California Civil Code to be numbered 3057*a*, making an officer who levies an attachment on personal property liable for work done thereon or in connection therewith;

Also Assembly Bill No 819—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1206*a*, giving to those who file preferred labor claims under attachments or executions not founded upon a claim for labor a lien upon the property attached, providing for methods of enforcing such liens, providing for a lien by the officer who levies the writ for his keeper's and storage fees during a ten-day period after release of the attachment or execution and for methods of enforcing same, and requiring the said officer to mail notice to all those who have filed preferred claims whenever any attachment or execution is released, advising them of such release and of the fact that their liens on the property in the possession of the said officer terminate unless they bring attachment actions to protect same within ten days;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 829—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale or mortgage of the property of a person under guardianship;

Also Assembly Bill No. 865—An act to amend section 379 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to defendants;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 867—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualification of judges;

Also Assembly Bill No 872—An act to amend sections 69 and 72 of the Civil Code of California, relating to marriage licenses and requirements by persons solemnizing marriage,

Also Assembly Bill No 873—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to control the possession, sale, and use of pistols and revolvers, to provide penalties, and for other purposes",

Also Assembly Bill No 875—An act to amend section 2778 of the Civil Code, relating to rules of interpretation of contracts of indemnity,

Also· Assembly Bill No 876—An act to prohibit fortune telling and other practices whereby money or property is obtained on the pretense of the exercise of occult powers;

Also Assembly Bill No. 882—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 330*b*, relating to gaming apparatus;

Also· Assembly Bill No 887—An act to amend section 375*a* of the Penal Code, relating to records of sales of explosives,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 890—An act to amend sections 2 and 7 of an act known as the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 891—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 1183*a*, relating to liens for labor,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 906—An act to regulate the payment of rent, to prohibit evasion thereof, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 913—An act to amend section 949 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to stay of proceedings on appeal in cases not specified, and exceptions thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 914—An act to amend section 1034 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to costs on appeal;

Also Assembly Bill No. 923—An act to amend section 70 of the Civil Code, relating to who may solemnize marriage;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 943—An act to amend sections 51 and 52 of the Civil Code, relating to public accommodations,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 944—An act to amend sections 60 and 99 of the Civil Code, relating to marriage licenses,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 946—An act to amend sections 7 and 14 of an act entitled "An act to provide a central bureau for the preservation of records of marriages, births and deaths, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths, the establishment of registration districts under the Superintendent of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics; the issuance and registration of burial and disinterment permits and certificates of births and deaths, the appointment of State and local registrars of vital statistics; to prescribe the powers and duties of registrars, coroners, physicians, undertakers, sextons, and other persons in relation to such registration and to fix penalties for violation of this act, to create the offices of State and local registrars of vital statistics, to provide for the salary and fees of same; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 951—An act to amend section 359 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to limitations of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No 955—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 2178 limiting the liability of a carrier of property carried in trunks, valises, traveling bags, boxes, bundles or packages, in the event of loss of or injury to the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 961—An act to amend section 476*a* of the Penal Code, relating to fictitious checks,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 972—An act to amend section 1 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1919, as amended;

Also. Assembly Bill No 977—An act to amend section 170 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the disqualifications of judges

Also: Assembly Bill No. 978—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment of murder,

Also Assembly Bill No. 979—An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the judges of the superior court in all counties and cities and counties, having a population of 200,000 inhabitants and over, to appoint a secretary," approved March 26, 1895;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 986—An act to define investment companies, investment brokers, securities brokers, salesmen and agents and sinking fund and to provide that all corporations, excepting certain enumerated corporations shall create a sinking fund for the purpose of redeeming the outstanding stocks, bonds and other securities at the time of the expiration of the corporate franchise or charter;

Also: Assembly Bill No 991—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 69*b*, relating to marriage licenses

Also Assembly Bill No 1017—An act prohibiting discriminations between men and women employed by public authority and performing equivalent service:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1018—An act to amend section 25 of the Civil Code, prescribing who are minors;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1021—An act to amend section 132 of the Civil Code, relating to the granting of final judgments of divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1022—An act to amend section 1777 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale or mortgage by guardian of the property of a minor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1024—An act authorizing the establishment of municipal courts, prescribing their constitution, regulation, government, procedure and jurisdiction, and providing for the election and appointment of the judges, clerks and other attaches of such courts their terms of office, qualification and compensation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1044—An act to amend section 657 of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the granting of motions for new trials in civil cases.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1045—An act to amend section six hundred ninety-two of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notice of sale of property under trustee;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1046—An act to amend section 1183 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to mechanics' liens;

Also Assembly Bill No 1063—An act to amend section 538 of the Penal Code, relating to mortgages on personal property.

Also Assembly Bill No 1080—An act amending sections 190, and 264 of the Penal Code, relating to punishment for felonies

Also Assembly Bill No 1088—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons, to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons, to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof; to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person, to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder, and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923, relating to duties of certain officers;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1089—An act to amend section 1510 of the Penal Code, relating to coroner's jury.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1097—An act to amend section 1277 of the Penal Code, relating to bail;

Also Assembly Bill No 1101—An act to amend section 92 of the Civil Code, relating to divorce.

Also, Assembly Bill No 1104—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons, to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases, to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof, to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder, and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923.

Also Assembly Bill No 1106—An act to amend section 230 of the Civil Code, relating to the adoption of illegitimate child.

Also Assembly Bill No 1110—An act to amend sections 851 and 854 and to repeal section 858 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to pleadings in justices' courts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1114—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1282, relating to fees for furnishing bail

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1127—An act relating to the use and furnishing of premiums, prizes, stamps, coupons, tickets, certificates, cards, or other similar devices, for, or with the sale of goods, wares, merchandise; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,

Also Assembly Bill No 1133—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to enforce the provisions of article XVIII of the amendments to the constitution of the United States, prohibiting all acts or omissions prohibited by the Volstead Act, imposing duties on courts, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs and other officers, and extending their jurisdiction; and providing for the disposition of fines and forfeitures," approved May 7, 1921, to be numbered 4*a*, relating to searches;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1137—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 654, relating to illegal searches and seizures;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1141—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 1166, relating to recording notice of additional advance under mortgage of real property;

Also Assembly Bill No 1145—An act to amend section 241 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the formation and term of office of grand juries; and relating to the taking effect of this act;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1149—An act to amend section 537 of the Penal Code, relating to the defrauding of hotel keepers, inn keepers, livery stable owners and proprietors of sanitariums and hospitals,

Also Assembly Bill No 1157—An act to amend section 373 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to guardians ad litem,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1178—An act to add a new article to chapter II of title I of part III of division I of the Civil Code, to be numbered article V, relating to the allowance and payment of claims of creditors in actions for divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1186—An act to amend sections 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, and 1290 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and to add four new sections to said code to be numbered 1280, 1291, 1292, and 1293, relating to arbitration and awards;

Also Assembly Bill No 1193—An act to add seven new sections to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered 928, 928*a*, 928*b*, 928*c*, 928*d*, 928*e*, and 928*f*, providing for the establishment of and procedure in small claims courts in cities where municipal courts are established;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1201—An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which gambling is held or occurs or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1207—An act to prohibit the use of bid bonds in connection with the submission of bids to perform public works contracts in the State of California,

Also Assembly Bill No 1218—An act to legalize, confirm and validate deeds made to purchasers of property sold under and in pursuance of the provisions of sections 3771*a* and 3785*b* of the Political Code;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 1232—An act to amend section 129 of the Civil Code, relating to the domicile and place of residence of the parties in an action for divorce;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1247—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*xy*, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of the county of Siskiyou:

Also Assembly Bill No. 1270—An act to amend sections 3 and 9 and to add a new section to be numbered 15 to an act entitled "An act relating to the rights, powers and disabilities of aliens and of certain companies, associations and corporations with respect to property in this State, providing for escheats in certain cases, prescribing the procedure therein, requiring reports of certain property holders to facilitate the enforcement of this act, providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith," approved by electors November 2, 1920, as amended, relating to rights of aliens with respect to real property;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1318—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 258, relating to libel;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Relative to requesting the Attorney General of the State of California to appoint a special prosecutor to represent the people of the county of Shasta against said John S Vail on the charge of murdering James S. White in said county:
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPLAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 627—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 149, relating to trials of actions for divorce involving the custody of minor children,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 629—An act to amend section 1313 of the Civil Code, relating to restrictions upon devises and bequests for charitable purposes,

Also Assembly Bill No. 632—An act to fix and quiet titles to rights of way reserved without limit of time or location,

Also Assembly Bill No 649—An act to amend section 1880 and to add a new section to be numbered 1880*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to witnesses,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 710—An act to amend section 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to exemptions from jury service

Also Assembly Bill No. 721—An act to amend section 69*a* of the Civil Code, relative to the certificate of registry of marriage

Also. Assembly Bill No 724—An act providing that any reversionary restriction in titles of real estate shall be inoperative and void after the reasons for the restriction have, through operation of law, ceased to exist, and providing that any reversionary restriction shall not be operative for more than a period of twenty-one years or during the life of the person holding the reversionary interest,

Also Assembly Bill No 729—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipalities," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 887, relating to liability of public officers:
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WELLER, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 594—An act to amend section 1207 of the Civil Code, relative to defectively acknowledged instruments,

Also: Assembly Bill No 595—An act to amend section 11 of the "State Housing Act," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the construction of apartment houses:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 606—An act to amend section 1729 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the administration of estates by the public administrator:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 609—An act to amend section 1723 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the establishment of the fact of death:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 620—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 344*a*, relating to transfers of personal property presumed fraudulent:

Also Assembly Bill No 621—An act to amend section 896 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to taxation of costs in justices' courts:

Also: Assembly Bill No 625—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 476*b*, relating to the drawing and uttering of checks or drafts:

Also Assembly Bill No. 626—An act to regulate the erection, construction, reconstruction, maintenance, use and occupancy of houses or buildings occupied by human beings, to provide sanitary regulations, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof,
Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WELLER, Chairman.

ON OIL INDUSTRIES

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Oil Industries, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 68—An act levying an excise or license tax upon the production of petroleum, or other crude oil, or mineral oil, and of natural gas, providing for the collection and disposition of such excise taxes, providing penalties for violation of the provisions of said act, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith:

Also: Assembly Bill No 269—An act to regulate the construction, operation and maintenance of derricks and equipment in the development and production of petroleum:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 315—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 353*a*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines;

Also: Assembly Bill No 319—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 353*b*, relating to the sale of lubricating oils for internal combustion engines;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 762—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code, to be numbered 369*h* and 369*i*, respectively, prohibiting the drilling, digging or otherwise sinking of any well for oil, gas or any other hydro-carbon substance within fifty feet of the center line of any railroad track and prohibiting the operation, maintenance, and the taking of oil, gas or any other hydro-carbon substance from any well so located;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1134—An act to prohibit the dumping or discharge of oil or oil waste upon any bathing beach bordering upon the Pacific ocean in the State of California, or into any stream or watercourse emptying at, upon or near any such bathing beach, or into any stream, watercourse or drainage channel which may in time of flood empty at, upon or near any such bathing beach,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

FOSTER, Chairman.

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 846—An act to establish a military code providing for the enrollment, organization, government, training, discipline, maintenance, support, control and administration of the militia, national guard and naval militia of the State of California, repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

HEISINGER, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC MORALS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 526—An act to amend section 337*a* of the Penal Code, relating to pool-selling, book-making, bets and wagers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 691—An act to amend section 330 of the Penal Code, relating to gambling;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 757—An act to amend section 330*a* of the Political Code, relating to gambling;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 995—An act relating to horse racing; creating a State Racing Commission for the regulating, licensing and supervision of such races, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1068—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 597*g*, relating to cruelty to animals and defining and prohibiting coursing and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1129—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act declaring all buildings and places nuisances wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are held or occur or which are used for such purposes, and providing for the abatement and prevention of such nuisances by injunction and otherwise," approved April 7, 1913, relating to nuisances;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

WRIGHT, T. M., Chairman.

ON HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Hospitals and Asylums, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 310—An act to amend section 2170 of the Political Code, relating to medical examiners of the insane and prescribing the form of their certificate of examination;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 612—An act to regulate the erection, construction, alteration, conversion, maintenance and occupancy of hospitals, including sanitariums, asylums and orphanages, detention homes, including jails and prisons; places of public assemblage including auditoriums, assembly rooms, public halls, churches, theaters and dance halls, public and private schools, and providing for its enforcement and fixing penalties for the violation hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 907—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 373, relating to the receiving and treatment of patients at hospitals;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BROCK, Chairman.

ON STATE GROUNDS AND PARKS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State Grounds and Parks, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 968—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act conveying certain lands situated in the city and county of San Francisco, to the said city and county of San Francisco, to be used as an aquatic park," approved May 2, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 996—An act to provide for the formation of regional park districts consisting of all or parts of one or more counties; to provide for the acquisition, control and management of public parks, playgrounds and parkways within and without such districts, and the acquisition of property therefor; to

authorize the incurring of indebtedness and the voting, issuing and selling of bonds and the levying and collecting of taxes by such districts; to provide for the government and control of such districts, and to define the powers and duties of the officers thereof; and to define certain powers of cities and other governmental agencies in relation thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1000—An act appropriating money to pay the State's portion of the cost of improvement of King's lane, adjacent to the grounds of the Whittier State School;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DORRIS, Chairman.

ON REAPPORTIONMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on Reapportionment, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 3—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 5 of article IV thereof, relating to the legislative department;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 5—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 4, 5 and 6 of article IV thereof, relating to legislative districts;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 6—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article IV thereof, relating to the division of the State into senatorial and assembly districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 557—An act to amend sections 78 and 90 of the Political Code, relating to the division of the State in legislative districts and defining and establishing such districts.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WRIGHT, S. V., Chairman.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Assembly Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 1—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend section 16 of article IV of the constitution, relative to the veto;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 8—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California to amend the constitution of the State of California by adding a new section to article VI thereof, to be numbered section 26 of said article, relative to the continuation in service of justices of the Supreme Court, justices of the district courts of appeal and judges of the superior courts of the State of California, and defining the powers and duties of said justices and judges;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 9—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 5, article XI thereof, relating to fees and mileage of grand jurors;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 10—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 33 of article IV and section 23 of article XII, relating to public necessities;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 13—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 24 of article I thereof, relating to qualification of voters to vote on bond issues;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 15—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 31 of article IV of the constitution, relating to the holding of stock of water companies by irrigation districts;

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 18—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 6 of article VI, relating to the term of office of superior judges;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Assembly Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 19—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 16 of article XX, relating to term of office for certain elected county officials;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 22—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article IV thereof, relating to initiative;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 23—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the said State by amending section 5 of article XX thereof, relating to the change in the date of the fiscal year of the State.

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 13 of article XX thereof, relative to elections in cities, counties and cities and counties;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 20a of article XX thereof, relating to removal of officers;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 31—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending sections 2 and 7 of article IX thereof, relating to the Director of Education and the State Board of Education;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 19 of article V thereof, relative to the compensation of State officers;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 22, of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relative to the election of the Railroad Commission.

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

ANDERSON, R. J., Chairman.

ON CONSERVATION.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1079—An act to prohibit the diversion of waters from surface or subterranean streams, from one watershed to another, excepting under certain conditions, defining the term watershed, establishing a priority right to the use of all of the water of a watershed—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

NOYES, Chairman

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Conservation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 22—An act appropriating $50,000 for the construction and maintenance of fire lanes and trails on the mountains composing the watersheds of Los Angeles County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 236—An act to appropriate money to protect the banks of Mad River from erosion by means of brush and rock work along the banks thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 273—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation of fires on, and the protection and management of, public and private forest lands within the State of California, creating a State Board of Forestry and certain officers subordinate to said board, prescribing the duties of such officers, creating a forestry fund, and appropriating the moneys in said fund, and defining and providing for the punishment of certain offenses for violations of the provisions of this act, and making an appropriation therefor," approved March 18, 1905, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 432—An act to provide for the prevention of forest fires in the San Antonio Canyon in the San Gabriel Mountains, California, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 619—An act to provide for the reforestation, constructing and maintaining of fire lanes and fire trails in the Angeles National Forest, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 782—An act to provide for the prevention of forest fires in the Big Dalton and Little Dalton watersheds between San Dimas and San Gabriel canyons in the San Gabriel Mountains and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 884—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to create a fund to be known as the United States forest reserve fund and to provide for the payment out of such fund to the treasuries of the several counties entitled thereto of certain moneys received from the government of the United States, and also to regulate the manner of expenditure by the counties of the moneys so paid," approved March 18, 1907, as amended, relating to expenditure of the United States forest reserve fund;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

NOYES, Chairman

ON LIVE STOCK AND DAIRIES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Live Stock and Dairies, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 123—An act to add three new sections to the Civil Code to be numbered 3066, 3066*a*, and 3066*b*, relating to liens of vendors of feed for live stock and poultry;

Also Assembly Bill No. 503—An act to regulate the racing of horses in the State of California, and to establish a State Racing Commission, and to define its powers and duties, and prescribing a penalty for violation thereof,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 651—An act to amend section 17 of an act known as the "General Dairy Law of California," approved June 15, 1923, relating to the weighing, sampling and testing of milk and cream;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 810—An act relating to milk products, to prevent fraud therein and the adulteration thereof, regulating the manufacture and sale thereof, and providing penalties for violations thereof;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

JOHNSON, Chairman.

ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 326—An act to amend section 2322 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of the horticulture commissioners in counties of the thirty-sixth class;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 420—An act to amend section 4272 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of county officers in counties of the forty-third class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 464—An act to amend section 4271 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of county and township officers and their deputies in counties of the forty-second class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 496—An act to amend section 4307 of the Political Code, relating to county charges,

Also Assembly Bill No. 520—An act to amend sections 1, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, relating to organization and management of fire protection districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No 668—An act to amend section 4313 of the Political Code, relating to absence of county officers from the State,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 760—An act to amend section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to fees of reporters,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 783—An act to amend section 4131 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the county recorder,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DAYTON, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER Your Committee on County Government, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 975—An act to amend sections 4214, 4215, 4216, 4217, 4218, 4219, 4220 and 4221 of the Political Code, all relating to the duties of the county engineer;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 976—An act to amend section 4013 of the Political Code, relating to officers of a county;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 1059—An act to amend section 4267 of the Political Code, relating to county officers of counties of the thirty-eighth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1066—An act to amend section 4279 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of counties of the fiftieth class;

Also. Assembly Bill No 1067—An act to amend section 4285 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and compensation of county officers of counties of the fifty-sixth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1081—An act to amend section 2713 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of supervisors,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1103—An act to amend section 4125 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of the assessors,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

DAYTON, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 23, 1925

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Charities and Corrections to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 301—An act appropriating money for the purpose

of building, furnishing, and equipping a cottage for boys at the Whittier State School;

Also Assembly Bill No. 862—*An act to amend section 607d of the Civil Code,* relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals,

Also Assembly Bill No 272—An act to establish an institution for the confinement, cure, care, and rehabilitation of drug addicts; to provide for the government and maintenance thereof; to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to prescribe penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged drug addicts under this act, to provide penalties for procuring the escape, or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make an appropriation therefor,

Also Assembly Bill No. 864—An act to amend section 607*c* of the Civil Code, relating to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals;

Also Senate Bill No 333—An act to amend section 594½ of the Political Code, *relating to charitable, religious or benevolent societies;*

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

JONES, Chairman.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND QUARANTINE

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 22, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Public Health and Quarantine, to which was referred Assembly Bill No 546—An act to prohibit pharmacists or druggists *from overcharging for liquors prescribed by physicians, to prevent adulteration* of such liquors and providing a penalty for any violation of this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 889—*An act to amend the title and sections 1 and 2* and to add a new section, to be numbered 9, relating to constitutionality to an act entitled "An act regulating the sanitation and ventilation in and at camps where five or more persons are employed and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," approved May 29, 1913, as amended, relating to the ventilation and sanitation of camps;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1210—An act to regulate the containers for drugs and prescribing penalties for violations thereof

Also: Assembly Bill No 1212—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act defining mattresses regulating the making, remaking, and sale thereof prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthy materials therein; requiring that *materials used shall be accurately described, and the percentage of materials used* in each mattress stated, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled, and making the violation of any of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, and repealing legislation inconsistent with this act," approved June 7, 1915, as amended relating to disinfection of materials,

Also: Senate Bill No 778—An act to amend section 13 of "the State Medical Practice Act," approved June 2, 1913, as amended, relating to reciprocity licenses,

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

WOODBRIDGE, Chairman.

ON BANKING

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 20, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Banking, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 332—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, designated the "Bank Act," by amending section 9 thereof as amended May 6, 1913, relating to the regulation of the business of banking;

Also Assembly Bill No 359—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the *custody of any county or municipality within this State, and to repeal all acts or* parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923 relating to banks of *deposit*;

Also Assembly Bill No. 754—An act to amend section 147 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, relating to days when banks must remain closed;

Also: Assembly Bill No 781—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 851—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No 1086—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to define and regulate the business of banking," approved March 1, 1909, as amended, *designated the "Bank Act," by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section 9a*;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

SPALDING, Chairman

ON MANUFACTURES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 638—An act to amend section 5 and section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the indicating of the net quantity of foodstuffs and stuffs intended to be used or prepared for use as food for human beings, and medicine, when sold or offered or exposed for sale in containers, and providing for the indicating of quantity in the sale of commodities in respect to which there exists a definite trade custom, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved May 24, 1913, as amended, relating to designation of quantity;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 765—An act to prohibit the destruction of food products, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 881—An act to regulate the sale of packages, cartons, cans, boxes, commodities and containers of all kinds, with the name and address of the original manufacturer thereof, providing for the enforcement of, and providing for penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act;

Also Assembly Bill No. 985—An act to define and establish the standard of syrups manufactured from fruits and fruit juices, vegetables and vegetable juices and set forth on the label the purity thereof, the blends, mixtures and concoctions made therefrom, and the component ingredients of the blends, mixtures, concoctions or compounds offered for sale, sold and used for food, drink, condiment, medicine or flavoring;

Also Assembly Bill No. 23—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 536b, relating to false statements of grades of lumber and building materials;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BURNS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 96—An act to amend sections 1, 5, 8, 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act to control and regulate the possession, sale and use of pistols, revolvers and other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person; to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession or carrying of certain other dangerous weapons within this State; to provide for registering all sales of pistols, revolvers or other firearms capable of being concealed upon the person, to prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms except by lawfully authorized persons, to provide for the confiscation and destruction of such weapons in certain cases; to prohibit the ownership, use, or possession of any of such weapons by certain classes of persons; to prescribe penalties for violations of this act and increased penalties for repeated violations hereof, to authorize, in proper cases, the granting of licenses or permits to carry firearms concealed upon the person; to provide for licensing retail dealers in such firearms and regulating sales thereunder, and to repeal chapter 145 of California Statutes of 1917, relating to the same subject," approved June 13, 1923;

Also Assembly Bill No. 116—An act to regulate the packing and labeling of macaroni and macaroni pastes and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 349—An act to add a new section, to be numbered section 4, to an act entitled "An act to prevent the adulteration of paints, oils, varnishes and pigments," approved March 22, 1907, relating to labeling of paint containers;

Also Assembly Bill No. 350—An act to protect the health of persons employed in handling Portland cement, and to provide for the manner of packing the same;

Also Assembly Bill No. 351—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code to be numbered 383b, relating to adulteration and sale of white lead, paint, or compound intended to be used as such, providing for its enforcement, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No. 408—An act relating to the manufacture and sale of evaporated milk and milk products, providing ingredients to be used in such manufacture; prohibiting certain substitutes in such products; and providing penalties for a violation of this act;

Has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation.

BURNS, Chairman.

ON TEACHERS COLLEGES.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Teachers Colleges to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 456—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco State Teachers College—has had the same under consideration, and respectfully reports the same back without recommendation

DEUEL, Chairman.

ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36—A resolution to propose to the people of

the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 18 of article XI thereof, relating to cities, counties and towns—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Relative to the policy and practice of renting or leasing the exclusive right to hunt wild game or game birds on State lands, by-passes, drainage, levee, or protection districts or other properties of this State to persons, clubs or corporations;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26—Relating to the compilation or codification of the laws of California;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25—Approving certain amendments to the charter of the city of Chico, county of Butte, State of California, voted for and ratified by the electors of said city of Chico at a general municipal election held therein on the thirteenth day of April, 1925—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 21—Relative to inviting the President of the United States to visit the site of the Boulder canyon dam, the Imperial valley, and southern California;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Relative to leaves of absence of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Senate and Assembly of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27—Relating to an invitation to be extended to the National Conference on State Parks to hold its next regular convention in the State of California;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5—Relative to the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the United States in reference to the levy and collection of taxes on incomes derived from securities issued under the authority of the United States or of any State—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20—Relating to requesting the presence of the United States fleet at San Francisco during the Diamond Jubilee Celebration of the admission of California into the Union—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by adding to article IX thereof a new section, to be numbered 14, relating to the incorporation, organization, and classification of school districts—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 25—A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to article VI of the constitution of the State by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 26 of said article, relating to a salary allowance to certain judicial officers upon the termination of their active term of office, and to their eligibility for further judicial duties—and reports that the same has been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER. Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution by adding a new section to article VI thereof to be numbered section 4½, relative to courts of appellate jurisdiction,

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 20—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1 of article II of the constitution relating to the right of suffrage;

Also: Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37—Proposed amendment to article XIII of the constitution, relative to taxation,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 14—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section 11 of article XII of the constitution of the State of California, relating to the issuance of stock or bonds by corporations:

Also Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 27—A resolution to propose to the State of California an amendment to the constitution of said State by amending section 1*a* of article XIII thereof, relating to the exemption from taxation of colleges and secondary schools accredited to the University of California,

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following

Assembly Bill No 538—An act to amend section 4260 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers, their clerks, deputies, stenographers and assistants, in counties of the thirty-first class

Also: Assembly Bill No. 65—An act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acceptance of the provisions and benefits of an act passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise; to empower and direct the board designated as the State Board for Vocational Education to cooperate with the Federal Board for Vocational Education in carrying out the provisions of said federal act; to prescribe its powers and duties in carrying out the provisions of this act; to provide for a plan of cooperation between the State Board for Vocational Education and the Industrial Accident Commission; to provide for the appointment of a custodian of all moneys received by the State from appropriations made by the Congress of the United States and from other sources for the purpose of promoting vocational rehabilitation; to create a vocational rehabilitation fund and making an appropriation therefor," approved June 3, 1921, relating to appropriation for vocational rehabilitation;

Also Assembly Bill No. 105—An act to pay the claim of the California Cooperative Canneries, Incorporated, against the State of California

Also: Assembly Bill No. 233—An act to create a State highway from the city of Tracy to a paved highway in Ventura County, thereby creating a new trunk line highway between the cities of San Francisco, Fresno, and Los Angeles, to be known as the west side highway, and appropriating funds for the survey and construction of same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 281—An act to appropriate moneys for, and to authorize and direct the California Highway Commission to complete that part of the State highway system of the State of California between the towns of Middletown and

Lower Lake in Lake County, provided for by an act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled, "An act calling a special election to be held on Tuesday, July 1, 1919, and providing for the submission thereat to the qualified electors of the State of an amendment to the constitution of the State of California known as Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 27, proposed by the Legislature of said State at its forty-third session, providing for the issuance of bonds to the amount of $40,000,000 for the completion of the State highway system and the acquisition and construction of other State highways by the State Department of Engineering, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," approved July 1, 1919;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 294—An act appropriating money for the erection of buildings for boys requiring special custodial care, for service connections, furnishings and equipment for the same at the Preston School of Industry;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 364—An act to add a new chapter to the Code of Civil Procedure, to be numbered chapter VI of part I, title II, relating to sessions of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 373—An act to amend the title of and revise an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon highways, streets, avenues, lanes, courts, places and sidewalks in the unincorporated territory of counties and upon property and rights of way owned by counties and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and providing for the issuance and payment of highway improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof, and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved June 3, 1921, and to include therein provisions for work in, under and upon and for establishing and changing the grades of highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards, lanes, alleys, courts, places and parks within municipalities, whenever necessary or proper to complete or connect with any work outside thereof, together with any of the same which may form the exterior boundary of a municipality, where such municipality joins unincorporated territory of the county whether they lie wholly or partly within or without the boundaries of such municipality and in, under and upon any publicly owned property and rights of way whether within or without a municipality, and in and upon any property and rights of way of which the county has possession and right of use under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California; for the issuance, payment and enforcement of improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and a method for the payment of such bonds; for the formation, management and dissolution of districts to be assessed to pay the expenses of the maintenance and operation of improvements constructed hereunder, and the assessing, levying and collecting of special assessment taxes to pay such expenses; and for county aid in all of such work;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 462—An act to provide for the survey of and works in and upon the Santa Ana River watershed and basin for flood control; and making an appropriation therefor.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 552—An act to amend section 526 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to injunctions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 554—An act to amend section 3423 of the Civil Code, relating to injunctions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 610—An act to provide for a permanent historical exhibit at Sutter's Fort, and to make an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 706—An act to authorize and empower the Director of the Department of Agriculture to lease and operate a leased wire in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture from the city and county of San Francisco to the cities of El Centro, Fresno, Los Angeles and other important producing and distributing centers, and to disseminate information concerning supply, demand, prevailing prices and commercial movements; making the expenditure of funds under the provisions hereof contingent upon the additional expenditure of a like sum by the United States Department of Agriculture, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof, authorizing the acceptance by the Department of Agriculture of donations to be expended in accordance with the provisions hereof and creating the agricultural leased wire fund.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 776—An act appropriating money for salaries and maintenance of the California Industrial Farm for Women;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 777—An act appropriating money for the construction of buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 806—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Los Angeles Railway Company, a corporation, against the State of California.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 807—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 850—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to notices in cases of mortgaged property of decedents or minors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1043—An act to promote and increase the distribution and marketing of California grapes; to provide for an investigation of the methods to improve the quality of and demand for such products; and making an appropriation to carry out such investigation.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1153—An act directing the California Highway Commission to lay out, acquire rights of way and construct a State highway, extending

from the northerly boundary of the city of Vallejo to Sears Point on the Black Point cut-off; and making an appropriation for the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1231—An act to amend section 361 of the Political Code, relating to salary of the Director of Agriculture

Also Assembly Bill No. 1233—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Harold E Smith against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1275—An act appropriating money for improvements at the Humboldt State Teachers College;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1281—An act to make an appropriation to pay the claim of the Kingsburg Telephone Company,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1282—An act appropriating money for cannery inspection by the State Board of Health during the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 10—An act to amend section 4242 of the Political Code and to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4442*a*, relating to the salaries, fees, and expenses of officers and grand and trial jurors in counties of the thirteenth class,

Also Assembly Bill No 18—An act appropriating money for painting the interior, recarpeting, renovating, reupholstering and refinishing and replacing chairs and desks and replacing drapes in the Senate and Assembly chambers and offices connected therewith·

Also: Assembly Bill No. 67—An act to amend section 1188 of the Political Code, relating to independent nominations,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 88—An act to amend section 496 of the Penal Code, relating to the punishment for receiving stolen property;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 131—An act to amend section 4235 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the sixth class,

Also Assembly Bill No. 155—An act to amend section 464 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended,

Also Assembly Bill No. 159—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ccc*, relating to the salaries of superior court judges;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 205—An act to amend section 29 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, to permit the revocation of certificates of self-insurance, to make failure to secure the payment of compensation a misdemeanor, and to require employers to furnish the Industrial Accident Commission with statements showing the name of their insurance carrier or how they have secured the payment of compensation,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 207—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 365*d*, relating to the duties of the California Highway Commission,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 261—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, management, and dissolution of county fire protection districts, and annexations thereto, setting forth the powers of such districts and providing for levying and collecting taxes on property in such districts to defray the expenses thereof," approved May 23, 1923, and to add two new sections to said act to be numbered 10*a* and 10*b*, relating to organization and exclusion of territory and to service outside of district,

Also. Assembly Bill No. 266—An act to amend section 3440 of the Civil Code providing for the sale of stock of trade involved and providing for the liability of any auctioneer selling said stock,

Also Assembly Bill No. 275—An act to provide for the establishment within cities, towns, counties or consolidated cities and counties, of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements, percentage of lot that may be occupied, and density of population, may be regulated by ordinance, and repealing an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment within municipalities of districts or zones within which the use of property, height of improvements and required open spaces for light and ventilation of such buildings, may be regulated by ordinance," approved May 31, 1917;

Also Assembly Bill No 308—An act to amend section 1612 of the Political Code, relating to contracts by boards of school trustees and city boards of education;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 328—An act making an appropriation to pay any assessment that may be imposed against the State of California under the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization and governing of joint highway districts composed of two or more counties of the State of California," approved April 5, 1917, and amendments thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No 330—An act providing for the leasing of tide and submerged lands of the State of California filled in through dredging operations;

Also: Assembly Bill No 461—An act to amend section 900 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to judgment lien in justice's court;

Also. Assembly Bill No. 545—An act fixing the price, terms and conditions of sale at which jute goods shall be sold by the State, and providing for prosecution of and punishment of offenses under the same;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 602—An act to impose a license fee for the transportation of persons or property for hire or compensation upon public streets, roads and highways in the State of California by motor vehicle; to provide for certain exemptions; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions hereof and for the disposition of the amounts collected on account of such licenses; to make an appropriation for the purpose of this act; and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Also Assembly Bill No. 624—An act to provide for the investigation by the State of California of the possibilities of coordinating the development of the water resources of the State for public protection and to the end that they may be put to the greatest beneficial use, and making an appropriation for said purpose.

Also: Assembly Bill No 644—An act to amend sections 2754, 2755 and 2768 of the Political Code, relating to permanent road divisions.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 700—An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, and dissolution of hospital districts in any part of the State, for the construction and maintenance of hospitals; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody, and disbursement of taxes therein; the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof, and the determination of their validity and making provisions for the payment of such bonds, and the disposal of their proceeds.

Also Assembly Bill No. 734—An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of waterworks and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to elections.

Also Assembly Bill No 894—An act to regulate the planting of trees along the public highways of California and a plan for the planting, care, maintenance and replacement of trees along all public roads;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 922—An act to amend section 2526*a* of the Political Code, relating to the maintenance of fire boats in San Francisco Bay.

Also Assembly Bill No 980—An act to amend section 204*c* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the secretary of superior judges as jury commissioner.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1019—An act to amend section 241 of the Civil Code, relating to appointment of guardians by will or deed.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1023—An act to amend sections 1357 and 1359 of the Political Code, relating to absent voters;

Also Assembly Bill No 1054—An act to amend section 4233 of the Political Code, relating to county officers in counties of the fourth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1123—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered section 738*b*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court of the counties of Humboldt, Mendocino, Siskiyou and Lake.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1176—An act to amend section 529 of the Civil Code, relating to bridge, ferry, wharf, chute and pier corporations;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1208—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4184, creating the office of public guardian.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1226—An act to add two new sections to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*c*, and 738*b*, relating to salaries of judges of the superior court in and for the counties of Santa Clara and Sacramento.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1249—An act to amend the "California Water Storage District Act" approved June 3, 1921, as amended, by amending the title to said act, and sections 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 34, 38, 44, 45, 47, 49, 60, and 64 thereof by adding a new section to be numbered 19*a*, and relating to the reapportionment of assessments in case of the subdivision of lands by adding nineteen new sections, to be numbered sections 64*a*, 64*b*, 64*c*, 64*d*, 64*e*, 64*f*, 64*g*, 64*h*, 64*i*, 64*j*, 64*k*, 64*l*, 64*m*, 64*n*, 64*o*, 64*p*, 64*q*, and 64*r*, and relating to the inclusion and exclusion of lands in and from water storage districts, and the manner and incidents thereof, and by adding a new section, to be numbered 64*s*, and relating to the authority of guardians, executors and administrators, to act as owners of title or evidence of title.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1264—An act to amend sections 4041 and 4056*b* of the Political Code, relating to the general powers of boards of supervisors;

Also Assembly Bill No 1269—An act to amend section 551 of the Civil Code, relating to the construction of canals, flumes, and other appliances for conducting water over public highways.

Also Assembly Bill No 1302—An act providing for the preparation and printing of a supplement to the index of the Laws of California, and making an appropriation therefor

Also Assembly Bill No 1305—An act to amend section 4283 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries and fees of officers of counties of the fifty-fourth class.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 140—An act to amend section 464 of the Penal Code, relating to burglary with acetylene torch, electric arc or explosives.

Also Assembly Bill No. 642—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 536*c*, relating to the handling of farm products on consignment;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 15—An act relating to the Piute Pass State highway, appropriating money for the survey, location and estimate of cost of the State highway to be known as the Piute Pass State highway, from a point on the south fork of the San Joaquin River at Florence Lake, Fresno County, to North Lake on the north fork of Bishop Creek, Inyo County·

Also Assembly Bill No. 31—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to define real estate brokers and salesmen; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof, to create a State Real Estate Department and the office of Real Estate Commissioner to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing an act entitled 'An act to define real estate brokers, agents, salesmen, solicitors, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof· to create the office of Real Estate Commissioner, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved June 1, 1917, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved May 27, 1919, as amended, relating to the salary of the Real Estate Commissioner;

Also Assembly Bill No. 37—An act to amend section 626 of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also Assembly Bill No. 87—An act to add two new sections to an act entitled "An act for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, to be numbered 807*a* and 883*a*, providing for the filing with county clerks of certificates of election or appointment of judges of recorders' courts in cities of the fifth and sixth classes, and the certification by said county clerks of process issued by recorders' courts;

Also Assembly Bill No 153—An act to amend section 617 of the Civil Code, relating to funds of cemetery corporations for perpetual care of lots,

Also· Assembly Bill No 189—An act to provide for the creation of a Commission on Uniform State Laws, the appointment of commissioners thereto, and to appropriate money for traveling expenses,

Also Assembly Bill No. 214—An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the levy and collection of taxes by and for the use of municipal corporations and cities incorporated under the laws of the State of California, except municipal corporations of the first class, and to provide for the consolidation and abolition of certain municipal offices, and to provide that their duties may be performed by certain officers of the county, and fixing the compensation to be allowed for such county officers for the services so rendered to such municipal corporations," approved March 27, 1895, as amended, relating to compensation of certain officers;

Also· Assembly Bill No 231—An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to enable any water company organized under the laws of this State to cancel certain shares of stock hereinafter described, and in lieu thereof to issue a new certificate therefor to the owner of the land to which said shares of stock are attached or appurtenant," approved June 14, 1923,

Also· Assembly Bill No 262—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to establish, equip and maintain systems of street lights on public highways; to provide for the formation, government and operation of highway lighting districts, the calling and holding of elections in such districts, the assessment, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, and the creation of ex officio boards of supervisors" approved March 20, 1909, as amended, by amending section 18*b* thereof, relating to inclusion of territory by municipalities;

Also Assembly Bill No. 282—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 4049*b*, relative to publishing information by boards of supervisors,

Also Assembly Bill No 293—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code, to be numbered 1097, relating to determination of identity of person;

Also Assembly Bill No 397—An act to amend section 2207*j* and to add a new section to be numbered 2207*l*, of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received by the Industrial Home for the Blind,

Also Assembly Bill No 429—An act to authorize the legislative body of any city, county, school district or other public corporation to employ the services of trained experts, and pay the cost thereof;

Also· Assembly Bill No. 430—An act defining the power of municipalities to establish the grades of those portions of any State or county highway lying within their boundaries,

Also· Assembly Bill No 453—An act to abolish the labor bureau contingent fund;

Also· Assembly Bill No 474—An act to amend section 559 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to return of writs of attachment;

Also· Assembly Bill No 483—An act to amend section 51 of an act entitled "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1917," approved May 23, 1917, as amended, relating to disposition of moneys;

Also Assembly Bill No. 506—An act making an appropriation for the purchase of land for the San Francisco State Teachers College;

Also· Assembly Bill No 532—An act to amend section 515 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the deputy superintendent of public instruction;

Also Assembly Bill No. 570—An act to amend section 626*s* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 584—An act authorizing the State of California to exchange lots ten, eleven and twelve in block four of Diestelhorst's addition to the city of Redding, county of Shasta, State of California, for block five and lots six and seven in block six of said Diestelhorst's addition to said city of Redding, approving the negotiations heretofore conducted by the California Highway Commission for the effecting of such exchange and authorizing the payment of money on such exchange,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 597—An act to amend section 17 of "The California Economic Poison Act of 1921," approved June 3, 1921, relating to disposition of fees,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 607—An act providing for future water appropriations and reserving a portion of such waters for use on lands in counties wherein such waters originate and providing for the distribution, disposition, use and apportionment of such reserved waters,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 636—An act to amend sections 6 and 32*a* of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof, to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery, to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures, to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures, providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies, defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, and to add a new section thereto to be numbered 16*a*, relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, and penalties under this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 704—An act creating the California Military Reserve, providing for the appointment of officers therein, and when said reserve may be called into active service,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 738—An act to amend section 8 of, and to add a new section, to be numbered 10*b*, to an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation, government, operation, reorganization, dissolution and alteration of boundaries of sanitary districts in any part of the State, for the construction of sewers, septic tanks and other sanitary purposes; the acquisition of property thereby; the calling and conducting of elections in such districts; the assessment, levy, collection, custody and disbursement of taxes therein, the issuance and disposal of the bonds thereof and the determination of their validity and making provision for the payment of such bonds and the disposal of their proceeds; to empower sanitary boards to make and enforce sanitary regulations and providing penalties for violations thereof," approved May 25, 1919, as amended, relating to listing of property,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 799—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Thomas Byrne, against the State of California:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 800—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Clark and Henery Construction Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 801—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. C. Harter against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 802—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of Dan Murphy and R. J. Dillon, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 803—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of the Bankers Life Company, a corporation, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 804—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of A. Teichert and Company, against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 805—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of L. F. Sinsheimer, against the State of California,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 844—An act to amend section 2086 of the Political Code, relating to salaries in the office of the Adjutant General's office,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 903—An act to provide for the participation of the State of California in the Diamond Jubilee Celebration of the admission of California into the Union, and providing for the appointment of a committee, and making an appropriation therefor;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 930—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 632½, relating to the protection of fish and game,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1002—An act to appropriate money to be used to augment, develop and improve the water supply and the water system of the Whittier State School,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1012—An act to amend sections 4 and 6 of and to add a new section to be numbered 11 to an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare

Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, relating to the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1013—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the burial of ex union soldiers, sailors and marines dying without leaving sufficient means to defray burial expenses," approved March 15, 1889, as amended, by adding a new section thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1015—An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act providing for farm and home aid for veterans, defining the powers and duties of the Veterans' Welfare Board in respect thereto and making an appropriation therefor," approved May 30, 1921, and to add to said act a new section to be numbered 8*a*, making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of said act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1099—An act authorizing the Board of Control to dispose of certain lands in Los Angeles County and apply the proceeds to the purchase of other lands in said county;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1158—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1771*a*, relating to the use of the estate of a wife over which a guardian has been appointed by reason of incompetency;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1168—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for salaries of officers and employees, Chico State Teachers College, for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1169—An act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for compiling, printing, and distributing constitutional amendments for the seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth fiscal years;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1191—An act to add a new section, to be numbered 737*vv*, to the Political Code, relating to the salary of the superior court judge of Placer County;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1194—An act appropriating money to be used for malaria control by the State Board of Health;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1216—An act to regulate the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for tuberculosis for the purpose of receiving patients upon contract; to provide rules and regulations therefor, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1243—An act to amend section 1618*a* of the Political Code, relating to health supervision of schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1251—An act to amend section 852 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, relating to the powers of trustees;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1283—An act to amend section 689 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Department of Public Accounting;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1287—An act to amend section 1490 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to publication of notice to creditors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1293—An act to amend section 689 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the claims of third parties and indemnities to the sheriff;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1295—An act appropriating money for the purpose of investigating conditions for the resumption of hydraulic mining operations in the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1303—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Superintendent of Capitol Buildings and Grounds revolving fund,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1304—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Nautical School at San Francisco,

Also: Assembly Bill No 1306—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds in the text book royalty fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1307—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the California Irrigation Board revolving fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1308—An act to amend section 1 of "An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners, and repealing an act to amend an act entitled, 'An act to establish a Board of Parole Commissioners for the parole of, and government of paroled prisoners,' approved March 23, 1893," as amended, relating to parole;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1309—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Sacramento Drainage District fund;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1310—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the State Prison at San Quentin and to appropriate money therefor," approved June 12, 1915, relating to the balance in the San Quentin Prison manufacturing revolving fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1313—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act amending an act making an appropriation for the establishment of a permanent fund for the purchase of jute to be manufactured at the State Prison at San Quentin, approved March 9, 1885,' approved March 16, 1889, and to provide for the disposition and use of the surplus money received from the sale of jute goods and not needed for the 'revolving fund' provided for in said act," approved March 24, 1911, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1314—An act to create a revolving fund for the manufacturing departments of the Industrial Home for the Adult Blind.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1315—An act to provide for the reversion of unexpended balances of certain appropriations and funds of the Panama-California Exposition Commissioners;

Also, Assembly Bill No. 1316—An act to amend section 642 of the Political Code, relating to appointment of fish and game wardens;

Also Assembly Bill No. 73—An act to amend section 4277 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officials in counties of the forty-eighth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No 78—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*ab*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Merced;

Also: Assembly Bill No 401—An act to amend section 1 and section 2 of an act entitled "An act requiring the payment into the State Treasury of all moneys belonging to the State, received by the various State institutions, commissions, and officers *and directing the disposition of the same*," approved March 17, 1899, as amended, relating to the payment of State money into the treasury and abolishing certain special funds;

Also: Assembly Bill No 484—An act to amend section 1584 of the Penal Code, relating to the disposition of moneys received at San Quentin and Folsom prisons;

Also Assembly Bill No. 490—An act to amend section 753 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the Supreme Court

Also, Assembly Bill No. 491—An act to amend section 760 of the Political Code, relating to the disposition of fees of the courts of appeal.

Also: Assembly Bill No 500—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the confinement, care and reformation of delinquent women, to provide for its maintenance, conduct and government, to provide for commitment and admission thereto, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved May 3, 1913, *relating to deposit of moneys*.

Also Assembly Bill No. 501—An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled "An act to establish an institution for the care, confinement and instruction of feeble-minded and epileptic persons, to provide for the government and maintenance thereof and for the study of mental deficiency and related problems, to provide for admission and commitment to such institution, and to provide penalties for unlawfully or improperly contriving to have persons adjudged feeble-minded under this act; to provide for the sterilization of inmates of such institutions, to provide penalties for procuring the escape or aiding or advising in the escape of inmates, or concealing inmates thereof; to provide a contingent fund for the use of such institution and to make appropriation therefor," approved June 1, 1917, relating to the contingent fund;

Also Assembly Bill No 599—An act to amend sections 9 and 11 and to repeal sections 12 and 16 of the "State Market Commission Act," approved June 1, 1917, as amended, relating to the disposition of moneys;

Also Assembly Bill No. 647—An act to amend section 737*b* of the Political Code, relating to the salary of judges of the superior court in Imperial County;

Also Assembly Bill No 681—An act to amend section 410 of the Political Code, relating to the distribution of the laws, resolutions and journals of Legislature; of reports of Supreme Court,

Also Assembly Bill No 788—An act to amend section 2982 of the Political Code, relating to the salary of the secretary and the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health;

Also Assembly Bill No 1122—An act to amend section 3818 of the Political Code, relative to partial redemptions from sale to State for delinquent taxes.

Also Assembly Bill No 1154—An act to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the support of the State government for the seventy-seventh and seventy-eighth fiscal years;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1312—An act to amend section 22 of the "Inheritance Tax Act," approved June 3, 1921, as amended;

Also Assembly Bill No 1100—An act to amend section 4247 of the Political Code, relating to salaries and fees of officers in counties of the eighteenth class;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1245—An act to amend sections 10, 23 and 24 of an act entitled "An act to provide for work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, as amended, relating to the doing of work upon water systems of cities;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1047—An act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to provide for local improvements upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities, such act to be known as 'The Local Improvement Act of 1901,'" which became a law under constitutional provision without the Governor's approval February 26, 1901, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1294—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for work done upon streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks, and for the construction of sewers within municipalities," approved March 18, 1885, as amended, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 3½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1296—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and change of grade of public streets, lanes, alleys, courts, places and rights of way and of any of the following avenues of public travel, namely, tunnels, subways, viaducts, bridges or independent subterranean ways in municipalities and providing for the construction or improvement thereof, in cases where any damage to private property would result in such improvement and for the assessment of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, upon the property benefited thereby and to provide a system of local improvement bonds to represent the assessments for the costs, damages and expenses of such improvement and for the payment and effect of such bonds," approved June 16, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1298—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the work in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, and for establishing and changing the grades of any such streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks and providing for the issuance and payment of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost thereof and providing a method for the payment of such bonds," approved April 7, 1911, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered 10½, relating to alternative plans and specifications and procedure to be followed in relation thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 335—An act to amend section 113 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to concurrent jurisdiction;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 863—An act to amend section 1208 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to liens upon animals;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1204—An act to amend section 564 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the appointment of receivers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1220—An act to amend section 3785*b* of the Political Code, relating to sale of property for delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1223—An act to amend section 581*a* of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to dismissal of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 29—An act to amend section 3 of the "Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act of 1913," approved May 26, 1913, as amended, relating to the salaries of the commissioners thereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 33—An act to amend section 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations" approved March 13, 1883, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 92—An act to amend section 758 of the Political Code, relating to salaries of employees of the district courts of appeal;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 197—An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 256—An act to amend section 453 of the Civil Code, relating to assessments and to by-laws which may be made for mutual benefit and life associations;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 329—An act to amend section 16 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system, based upon investigation as to merit, efficiency and fitness, for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under state authority and, in that behalf, to create a state civil service commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to appointment to positions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 399—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities, and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended, relating to assessment and collection of taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 487—An act to amend section 2167*b* of the Political Code, relating to psychopathic parole;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 933—An act to repeal section 628*i* of the Penal Code, relating to the protection of fish and game;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1121—An act to amend section 17 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds to represent and be secured by certain assessments made for the cost of certain work and improvements made in and upon streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places and sidewalks within municipalities and upon property and rights of way owned by municipalities, to provide for the collection of such assessments, the sale of the property affected thereby and for the payment of the bonds so issued," approved June 11, 1915, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 77—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 737*a*, relating to the salary of the superior judge of the county of Alpine;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 183—An act to amend "An act to allow unincorporated towns and villages to equip and maintain a fire department, and to assess and collect taxes, from time to time, for such purposes, and to create a Board of Fire Commissioners," approved March 4, 1881, as amended, by the addition thereto of a new section to be numbered 24½, providing for the annexation of unincorporated territory to a fire district;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 255—An act to regulate the working hours of employees engaged in selling, at retail, drugs and medicines, and compounding physicians' prescriptions, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 297—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 53 thereof, relating respectively to the construction of works and the compensation of officers;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 303—An act to amend section 3787 of the Political Code, relating to the effect of certain deeds to the State;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 333—An act regulating the practice of professional engineering, providing for the creation and establishment of a State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers; granting certain powers to and prescribing the duties of said board, providing for the examination and registration of professional engineers, and providing penalties for the violation of this act.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 451—An act to amend sections 1, 2, and 2¼, 3, 5, 7, 9, 15, 17, 21¾, 22, 29, 30, 31, 38, 39, 45 and 46 and to repeal sections 32 and 38 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 28, 1917, as amended, and to add seven new sections to be numbered 2*a*, 14*a*, 14*b*, 14*c*, 14*d*, 21*a* and 22*a*;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 613—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a general system based on investigation as to merit, efficiency, and fitness for appointment to and holding during good behavior of office and employment under State authority and, in that behalf, to create a State Civil Service Commission, to prescribe its powers and duties, to make the wilful violation of the provisions of this act a misdemeanor, to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the appointment and salaries of the State Civil Service Commissioners;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 639—An act to amend sections 16 and 17 of an act entitled "An act to establish a standard of weights and measures in the State of California; to regulate weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices and providing for the inspection and sealing thereof; to prevent the use and sale of false weights and measures and weighing and measuring instruments and devices; providing for the inspection, measurement and weighing of goods, commodities, wares, packages and amounts of commodities kept for sale or in process of delivery; to prevent the sale of goods, wares and merchandise by false weights and measures; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; for the admission in evidence of copies of the State's standard of weights and measures; providing for the appointment of officers to enforce and carry into effect the provisions of this act including a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures and his deputy, sealers of weights and measures and their deputies; defining the powers and duties of such officers; and making an appropriation to carry this act into effect," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to the sealer of weights and measures, and penalties under this act;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 657—An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of upholstered furniture; providing for the labeling of the same, providing for the licensing of persons manufacturing, selling, or repairing upholstered furniture; and creating the upholstered furniture inspection fund;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 669—An act to amend sections 3, 764 and 852*a* of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, as amended, and to add a new section, to be numbered 752*c*;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 895—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to secure the payment of claims of persons employed by contractors upon public works, and the claims of persons who furnish materials, supplies, teams, implements or machinery used or consumed by such contractors in the performance of such works, and prescribing the duties of certain public officers with respect thereto," approved May 10, 1919, so as to give a right of action against the surety or sureties on the contractor's bond independent of a right of action against the board, commission, officer, or other body by whom the contract was awarded, to make said bonds inure to the benefit of such claimants, making such claims prior to any assignments and providing that all persons against whom claims may be filed

under this act may, by furnishing an additional bond, release funds withheld by public authorities on account of verified claims theretofore filed;

Also: Assembly Bill No 1196—An act to amend sections 17, 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into fish and game districts,' and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to divide the State of California into six fish and game districts,' approved March 21, 1911, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved May 19, 1915, as amended, relating to the boundaries of fish and game districts eighteen and nineteen;

Also, Assembly Bill No 1255—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal utility districts, authorizing such districts to incur bonded indebtedness for the acquisition and construction of works and property, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest thereon," approved May 23, 1921, as amended, relating to powers of the districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1274—An act to amend sections 4307 and 4308 of the Political Code, relating to county charges and the district attorney's special fund;

Also, Assembly Bill No 589—An act to amend section 365c of the Political Code of the State of California and to add sections 365d, 365e, 365f, 365g, 365h, 365i, 365j, 365k, 365l, 365m, 365n, 365o and 365p to the said code, all referring to the powers and duties of the California Highway Commission;

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

Also:

MR SPEAKER: Your Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment has examined the following:

Assembly Bill No 826—An act to amend section 1598 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the giving of notice for hearing petitions to complete contracts for sale of real or personal property,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 840—An act to amend section 19x4 of the "Juvenile Court Law," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of the probation officer and assistants in counties of the fourth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 857—An act appropriating money for the construction of a State armory at Griffith Park, Los Angeles;

Also, Assembly Bill No 892—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act relating to immigrants and immigration, creating a Commission of Immigration and Housing, providing for the employment by said commission of a secretary, agents and other employees authorizing the said commission to fix their compensation, prescribing the duties of said commission, providing for the investigation by said commission of all things affecting immigrants, and for the care, protection and welfare of immigrants, and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions thereof," approved June 12, 1913, as amended, to be numbered 18, relating to the disposition of records;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 324—An act to provide for the gathering of data concerning teachers of California who are bound by the provisions of "An act to provide for the payment of retirement salaries to the public school teachers of this State; creating a public school teachers' retirement salary fund and also a public school teachers' permanent fund, providing for the administration of such funds and making an appropriation for the uses of said funds," approved June 16, 1913;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 337—An act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the use and operation of vehicles upon the public highways and elsewhere, to provide for the registration and identification of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers and for the payment of registration fees therefor; to provide for the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles; to prohibit certain persons from operating vehicles upon the public highways; to prohibit the possession or use of or injury to a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner thereof, and to prohibit the offer to or acceptance by certain persons of any bonus or discount or other consideration for the purchase of supplies or parts for motor vehicles, or for work or repair done thereon, to provide for records to be kept by persons operating public garages and for notices to be given by owners of private garages; to provide penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and to provide for the disposition of fines and forfeitures imposed thereon; to limit the power of local authorities to enact or enforce ordinances, rules or regulations in regard to matters embraced within the provisions of this act; to provide for the disposition of registration and license fees, fines and forfeitures collected hereunder; to provide for the organization, powers and duties and for the maintenance of the Division of Motor Vehicles, to provide for carrying out the objects of this act, and to make appropriation therefor; to provide for the time this act shall go into effect, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved May 30, 1923, relating to the definition of pneumatic and cushion tires;

Also, Assembly Bill No 388—An act to amend section 3804a of the Political Code, relating to cancellation of taxes,

Also Assembly Bill No. 389—An act to amend section 3831 of the Political Code, relating to revenue and taxation.

Also Assembly Bill No. 403—An act to amend section 681 of the Political Code, relating to the powers of the Board of Control;

Also Assembly Bill No 414—An act to amend section 4255 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-sixth class

Also Assembly Bill No 518—An act to amend section 287 of the Civil Code, relating to how corporations may continue their existence under the code.

Also Assembly Bill No. 543—An act to add a new section to be numbered 9*a* and to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, and to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy assessments to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes and other works and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said districts," approved March 20, 1905, as amended, relating to disposition of funds;

Also Assembly Bill No 558—An act to amend section 23*a* of the "Water Commission Act," approved June 16, 1913, as amended, relating to permit for water rights.

Also Assembly Bill No. 582—An act to amend section 1158 of the Civil Code, in reference to the acceptance of grants of real estate made to a political corporation or governmental agency prior to the recording of the deed therefor;

Also Assembly Bill No 585—An act to add a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 1184*d*, relating to the furnishing of bonds by persons against whom claims are filed, and prescribing the duties of public officers in respect thereto;

Also Assembly Bill No. 631—An act to define collection agencies, to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing thereof; to provide for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 634—An act to amend section 373*a* of the Penal Code, relating to public nuisances;

Also Assembly Bill No 663—An act to amend sections 199 and 200 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to qualifications and exemptions of jurors.

Also: Assembly Bill No 688—An act to provide for the acquisition of, including the laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, and acquiring in any manner, in whole or in part, and for the improvement of and work upon public highways, roads, streets, avenues, boulevards lanes, alleys, courts, places, parks, pleasure grounds, commons, and all public ways and other property and rights of way of the public, including any property over which possession and right of use have been obtained under the provisions of section 14 of article I of the constitution of the State of California in whole or in part, whether lying entirely within unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of a municipality, or lying within such unincorporated territory and one or more municipalities, or lying within two or more municipalities, or forming the exterior boundary of any municipality where the same joins unincorporated territory of a county or the territory of another municipality, whether partly or wholly within or without said boundary, and the establishment and change of grade thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs and expenses of such acquisitions and such work and improvements, and the issuance and effect of bonds therefor and the payment of such bonds by special assessment taxes raised in assessment districts established for that purpose, and the enforcement of such bonds and taxes, and providing for aid from counties and municipalities in such acquisitions, work and improvements; and providing for the establishment and administration of revolving funds to assist in the carrying out of such acquisitions, work and improvements;

Also Assembly Bill No. 736—An act to amend section 1576 of the Political Code relative to incorporated cities and school districts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 751—An act to promote the development of the California canned fruit industry and to prevent deception in the packing and sale of canned fruit by establishing and defining certain standards for canned fruit of the varieties herein named, defining the powers and duties of the Director of the Department of Agriculture in relation hereto, including the collection of fees, creating a board of appeal and defining its powers and duties in relation hereto and fixing the compensation of the members thereof, prescribing penalties for violations hereof and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions hereof;

Also Assembly Bill No 789—An act appropriating money to pay the expenses of erecting a suitable building, and of collecting and maintaining an exhibit of the products of the State of California, at the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be held in the city of Reno, Nevada, in 1926, and to provide for a commissioner thereof;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1026—An act to add a new chapter to be numbered IV to title XIII of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to appeals from municipal courts;

Also Assembly Bill No. 1029—An act to add a new title to the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil proceedings in municipal courts.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1031—An act to amend section 398 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to change of place of trial of actions;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1034—An act to add two new sections to the Penal Code, to be numbered 1462 and 1463, relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal courts and the disposition of all moneys collected therein;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1036—An act to amend sections 1466, 1467, 1468, and 1469 of the Penal Code, and to add a new section 1468*a*, relating to appeals from municipal courts, justices' courts and police courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1037—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 4300*l*, relating to fees of officers, witnesses and jurors in municipal courts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1083—An act to amend sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17 and 25 of an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation and supervision of companies, brokers, agents, and sales of securities as the same are therein defined, and to prevent fraud in the sale of securities; providing for the enforcement of said act and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State Corporation Department and the office of Commissioner of Corporations," approved May 18, 1917, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1230—An act to add a new section to the Civil Code to be numbered 290*g*, relating to stock without any nominal or par value;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 72—An act declaring the county road in Calaveras County, extending from Angels Camp through Vallecita and Murphy to Calaveras Big Trees in the national forest to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 206—An act to add a new section to the Penal Code, to be numbered 588*d*, relating to the preservation against defacement of the public highways of the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 265—An act to amend section 2967 of the Civil Code, relating to foreclosures of mortgages;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 320—An act to amend "The California Irrigation District Act," approved March 31, 1897, as amended, by amending section 39*f* thereof, relating to the payment of tolls and charges for the use of water and making the same a lien upon the lands upon which such water is used and making the same a part of the annual assessment levied by said district;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 417—An act to add to the Political Code a new section to be numbered 2922*l*, relating to infested or infected fruit, nuts and vegetables;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 654—An act to add a new article to chapter V of title II of part IV of the Political Code to be numbered article XII and to include section 4149*a*, relating to the appointment, duties and removal from office of county dairy inspectors;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 795—An act declaring the public highway extending from Lincoln to Newcastle, in the county of Placer, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 808—An act appropriating money to pay the claim of H. K. Landram, against the State of California;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 942—An act to amend section 57 of and to add a new section to be numbered 53*a* to the "California Vehicle Act," approved May 30, 1923;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 982—An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921, relating to powers of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1057—An act declaring the highway leading from Sonora, thence to Coulterville, thence to Bagby, thence to the town of Mariposa, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1058—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the redemption of property which has been heretofore sold to irrigation districts for delinquent assessments," approved March 10, 1891, relating to delinquent assessments and rates thereon;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1084—An act to create and define the powers and duties of a State Commission to represent the State in arranging and carrying out a program for the celebration of the bicentennial of the birth of George Washington;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1197—An act declaring the road beginning at Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County and passing through Round Valley and Mendocino pass and down Grindstone creek water course, and connecting with a point on the Pacific highway, to be a State highway;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1241—An act to amend sections 15, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and organization and management of county water districts, and to provide for the acquisition of water rights or construction thereby of water works and for the acquisition of all property necessary therefor, and also to provide for the distribution and sale of water by said districts," approved June 10, 1913, as amended, relating to bonded indebtedness of such districts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1248—An act to amend section 15 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of junior college districts and for the maintenance of junior colleges therein," approved May 27, 1921, relating to payments to county superintendents of schools;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1265—An act authorizing and empowering any two or more municipal corporations in this State to jointly develop and produce water for

domestic, manufacturing, and industrial purposes, to jointly acquire, construct, own, possess, operate, maintain, and use all real and personal property necessary to develop and furnish such municipal corporations with an adequate supply of water for such purposes at their joint expense, and to enter into, carry out, and enforce all necessary contracts for that purpose.

Also: Assembly Bill No 1268—An act to amend section 540 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the issuance of writs of attachment

Also: Assembly Bill No 1284—An act to provide the powers and duties that may be conferred upon the city prosecutor in a city or city and county operating under a freeholders' charter.

Also: Assembly Bill No. 215—An act to add a new section to an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization and government of public cemetery districts," approved June 1, 1921 to be numbered 13, relating to inclusion and exclusion of territory in public cemetery districts.

Also: Assembly Bill No 718—An act regulating the buying, receiving as a pledge and shipping of builders' tools, and requiring every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, either as pawnbroker or otherwise, to keep a register of all such tools bought or received as a pledge, or shipped or otherwise transmitted to any place outside the county in which the same were bought or received as a pledge, and to deliver daily, except on legal holidays, a copy of such register, to the chief of police, city marshal, town marshal, or other head of the police department, or to the sheriff of the county; and prescribing a penalty for violation of the act:

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1074—An act to amend section 190 of the Penal Code, relating to murder in the second degree;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 1291—An act to amend sections 1, 15 and 18 and to add a new section, to be numbered 19, to "An act to establish a State Training School for Girls, to provide for the maintenance and management of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved June 14, 1913, as amended;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 81—An act to amend section 1925 of an act entitled "An act to be known as the Juvenile Court Law, and concerning persons under the age of twenty-one years; and in certain cases providing for their care, custody and maintenance, providing for the probationary treatment of such persons, and for the commitment of such persons to the Whittier State School and the Preston School of Industry, the California School for Girls, and other institutions, establishing probation officers and a probation committee to deal with such persons and fixing the salary thereof, providing for the establishment of detention homes for such persons, fixing the method of procedure and treatment or commitment where crimes have been committed by such persons, providing for the punishment of those guilty of offenses with reference to such persons, and defining such crimes; and repealing the Juvenile Court Law approved March 8, 1909, as amended by an act approved April 5, 1911, and as amended by an act approved June 16, 1913, and all amendments thereof and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith," approved June 5, 1915, as amended, relating to the salaries of probation officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 83—An act to amend section 4254 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the twenty-fifth class;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 134—An act to add a new section to the Political Code, to be numbered 1624, relating to the sale of school property by one district to another;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 142—An act to amend sections 3751 and 3817 of the Political Code, relating to delinquent taxes;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 164—An act to amend section 4248 of the Political Code, relating to the salaries, fees and expenses of officers in counties of the nineteenth class,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 225—An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and supervision of produce dealer engaged in the handling, receiving or selling for farm products and to create the produce dealers' license fund; to define the purposes of the act and the terms used therein: to define the powers and duties of the State Director of Agriculture with reference thereto: to provide for the keeping of certain records concerning the sale of farm products; to declare certain acts to be offenses, to establish the jurisdiction thereof, and fix the penalties therefor, to repeal all conflicting acts or parts of acts;

Also: Assembly Bill No. 250—An act to regulate the procuring of persons to take the places of employees in anticipation of or during strikes, lockouts or other labor troubles, and repealing an act entitled "An act to regulate advertisements and solicitations for employees during strikes, lockouts and other labor troubles," approved June 7, 1913,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 305—An act to amend section 1608 of the Political Code, relating to the powers and duties of boards of school trustees and city boards of education,

Also: Assembly Bill No. 473—An act to amend section 868 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to writs of attachment,

Also, Assembly Bill No 533—An act adding a new section to the Civil Code of this State, to be numbered section 2205 and relating to the liability of stage lines,

transfer companies and other common carriers operating over public highways for loss or damage to baggage.

Also Assembly Bill No. 598—An act to amend sections 1510, 1511*b* and 1514 of the Penal Code, relating to the powers and duties of coroners.

Also Assembly Bill No. 637—An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act establishing and standardizing the weight of loaves of bread and regulating the sale thereof," approved June 2, 1921, relating to weight of loaves of bread.

Also Assembly Bill No. 827—An act to amend section 1578 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining authority to mortgage or execute a deed of trust of the property of estate of decedents or of persons under guardianship.

Also Assembly Bill No. 823—An act to amend section 1580 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the sale of mining property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardianship.

Also Assembly Bill No. 824—An act to amend section 1579 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the manner of obtaining an order to lease the real property of the estate of a decedent or of a person under guardian.

Also Assembly Bill No. 878—An act to amend sections 1 and 8 of an act entitled "An act to authorize and control the deposit in banks of money belonging to or in the custody of the State and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act," approved April 12, 1923.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1006—An act to amend section 3714 of the Political Code, relating to bonded indebtedness.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1142—An act to add a new section to the Political Code to be numbered 1893*a*, relating to publication of school notices.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1227—An act to amend section 4280 of the Political Code, concerning the duties, powers, and salaries of county and township officers of counties of the fifty-first class.

Also Assembly Bill No. 1252—An act to amend section 1631 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to accounting and settlements by executors and administrators.

And reports that the same have been correctly enrolled, and presented the same to the Governor on this twenty-fourth day of April, 1925, at eleven o'clock a.m.

ROBERTS, Chairman.

COMMUNICATION

The following communication was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CALIFORNIA STATE LIBRARY,
SACRAMENTO, April 30, 1925.

Honorable Frank F. Merriam,
P. O. Box 344, Long Beach, California.

MY DEAR MR. MERRIAM: We have received the gavel presented to the California Assembly by the Board of Park Commissioners, Cambridge, Massachusetts, and will be glad to keep it for you here at the State Library.

We have received also the original of the reported transcript of proceedings before the special committee to investigate the conduct of officers and members of the Assembly, and it will be filed here for reference purposes. We are pleased to be the custodian of the gavel and the other material for the Assembly.

Sincerely yours,

MILTON J. FERGUSON,
State Librarian

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following messages from the Governor were taken up, read, and ordered printed in the Journal:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 4 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill provides for a system of pensions for aged persons, creates a commission, and appropriates $25,000 for carrying the act into effect. An old age pension would tend to encourage wastefulness and extravagance and would be an injustice to those who practice thrift and economy. The law at present provides for caring for aged persons so that this bill is unnecessary.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 102 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill appropriates $25,000 for the eradication of camel's thorn. This is a local matter

and should be handled by the supervisors of the one county where there are weeds of this character.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No 151 is returned herewith without my approval This bill would add the county road between Beegum in Shasta County to Peanut in Trinity County to the State highway system. It should not be placed in the system at this time. This road parallels the State road from Redding to Arcata.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 169 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill provides that every person peddling or dealing in poultry must enter in a book to be kept for that purpose the name and address of those from whom they purchase fowls if of a number of six or more. This measure should have been made a part of the Penal Code and not a general statute.

Early in the session I disapproved bills of this nature but the authors of this bill do not seem to have taken any warning. It is important that the penal statutes should be kept in the Penal Code where they belong

At the present time some counties have ordinances covering the relief desired, and it seems to me that this should more properly be a matter of county regulation than of the State.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 242 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill provides that upon direction of a "commissioner of institutions," or upon application of a child or the parents or guardian thereof, it shall be the duty of any State hospital or State institution to make preparation to afford treatment, nursing, medical and surgical treatment to injured children No provision is made in the bill for any compensation to be paid. While the bill refers to the commissioner of institutions, it probably means the Director of Institutions, and the Director of Institutions says that he does not believe that the class of children referred to in the bill should properly be cared for in State hospitals for the insane, or in the reform schools, or the homes for feeble-minded or epileptics.

The superintendents of the various State institutions have expressed themselves in regard to this bill in the following manner.

Dr Reily of Patton: "Unless our State hospitals are equipped with a full general hospital unit, which could be conducted exclusive of the department devoted to the care of the insane it would seem to me entirely unfair to the deformed, crippled and injured children to place them in contact with insane patients, which we would be obliged to do under present conditions.

'If the State intends to go into the general hospital business, in connection with our State hospital organization, then, an appropriation should be made for a substantial general hospital unit in connection with each institution, which can be devoted to the care of these children With our present organization it would be quite impossible to segregate crippled children, and such medical and surgical care that they would be given we would be obliged to give in our receiving and treatment building, which is primarily intended for the care of the insane."

Dr. Butler, of the Sonoma State Home, says: "This measure should be opposed, as it does away with the original purpose of the respective institutions, and besides, so far as I know, none of the institutions has sufficient room for the cases who are really eligible under the present law Furthermore, in my opinion, it would not seem fair to house normal crippled children in the State institutions."

Dr. Walton, of the Ventura School for Girls, says: "The treatment of cripples is a specialty needing special apparatus and equipment in many cases. It seems as if the U. C Hospital might undertake such work. In any event, Preston, Whittier, and the California School for Girls should not be included in the group to do this work, as we must keep before the public that we are not hospitals but training schools, with a medical feature as one of the accessories to the training."

Dr. Scanland, of the Napa State Hospital, says: "I am in favor of the State making provision for the surgical and other care of deformed and crippled children,

but I am not in favor of such cases being received at the State hospitals for the insane. Crippled children and mental cases should not be associated in the same institution for the sake of both classes."

Dr. Smith, of Mendocino State Hospital, says: "It would be a bad policy to have crippled children cared for in an institution for the insane, feeble-minded and epileptics, to say nothing of institutions of the nature of Whittier and Preston."

Dr. Clark, of Stockton State Hospital, says: "The provisions of Assembly Bill No. 242 are ridiculous and out of all reason if it applies to State hospitals for the insane. Crippled children and insane patients are incompatible and certainly would be a bad mixture in the same hospital."

Dr. Wayte, of the Norwalk State Hospital, says: "If this bill should become a law, there should be a provision to exclude the State hospitals and institutions."

Dr. Stocking, of the Agnews State Hospital, says: "If this bill would permit sending to State hospitals deformed, crippled, and injured children, then I do not think it should pass. It would necessitate additions to the State hospitals with entirely different provisions than for the class they now receive, would necessitate the increase of medical staff, nursing force and equipment. If there is need for the State to assume the medical and surgical treatment of this class, then I think it should be in a separate and distinct institution."

Mr. Nelles, of the Whittier State School, says: "The State schools are not places to undertake such work, yet they surely are State institutions, as are other places no more suitable."

Mr. Close, of the Preston State School, says: "If this bill becomes a law it will likely be necessary to increase hospital facilities in the State institutions. To correct physical defects, causing children to be crippled, requires a long period of care and treatment. If State hospitals can treat crippled children and remedy defects, I am certain people will avail themselves of the opportunity to secure the service."

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 255 is returned herewith without my approval.

This bill is returned without my approval for the reasons set forth in returning Senate Bill No. 162 which is an identical bill.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 281 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill appropriates $100,000 for building a State highway from Middleton to Lower Lake. It is not advisable at the present time to appropriate money for this purpose. The Highway Commission and the Highway Engineer do not approve the bill.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 383 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 822 of the Penal Code, relating to the arrest of persons charged with misdemeanor in another county. The amendment would permit a person charged with any felony, except murder, arrested in a county other than the county in which the complaint is pending, to be taken before a magistrate in the county in which he is arrested and be admitted to bail. The present section limits the right of the defendant if arrested in another county to give bail in cases of misdemeanor only. The present section of the law has stood unchanged for the past fifty-two years and there seems to be no adequate reason for changing it at this time. In felony cases there would appear to be danger of a release upon insufficient bond where the facts of the case were not as well understood. The present law has never proved oppressive and has apparently worked no injustice.

This bill does not meet with the approval of district attorneys, who think it would be a dangerous practice inasmuch as magistrates in counties other than that in which the offense was committed would know nothing concerning the facts of an important case whereon to base orders fixing the amount of bail. They point out that there would be extreme danger of bail being fixed in an amount not commensurate with the offense committed, and that a straw bail might be given

The present law very properly makes a distinction between felony and misdemeanor cases.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 384 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends section 821 of the Penal Code relating to arrests of persons charged with felonies

This bill is returned without approval for the reasons set forth in returning Assembly Bill No. 383.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 478 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill adds section 476b to the Penal Code, relating to the drawing of checks and providing for punishment The bill reduces the punishment for issuing fraudulent checks from a felony to a misdemeanor The bill also changes the rules of evidence pertaining to prosecution for offenses of this kind and permits the introduction of hearsay evidence. It will also deny the defendant the right to be confronted with witnesses against him and to have the opportunity to cross-examine them.

Section 476a of the Penal Code covers the same subject as the proposed bill. If the present bill should become a law, then there would be two sections of the Penal Code upon the same subject which would tend to make prosecution difficult. A prominent jurist who has had much to do with criminal cases, in speaking of this bill says: "It would make it a misdemeanor only to pass a check or draft with intent to defraud, where the party has not sufficient funds to pay it I consider this a bad measure for, in my opinion, it repeals by implication section 476a which makes the same offense a felony or misdemeanor in the discretion of the court. If this bill becomes a law a man could fraudulently obtain $10,000 on his check and can be punished for a misdemeanor only."

In the opinion of prominent jurists, section 476a, which is the provision of the Penal Code as it now stands, is much broader than this proposed law Under the present law any person who issues a check in the name of a corporation can be convicted if it be proved that the corporation has no funds or credit with the bank Under this bill this has been changed and the statute weakened and a defendant may be enabled to issue and pass checks, signing the name of a corporation, with the possibility of conviction very doubtful

The last eleven lines of the proposed bill require the defendant to pay a certain amount of charges for collecting the amount of a bad check and if he does not pay said added charges of collecting, the defendant then comes under the prima facie rule of evidence there set forth. The title of the bill is evidently not broad enough to cover these provisions in the bill

This bill, in the opinion of attorneys and jurists is loosely drawn, will not accomplish the beneficial purposes for which it is intended, and will jeopardize the present section of the Penal Code in regard to bad checks There is need for an amendment to the present section, and I regret that this bill is in such shape that it can not be signed

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 500 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends the present act regarding the Farm for Delinquent Women The bill is defective in wording.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 706 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill authorizes the Director of Agriculture to operate a leased wire to certain cities and appropriates $20,000 for the purpose This is not a proper State function.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 776 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill appropriates $50,000 for salaries and maintenance of the officers and employees of the California Industrial Farm for Women. This appropriation would be a futile waste of money as there are no officers or employees to receive the compensation. The bill is defective as the Legislature has decided that salaries and maintenance must be in separate items. This bill combines the two items in one.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 1266 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill appropriates $100,000 for a building and exhibits at the Philadelphia Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition I see no reason why the State's money should be expended in this manner. There are many valuable purposes in California to which this $100,000 could be applied.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No 1234 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill changes the name of the Southern California State Hospital to Patton Hospital. This bill was drawn at my request but unfortunately it is so worded that all commitments from Southern California would have to go to Patton Hospital and none could be sent to the Norwalk State Hospital except by transfer from Patton

While this bill and a number of others could be held up for the thirty-day period, I prefer to return them to your honorable body and get them out of the way for action on other bills.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No 1202 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill appropriates $25,000 for the prevention of fires in the hills of Alameda and Contra Costa counties The prevention of fires is a city and county duty. This bill was passed on the false argument of protecting the property of the University of California The regents have made no request for this appropriation and are entirely satisfied with the $2,000,000 increase given the University in the budget appropriation bill

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California

Assembly Bill No. 1197 is returned herewith without my approval This bill adds the road from Longvale on the Redwood highway in Mendocino County to a point on the Pacific highway to the State highway system. This road should not be added to the State system at this time

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No 1125 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill amends the Civil Service Act so that an employee can be tried only by the Civil Service Commission Under the present law an employee may be tried either by the Civil Service Commission or by the appointing power

There has been no demand for a change in the present law.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 1043 is returned herewith without my approval This bill appropriates $10,000 for the use of the University of California in making an investigation in regard to the acid and sugar contents of grapes. The University has received an ample appropriation and the regents have not asked for the approval of this bill. The present University budget shows an increase of more than $2,000,000 over any previous budget

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 903 is returned herewith without my approval This bill provides for the appointment of a committee of five members of each House of the Legislature to be known as a Diamond Jubilee Celebration Committee, and appropriates $2,500 for their expenses. The Diamond Jubilee in San Francisco on September 9, 1925, deserves every encouragement but I can not see how the appropriation of $2,500 for a jubilee for members of the Legislature can in any way help the Diamond Jubilee.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 857 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill appropriates $10,000 for an armory at Griffith Park No adequate reason has been presented for expending this money.

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No. 795 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill places the road between Lincoln and Newcastle, in Placer County, in the State highway system. This is clearly a county road and should not be added to the State system. The State has dealt generously with Placer County.

Respectfully submitted.

FRIEND WM. RICHARDSON, Governor.

Also:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
SACRAMENTO, April 24, 1925.

To the Assembly of the State of California.

Assembly Bill No 777 is returned herewith without my approval. This bill appropriates $100,000 for the purpose of erecting buildings for the California Industrial Farm for Women. This appropriation is unnecessary at this time. A poll of the Legislature shows that a very large majority of the members were against the bill and many have called to ask me to withhold my approval.

This farm in the past has proved a failure I asked many members of the Senate and Assembly to vote for this bill in order to save themselves embarrassment, and assured them that I was perfectly willing to assume full responsibility for refusing to mulct the taxpayers to provide a free sanitarium for adult delinquent women. The State is providing ample funds for the reformation of girls at the Ventura State Home, and if any money is expended for the purpose of aiding in the reforming of delinquents it should be expended on this home The matter of taking care of adult delinquent women and providing for their reformation is a city function which should be taken care of by the metropolitan cities and not placed as a tax burden upon hundreds of smaller cities which have no problem of this kind

Respectfully submitted

FRIEND WM RICHARDSON, Governor.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Hon. Walter J. Little of the Sixty-second Assembly District, and Hon. A C Finney of the

Seventy-eighth Assembly District, to serve as members of the Lower Basin Legislative Committee, provided for under the terms of Senate Joint Resolution No. 28, to meet with similar committees from the states of Arizona and Nevada.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO PREPARE ARGUMENTS.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following members to prepare arguments for and against the proposed constitutional amendments:

For Constitutional Amendment No. 11, Hon. A. E. Brock and Hon. H B. Scudder. Against, Hon J. J. Murphy.

For Constitutional Amendment No. 14, Hon. A. A. Rosenshine and Hon. Frank C. Weller. Against, Hon. R. J. Anderson.

For Constitutional Amendment No. 16, Hon. Walter J. Little and Hon. Byron J. Walters

For Constitutional Amendment No 20, Hon. Ray Williamson and Hon S. V. Wright.

For Constitutional Amendment No. 25, Hon. Homer R. Spence and Hon. Henry E. Carter. Against, Hon. George C. Cleveland.

For Constitutional Amendment No. 27, Hon. Frank L. Eksward and Hon. Edgar C Levey. Against, Hon. Frank L. Coombs

For Constitutional Amendment No. 36, Hon. Harry F. Sewell and Hon Charles H. Deuel. Against, Hon. S. L. Heisinger.

For Constitutional Amendment No. 37, Hon. Walter H. Duval and Hon. F. E. Dayton.

COMMITTEE FROM THE SENATE.

Senators Sharkey, Jones and Tubbs appeared before the bar of the Assembly, and informed the Assembly that the Senate was now ready to adjourn sine die, and asked if the Assembly had any further message to convey to the Senate.

SPEAKER'S REPLY.

The Speaker informed the committee that the Assembly had practically concluded its labors, and would appoint a committee to wait upon the Senate

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Carter:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of three to wait upon the Senate and inform it that the Assembly has concluded its labors and asks if it has any further message to deliver to this body.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Carter adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee to wait upon the Senate: Messrs Smith, Cleveland and McPherson.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Senate appeared before the bar of the Assembly and reported that the instructions of the Assembly had been carried out, and that it had been informed that the Senate had concluded its labors and was ready to adjourn sine die

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was offered:

By Mr. Eksward:

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of four to wait upon His Excellency, Friend Wm. Richardson, Governor of the State of California, and inform him that the Assembly has concluded its labors and awaits his further pleasure.

Resolution read, and on motion of Mr. Eksward adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the above resolution, the Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee to wait upon the Governor: Messrs. Eksward, Miller, J. A., Jost and Campbell.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor appeared before the bar of the Assembly, and reported that they had waited upon the Governor, and His Excellency had informed them that he had no further communication to convey to the Assembly.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The minutes of Friday, April 24, 1925, were read, and on motion of Mr. Eksward approved.

ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE.

At twelve o'clock m. on Friday, April 24, 1925, in accordance with the provisions of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15, the Honorable Frank F. Merriam, Speaker of the Assembly, announced that the time for final adjournment of the forty-sixth session of the Legislature of the State of California had arrived and thereupon declared the Assembly adjourned sine die.

FRANK F. MERRIAM,
Speaker of the Assembly.
HOMER R. SPENCE,
Speaker pro tempore of Assembly.

ARTHUR A. OHNIMUS,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.
LOUIS F. ERB,
Minute Clerk of Assembly.
OSCAR NORELL,
Asst. Minute Clerk of Assembly.
HENRY R. NIELSEN,
Asst Minute Clerk of Assembly.

*Approved*_____, *1925.*

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Speaker of the Assembly.

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Chief Clerk of the Assembly.